

The Lockerby Newsletter

LCS News Update | June 15 - 19, 2020

To all Vikings...



**Have a great summer and we are
looking forward to reconnecting
in September!**

Keep reading this week's Newsletter for further information regarding updates about Rainbow District School Board's Distance Learning Plan and Lockerby Composite School's end-of-year 'Housekeeping Items' (Page 11).

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR ONLINE CLASSES?

Grade 9 STEP Science

This week, our Grade 9 Science students made their own (arguably better) version of 'Bill Nye' science videos, and featured some at home science. Some experiments included elephant toothpaste, bouncy eggs, and even plastic from milk! As part of their culminating activity, our Viking scientists described equipment, procedures, and of course, safety guidelines. Most importantly, they explained the science behind their experiment, and how it was applicable to everyday life. As a soon to be famous Viking scientist once said, "When people say, 'Aaahh what's that disgusting smell,' you can tell them, it's science."



WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR ONLINE CLASSES?

Music

As the school year wraps-up, our music students have been busy putting the final touches on a variety of interesting composing and arranging projects! The switch from in-person schooling to online learning brought with it a variety of challenges for the music department, not least of which was the lack of access to all our instruments. With that in mind, the department re-tooled to an electronic music format with a focus on composing and arranging.

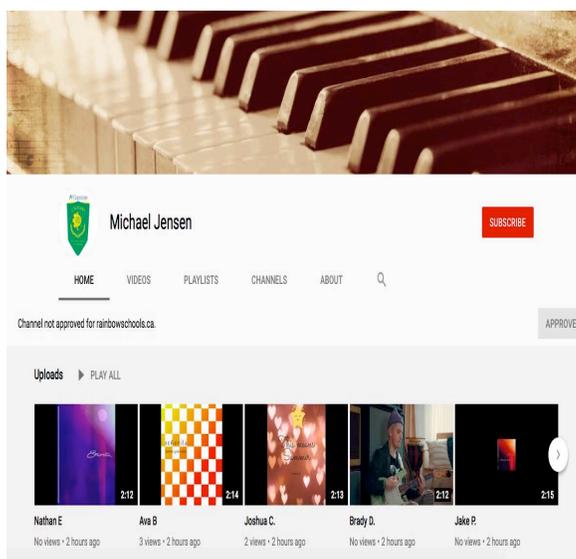
Seniors

In our Senior Music class, our Vikings were able to create a promotional video for a topic of their choice and compose music to accompany it. Students composed their melodies in 'flat.io' using sophisticated composing techniques such as motif and sequence, repetition, retrograde as well as call and response. They paired their melody with a chord pattern and arranged their music in the digital audio workstation, 'Soundtrap.' The results were quite powerful, as illustrated by Rachel G.'s video promoting mental health (please click on the adjacent image).



Concert Band

Students in Concert Band got the unique opportunity to put themselves in the shoes of the recording industry. Mr. Jensen provided them with a track of him playing guitar for the Shawn Mendes song, 'Senorita.' Students had to wear several hats during this project by becoming the drummer, then bass player, then rhythm guitarist and create accompanying tracks to Mr. Jensen's recording. They then needed to switch gears and become the audio engineer, mixing the tracks to create a balanced mix complete with effects and proper EQ. Next, they had to promote their track, creating a press release, Youtube video, Soundcloud account or promoting their piece through social media all in an effort to get noticed. You can see their efforts on our YouTube Channel (please click on the adjacent image) or in our Soundcloud Playlist (please click [HERE](#)).



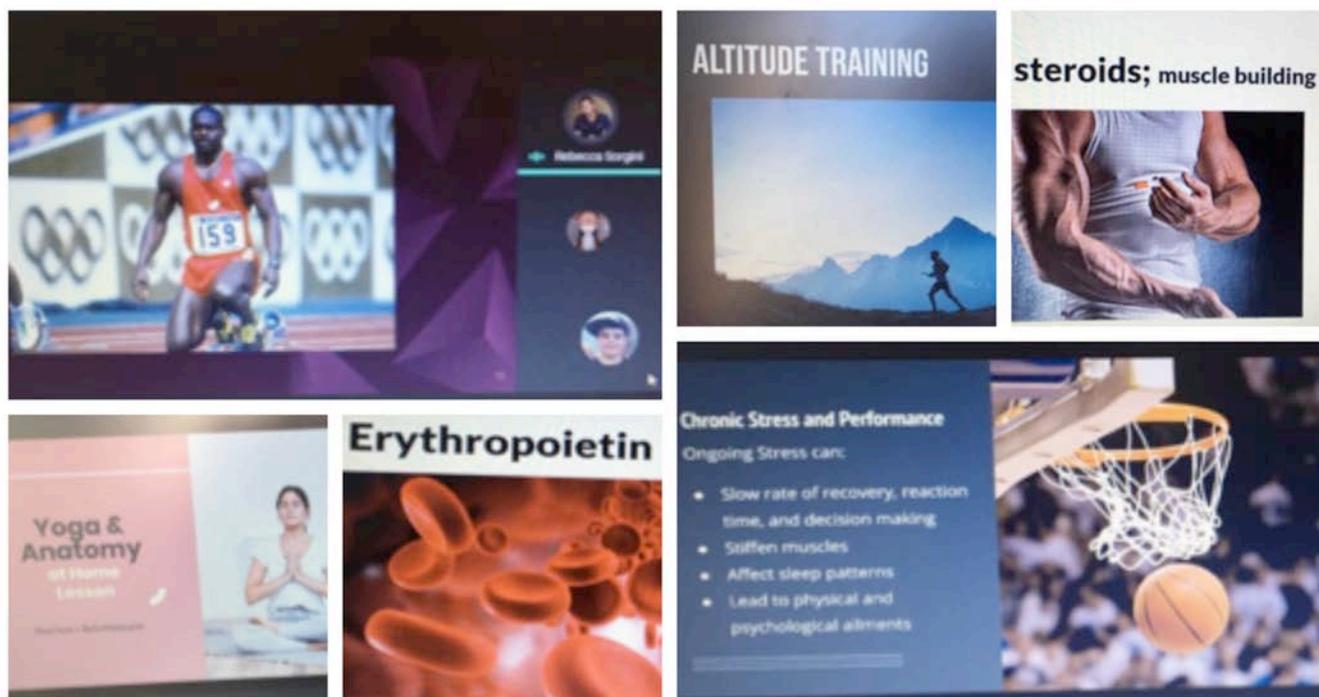
Grade 9

In our Grade 9 Music class, our culminating activity consisted of a polyphonic rap piece. Our Vikings had to create two-part lyrics and a two-part drum beat. Our Vikings created the initial draft of this in 'flat.io,' an online music notation program. After that, students exported their finished product to the digital audio workstation, 'Soundtrap.' They then rapped their lyrics and added effects. Here's a bit of a taste of what they were up to (please click [HERE](#)).

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR ONLINE CLASSES?

Kinesiology

In the final weeks of Distance Learning, our Grade 12 Kinesiology students took the opportunity to showcase what they had learned throughout the term by engaging their peers in detailed presentation on a variety sports related topics!



LOCKERBY COMPOSITE'S MUSIC COUNCIL

A big shout out to the members of our Music Council. Despite not being able to meet in person during distance learning, our Music Council continued to meet once a week at lunch and continued to discuss events relevant to our Music Department. Our last few of meetings saw Music Council organize the launch of our new Instagram account as well as discussions centered on the possible logistics of a band trip for next year. The Music Council also organized our year end Concert Band party, a Kahoot session with music trivia questions. Thank you to all the members for your efforts this year: Lachlan K., James W., Nathan E., Julia H., Sarah N., Jazmyn J., Eric K., Max M., Sahba S., Damien S., Mason S., and Cameron V.



LOCKERBY COMPOSITE SCHOOL STAFF RETIREMENTS

Ms. Edington

Ms. Edington began her career with Rainbow District School Board in 2001 as a Clerk in the Finance Department at the Board Office. The following year, she became a permanent full-time secretary at Lockerby Composite School and in 2006, Ms. Edington started her teaching career at our school. Over the course of her career, Ms. Edington taught a variety of Business courses and prepared hundreds of students for post-secondary Business studies and the world of work. In addition, for a number of years, Ms. Edington was the staff representative for Lockerby's Students Council, mentoring our Viking leaders. Ms. Edington looks forward to spending time with her family, boating and downhill skiing. Her professionalism and ability to relate to the needs of her students will always be appreciated. All the best Ms. Edington as you embark on a new adventure in your life!



HAPPY SUMMER HOLIDAYS!

A message from Mr. Runciman and Mr. Lafraniere to all students, parents/guardians, staff, and community members:

In addition to our end-of-year letter, we know that the last many weeks have been challenging, frustrating, confusing, and uncertain. And although we don't know what September will bring, we need to send out a big thank you to everyone for the wonderful school year and we hope that everyone has a relaxing, fun, and safe summer holiday. We look forward to hopefully seeing all returning students in September, welcoming all new Vikings for the start of the new school year, and we wish our graduates good luck in their future endeavours!



LOCKERBY

THE SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

THIS WEEK IN VIKINGS ATHLETICS . . .

Messages from the Lockerby Athletics Association (LAA)

Alpine Skiing

This year, Ms. Augenstein led a very successful team of 24 dedicated and hardworking skiers! The team showed a lot of school spirit, supporting each other on and off the slopes. In fact, the participation this year from our grade nines was great (the new high school skiing generation)! Through thick-and-thin, the team breezed their way through the city and regional championships with two of our senior racers qualifying for OFSAA! All of our skiers improved their technique this year, and many new memories were made!



2019-2020 ROSTER

CASTON A	CALEB D
JACK A	THOMAS D
OWEN A	GRACE F
AVA B	LUCA G
BREANNA B	JORDAN M
JENNIFER B	OWEN M
KAJA B	GILLIAN O
TYLER B	MATTHEW O
AMELIA C	AMADEO P
CURTIS C	ALISON S
MAEVE C	CAMERON V
SYDNEY C	KENNEDY W



2019/2020 Alpine Skiing
Junior Girls MVP

Bio
Name: Gillian Obradovich

Favourite Hill: Antoine Mountain

Slalom or Giant Slalom: Giant slalom

Brand of Skis: Atomic

Pre Race Rituals: Practice runs



2019/2020 Alpine Skiing
Junior Boys MVP

Bio
Name: Jack Anderson

Favourite Hill: Whistler

Slalom or Giant Slalom: Giant slalom

Brand of Skis: Salomon

Pre Race Rituals: Adjust ski boots



2019/2020 Alpine Skiing
Senior Girls MVP

Bio
Name: Kennedy Ward

Favourite Hill: Mount Dufour

Slalom or Giant Slalom: Giant slalom

Brand of Skis: Atomic

Pre Race Rituals: Pep talks with Mackenzie



2019/2020 Alpine Skiing
Senior Boys MVP

Bio
Name: Matthew Obradovich

Favourite Hill: Antoine Mountain

Slalom or Giant Slalom: Giant slalom

Brand of Skis: Atomic

Pre Race Rituals: Stretching and staying warm

THIS WEEK IN VIKINGS ATHLETICS . . .

Snowboarding

And last but not least, we have our final sport of the year: snowboarding! Our female snowboarding team made it to OFSAA this year, putting Lockerby on the podium! This season, our athletes were driven, focused, and ready to hit the slopes each and every practice. They pushed themselves to the limit and never gave-up on their training. Many memories were made and many new friendships were formed!



SNOWBOARDING SEASON RECAP AND MVPS

2019-2020 ROSTER

EMMA C	NAOMI M
MADELINE C	JONAH N
BRADY D	HUDSON P
EVAN G	PARKER R
JACOB K	JESSICA S



2019/2020 Snowboarding Junior Girls MVP

Bio
Name: *Jessica Severinac*

Type of Board: *Roxy XOXO BTX*

Favourite Hill: *L-Park Terrain*

Freestyle or Racing: *Racing*

Seasons Best Memory: *Watching people fall (including herself)*



2019/2020 Snowboarding Junior Boys MVP

Bio
Name: *Evan Green*

Type of Board: *GNU T2B*

Favourite Hill: *Moonstone*

Freestyle or Racing: *Racing*

Seasons Best Memory: *Practicing with great teammates*



2019/2020 Snowboarding Senior Girls MVP

Bio
Name: *Naomi Mitoma*

Type of Board: *Flat Freeride*

Favourite Hill: *Blue Mountain*

Freestyle or Racing: *Freestyle*

Seasons Best Memory: *All of OFSAA*



2019/2020 Snowboarding Senior Boys MVP

Bio
Name: *Jonah Norrie*

Type of Board: *Option Mirror*

Favourite Hill: *Jay Peak Mountain*

Freestyle or Racing: *Freestyle*

Seasons Best Memory: *The ride to the hill*

THIS WEEK IN VIKINGS ATHLETICS . . .

Athletes of the Year

A big congratulations goes out to this year's Athletes of the Year! Kudos to Kaja B., Jack A., Ella C., Abby L., Travis A., Stacie K., Kennedy W., Theo P., and Logan D. Awesome job and well done on a great sports season!



A special shoutout to Kennedy W., Stacie K., and Theo P. for their outstanding commitment to Lockerby Athletics. Together, they created our Lockerby Sports Instagram Page, which highlighted our student athletes, events, activities and MVPs. Thank you Vikings for your outstanding contribution to athletics!

ATTENTION GRADUATES

Currently, all secondary school (including ours) continue to explore opportunities to host a fall convocation and currently, the details have yet to be finalized. In moving forward, we have also postponed our graduation gown order to align with this new tentative fall date. At this time, graduation gown fees will be held and put towards the same gown rentals for the fall ceremony.

Nominations for this year's Valedictorian concluded on Thursday. Balloting and voting (from the top-3 nominations) will occur next week from June 22nd - June 24th, 2020, with the chosen candidate being announced at the end of next week. All voting will be taking place virtually and a link to the balloting Google Form will be posted in our Graduate Google Classroom.

Report Cards for Grade 12 students will be available at the school for pick-up, together with the graduating class composite photograph on July 7th and July 8th from 9:30am to 7:30pm each day. Additionally, a special graduation memento will also be informally presented. If Viking graduates wish to bring family (who are a part of their social circle), they are welcome to do so, but a reminder that social distancing and COVID-19 protocols will be in place. We are looking forward to congratulating all of our graduates at this time! Likewise, please stay tuned to the Graduate Google Classroom, as well as to our social media accounts for next week's special video message to our graduating class!

CLASS OF
2020



LOCKERBY CUSTODIANS

Thank you!

On behalf of the Lockerby staff and students we want to recognize you for your continued support of our school initiatives.



STUDENT SERVICES

Summer Courses

Registrations for Virtual Summer School are now being accepted. Classes will begin on Thursday, July 2nd, 2020 and will run until Friday, July 31st, 2020.

Students will be able to recover a failed credit, upgrade a credit for a higher mark and knowledge, or begin a new credit. All of the classes will be offered within a virtual learning environment and students are reminded that these classes require consistent effort. Please note that students will only be able to register for 1 new credit or 2 credits if they are repeating or upgrading. Additionally, all courses listed below will run based on sufficient enrolment. To register, please complete the following Google Form as soon as possible:

<https://forms.gle/ima8cPHWSFrK3V968>

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mrs. Beaudry or Ms. Baggs.

<p align="center">New Courses (4-5 hours/day) Maximum 1 course These classes will be completed online in an asynchronous environment</p>	<p align="center">Credit Recovery Courses or Upgrade (2-3 hours/day)* Maximum 2 courses These classes will be completed online in a synchronized and asynchronous environment</p>
<p>Grade 10 CHV2O Civics, Open GLC2O Career Studies, Open</p> <p>Grade 11 ENG3C English, College ENG3U English, University MBF3C Foundations Math, College MCR3U Functions, University NBV3E Aboriginal Beliefs, Workplace PPZ3O Health for Life, Open SBI3U Biology, University SCH3U Chemistry, University</p> <p>Grade 12 CGW4U World Issues, University CHI4U Canadian History, University CLN4C Legal Studies, College CLN4U Can. and Int. Law, University ENG4C English, College ENG4U English, University GWL4O Designing Your Future, Open HSB4U Challenge & Change, Univ. HSC4M World Cultures, College/Univ. MCT4C Mathematics for College MDM4U Data Management, University OLC4O The Literacy Course, Open SBI4U Biology, University SCH4C Chemistry, College SCH4U Biology, University</p>	<p>Grade 9 MFM1P/1D Applied/Academic Math ENG1P/1D Applied/Academic English SNC1P/1D Applied/Academic Science CGC1P/1D Applied/Academic Geography</p> <p>Grade 10 MFM2P/2D Applied/Academic Math ENG2P/2D Applied/Academic English SNC2P/2D Applied/Academic Science CHC2P/2D Applied/Academic History GLC20/CHV2O Careers/Civics, Open</p> <p>Grade 11 MBF3C Foundations Math, College MCR3U Functions, Mathematics, Univ. ENG3C English, College NBE3C Contemporary Voices, College ENG3U English, University SBI3C Biology, College SBI3U Biology, University SCH3U Chemistry, University SPH3U Physics, University</p> <p>Grade 12 ENG4C English, College ENG4U English, University MCT4C Mathematics for College MDM4U Data Management, University OLC4O The Literacy Course, Open SBI4U Biology, University SCH4C Chemistry, College SCH4U Biology, University SPH4C Physics, College SPH4U Physics, University</p>

YEAR END HOUSEKEEPING ITEMS

- Please be aware that teachers may be contacting students and a parent/guardian the week of June 22nd to conference regarding next steps for our next school year.
- Grade 9 - 11 Report Cards will be mailed to all homes by the second week of July.
- Attached to our mailed Report Cards, students will find a copy of their September timetable. Please note that any changes to timetables will have to wait until the last week of August, as our school is closed until then.
- For those current Vikings, parent/guardians, future Vikings, and Viking alumni who purchase Vikewear, please note that you will be receiving an email (within the next week or two) with pick-up instructions, once orders are complete.
- Further to Page 9 of this week's Newsletter, a reminder that Grade 12 Report Cards will be available at the school for pick-up, on July 7th and July 8th from 9:30am to 7:30pm each day.
- Graduates are asked to please stay tuned to the Graduate Google Classroom, as well as to our social media accounts for next week's special video message to our graduating class!
- Our Lockerby Community is also asked to stay tuned to our social media accounts for a special message to incoming Vikings as well!
- The Ministry of Education has stated that the safety and well-being of students and staff is a top priority as the government plans to reopen schools for the 2020 - 2021. Over the summer and through the Rainbow District School Board website, as well as our school website and our social media accounts, we will endeavour to communicate learning plans with the community (as soon as they become available).
- Further information regarding the Lockerby Composite School's Annual Grade 9 Orientation BBQ will be sent to our new students at the beginning of August (which will be based on COVID-19 safety protocols).
- The first day of classes for the 2020 - 2021 school year will be Tuesday, September 8th, 2020.
- As we celebrate the end of the school year, Rainbow District School Board invites community members to read their featured stories on their website as we bring learning together while being safely apart.

*Do all things
with kindness*

**LOCKERBY STUDENTS' COUNCIL
WISHES THE STAFF AND STUDENTS
A SAFE & HAPPY SUMMER!**

WHAT PARENTS NEED TO KNOW FOR NEXT WEEK . . .

This is our last issue of the year!

Thank you all for reading and keeping up-to-date with all happenings at Lockerby Composite School! Please stay tuned to our social media accounts and website, over the summer, for more information regarding the start-up to our 2020 - 2021 school year.

Until September...

Let's Connect

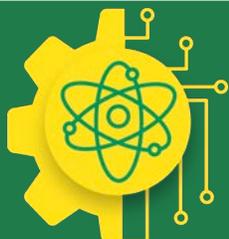


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