

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Lockerby Composite School's weekly news on Viking academics, events, extra-curriculars, and more!



NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

Throughout the week, staff and students from Lockerby Composite School reflected upon and acknowledged the history and lasting impacts of residential schools. On Thursday, September 28th, the school community wore orange to honour residential school Survivors and the children who never made it home. To encourage moments of reflection, orange ribbons were prepared and distributed by members of the Student Council. Classes engaged in various lessons, readings, and discussions in support of truth and reconciliation including "The Legend of the Three Sisters." Grade 10 and 12 French Immersion classes also had the opportunity to reflect by collaborating in the kitchen making different versions of Bannique.

#FIER(E) D'ÊTRE FRANCO-ONTARIEN(NE)

Monday, September 25th was the anniversary of the raising of the Franco-Ontarian flag and it was also a day to celebrate and recognize Franco-Ontarian Day. Franco-Ontarian Day was an opportunity for our Vikings to recognize the cultural, historical, social, economic and political contributions of francophones in the province.



LOCKERBY CANCER DRIVE 2023

A message from your Kids Caring for Kids Cancer Drive Committee:

With our Cancer Drive month just around the corner, our committee is gearing up for a busy few weeks! We are looking forward to our Motivational Assembly next Thursday, October 5th, so we can celebrate Lockerby's 28-year commitment to pediatric cancer care in the North. We plan to make a difference again in 2023! So grab your touques and your friends and get ready to sign up for a teacher team on Thursday. Teachers will be competing to get you on their team!

Remember to check-out our calendar of fundraising-events at the assembly so you can look forward to our eight-foot 'Count Me IN' handprint poster, an ice bucket challenge involving teachers, and even a hot dog BBQ! We're gearing up to get you excited about giving back to our community!

See you on October 5th. Let's get pumped for October 26th!



LOCKERBY TREE PLANTING

This week, Grade 9 STEP students in Ms. Benton's Art class joined those in Mr. Cole's Technological Studies class for a tree planting adventure at Bell Park. This collaborative initiative was a great way to build community in our school and contribute to space that all Sudburians can enjoy! In anticipation of the event, students first learned about making art from found objects in natural settings. These lessons were inspired by the artist Andy Goldsworthy. Students also discussed the ecological and aesthetic value of trees in our city, and practiced using the tools and techniques required to plant local tree species. On the day of the event, our Vikings met up with members of the re-greening program for a sunny afternoon of planting on the hillside overlooking Ramsey Lake. Students worked very well together and were not afraid to get their hands dirty. Hopefully, we will each feel a sense of pride as we watch these trees grow well into the future!



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LOCKERBY FALL FAIR



In order to promote environmental sustainability, and in preparation for Rainbow District School Board's inaugural Harvest Celebration, Lockerby Composite School will be hosting a Fall Fair. Individual classes and school groups have been invited to take part in activities and to develop exhibitions for display. Some of our Visual Art, Biology, Geography, and Computer Science classes have already begun putting together their Fall-themed creations! Our school-wide Fall Fair showcase will be on October 3rd, 2023 in our Auditorium!



LCS #FATBEARWEEK2023

A message from Lockerby Composite School's Environmental Council:

Fat Bear Week 2023 is upon us and all of your favourite bears are back and bigger than ever! As the bears at Katmai Conservancy get sized-up for their winter hibernation, Period 1 classes will have the opportunity to select which bear they think is the fattest! The Period 1 class with the most points will have their name placed on an honorary plaque, marking them as Lockerby's 2023 Fat Bear Week Champion! Take your picture as a fat bear in the Main Foyer and tag @lockerby_environmental_council on Instagram next week!



THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Golf

Congratulations to James B., Joe F., Dax R., Ryder C., Anderson T., and Lea L. who competed in the Northern Ontario Golf Championships on Thursday (NOSSA). Lea finished 1st overall and led the SDSSAA girls team to a 1st place finish while the boys team finished 4th overall. Good luck to Lea L., who will now travel to Collingwood October 10th & 11th to compete in the all-Ontario Championships (OFSAA)!



Softball

Our Vikings participated in the 1st annual Golden Slo-Pitch Mixed Classic at Terry Fox Sports Complex on Thursday, September 28th. Our Vikings did well and won their games against Sudbury Secondary School and Lasalle Secondary School. This allowed our team to play in the Consolation Final against French River High School. The game was a high scoring affair with French River narrowly winning 19-18! Our team MVPs were Zeb A. and Tiia P.



Baseball

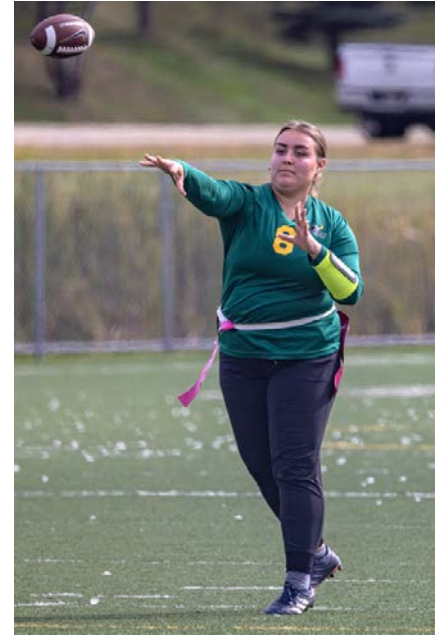
Our Vikings Boys Baseball team season is well underway. Although they didn't come away with a victory, they had a great game against Bishop Carter High School this past week!



THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Flag Football

While our Junior Girls Flag Football team wasn't in action this week, our Senior Girls team played St. Charles College. Despite an excellent game being played by all, our Vikings fell short by a final score of 20 - 7.



Volleyball

Our Viking Junior and Senior Volleyball teams played Champlain Secondary School this week. Both teams won their games by scores of 3 - 0. Additionally, a huge congratulations goes to both teams who competed CVDCS tournament. Our Senior team team brought home the gold by beating Lasalle Secondary School 2 - 1 in the finals. Our Junior team also played amazing and brought home the silver medal!



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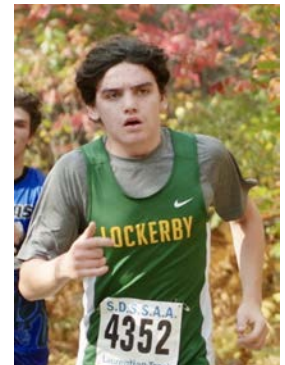
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THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Cross Country Running

This past Wednesday, with splendid outdoor running conditions, the Lockerby Vikings Cross-Country Running team took on the long, long climb of the Walden trails. The hills were challenging, the competition was stiff, and our Vikings were T - U - F - tough. Lauren led the way with a 1st place Senior Girls finish while Misaki and Isaac both placed 2nd in the Junior race. Bay, Liam, and James had top-10 Senior finishes, as did Anderson in Junior. Novice runners: Lorelai, Nevaeh, Maddy, Ashley, Bailey, Toma, and Liam, some in their first full-distance high school race, all finished in the top-10. Every Lockerby runner came away with a podium finish as the Novice Boys, Junior Boys, Senior Girls and Senior Boys teams all placed 2nd, while the Novice Girls team placed 1st. The next race is this coming Wednesday at the ski trails in Capreol. If athletes are looking to purchase the Nike pinney, please visit School Cash Online.



STUDENT SERVICES

Post Secondary Presentations

University Information Evening - Thursday, October 5th, 2023

Secondary school students are invited to start planning their post-secondary journey during the fall University Information Program sessions. The fair style presentation session will occur Thursday, October 5th, 2023 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm at Laurentian University. One important change to last year is that students will need to pre-register to the event or register at the door. We highly encourage pre-registering for the event to allow students to maximize their time speaking with the university representatives. The link to register for the event is found on the OUEvents page (<https://www.ontariouniversitiesevents.ca/>) and by then clicking the blue 'Register for OUEvents pass' button. If you have any additional questions please see Ms. Baggs or Mrs. Beaudry.

University and College Visits This Week

Northern College of Applied Arts - Tuesday, October 3rd, 2023

Scholarships

Fall is a busy time for National Scholarships. Students are encouraged to visit the Class of 2024 Google Classroom to learn more about the various scholarships available.

University of Toronto National Scholarship - Friday, September 29th, 2023

The University of Toronto National Scholarship rewards original, creative and committed Canadian secondary school students. These are students who demonstrate superior academic performance, original and creative thought, and exceptional achievement in a broad context. These students excel in academic pursuits, demonstrate enthusiasm for intellectual exploration and have a strong involvement in the lives of their schools and communities. Students who would like to be considered for this year's award are asked to complete a student activity sheet and submit the completed form by Friday, September 29th, 2023, to Student Services.

LOARN Scholarship - Wednesday, October 11th, 2023

The Loran National Scholarship was founded in 1988 to fund outstanding students to study on Canadian University Campuses. The foundation seeks well-rounded students who demonstrate character, promise of leadership and strong commitment to service in the community. Learn more at <https://loranscholar.ca/>

Enrichment Opportunities

Women in Science and Engineering (WISE) - Tuesday, October 3rd, 2023

WISE Sudbury Chapter invites you for an evening to explore professions in Science, Engineering, and Trades at Science North's Vale Cavern from 6:00pm to 8:30pm. This FREE event is geared toward high school students, parents, and individuals looking for career options. Industry speakers will share their experiences, and there will be a variety of booths presenting careers in STEM as well as Trades for you to learn about! Light refreshments and snacks will be served. Additionally, attendees will enter a draw to win one of three door prizes! This event is brought to you by WISE Sudbury along with our community and Industry Partners.

House of Commons Page Program - Wednesday, November 8th, 2023

We are pleased to announce the official launch of the recruitment campaign for the House of Commons Page Program. The recruitment campaign for the 2023 academic year will take place until Wednesday, November 8th, 2023. Each year, 40 graduating students are recruited from high schools across Canada to participate in the House of Commons Page Program. Students who maintain a minimum average of 80% and can speak both official languages are invited to apply. Visit our website our.common.ca/page for more information.



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BEGINS WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2023

Every Wednesday
2:30 pm to 3:30 pm
Room 102
Just Drop In!

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EVERY FRIDAY




CENTRAL EUROPE TRIP

Lockerby is going to Europe in March 2024! Join Ms. Caddel, Ms. Czerniak, and Mr. James on this 10-day adventure! You can learn about the history of The Berlin Wall, visit Prague Castle, take a walking tour of Krakow and take a dip in the thermal baths in Budapest! If you are interested please join us for an information session via ZOOM meeting on Thursday, October 5th, 2023 at 6:30pm.



How to RSVP

Take a picture of the flyer



LITERACY TEST

The OSSLT is a provincial test of literacy skills that students have acquired by the end of Grade 9. Successful completion of the OSSLT is one of the mandatory requirements to earn an Ontario Secondary School Diploma. There are two administration sessions occurring November 2023 and in the Spring of 2024.

Over the next month all eligible writers will be participating in a variety of intensive workshops with their Grade 10 classroom teachers in order to help prepare when they write the test in November. The November test dates will be shared in the coming weeks. In addition to the workshops, students will participate in a literacy diagnostic on Monday, October 16th, 2023 during Periods 3 and 4. Ms. Baggs, will be following-up with students with identifications after the diagnostic in order to finalize accommodations. Accommodation letters will be sent home with the students to share with their parents. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your student's participation in the November administration of the OSSLT please reach-out to Ms. Baggs at baggs@rainbowschools.ca.

WHAT PARENTS NEED TO KNOW FOR NEXT WEEK...

Dan Watson, our school Social Worker, will be at Lockerby Composite School next week.

Monday, October 2nd

Tuesday, October 3rd

- Lockerby Composite School Fall Fair

Wednesday, October 4th

- Fat Bear Week begins
- NCAA Visit

Thursday, October 5th

- Cancer Drive Motivational Assembly

Friday, October 6th



Monday - Friday in Room 223

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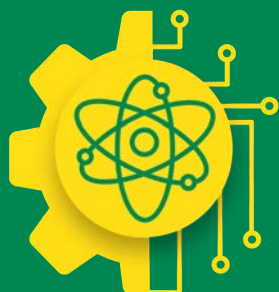
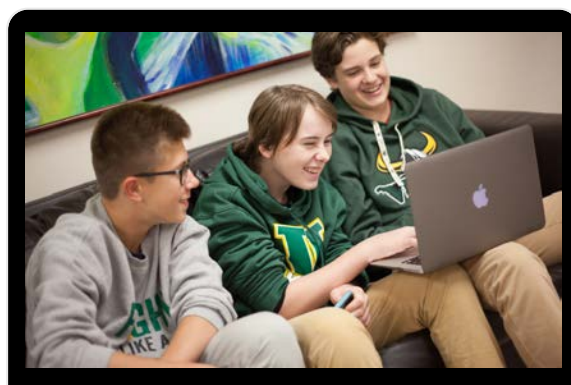
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