

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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











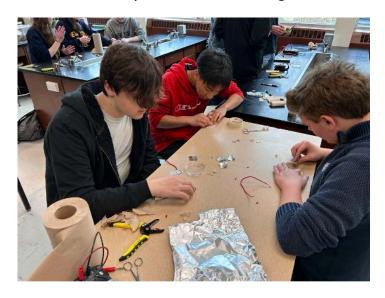


EMERGENCE ART SHOW

Lockerby artists shone on Thursday evening at the closing reception of the Emergence Art Show. Hosted by the Art Gallery of Sudbury, Emergence boasted artworks from nine area high schools in the city. Three Lockerby students – Fiona S., Rebecca L., and Lockerby graduate Perta E. – won awards for their work. We are proud of all of the Lockerby artists exhibited in this gallery show. Congratulations to you all!

FEELING ENERGIZED!

Grade 9 STEP science students made batteries from metals and electrolyte solutions. Their challenge? To modify their battery to light up some LEDs! Students adjusted the number of metal / electrolyte stacks, wire length, and electrolyte solution. Brilliant!





BROWNIE FRIDAYS

On Friday, Grade 9/10 Foods students ended the week by baking some sweet treats!











LOCKERBY LAW

Lockerby's Grade 12 Canadian International Law class spent the last analyzing and evaluating International Humanitarian Law topics such as Child Soldiers and Civilian protection. To end the unit, the class developed plans to build their refugee camps. This collaborative task included determining which services are required at the site and careful planning of resource allocation. Further, students learned how difficult it can be to assist civilian populations during times of crisis and help them retain their dignity and well-being.



LOCKERBY MUSIC

On Monday the Sudbury Music Festival held it's annual Stars-Off Excellence concert and award ceremony. Lockerby 's Music Department shined at the ceremony. Invited to play was our very own Lockerby Guitar Trio who received audible wows from the crowd. Next-up was Jaden H. who has the honour of closing out the evening's festivities. During the ceremony, the Wind Ensemble and Concert Band both received the Saari Family Award. Both groups received cheques for \$200. The Guitar Trio received the DW Cook Memorial Award and a cheque for a further \$100. Finally, Jaden was awarded the Sudbury Catholic District School Board Intermediate Guitar Award and a cheque for \$200. This has been a banner year for our Music Department. Congratulations everyone!









THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Soccer

Our Junior Boys Soccer team played two games this week, defeating Chelmsford Valley District Composite School 5 - 1, and losing to Lo-Ellen Park on Thursday. Our Senior Boys Soccer team secured their second win of the season against MacDonald Cartier Secondary School by a score of 2 - 1!









Track and Field

The Track and Field season is well underway with practices at the track for runners, jumpers, and throwers several times a week at Laurentian University. Friday, May 3rd, 2024 marks the first meet hosted by Track North for runners and long jumpers. All details regarding practice times, meets, and uniforms can be found in the Track and Field Google Classroom.





THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

<u>Intramurals</u>

Volleyball Intramurals terminated this week with the finals on centre court. With a score of 25 - 17, Team Beausos was crowned champions after an undefeated season! The LAA, under the leadership of Max C. is looking for ideas for the next intramural activity! Students are asked to vote on the @lockerbysports Instagram.







FACES OF LOCKERBY

A message from your Student Council:

Hello Vikings! As in years past, we will continue to post photos of Lockerby students and staff, and sharing their stories, experiences, and insights!

FACES OF LOCKERBY HENRY WALKER

WHAT SCHOOL DID YOU ATTEND BEFORE LOCKERBY?

I attended MacLeod

Public School.



WHAT ARE YOU LOOKING FORWARD TO DURING YOUR YEARS IN HIGH SCHOOL?

I'm looking forward to taking advantage of the many clubs and sports at Lockerby.



I do speed skating and I have done it since I was 5.

WHAT GRADE ARE YOU IN?

I am in Grade 9.



I am on the Lockerby Students' Council, and a member of the LCS Band. I will also be participating in track and field this year.



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STUDENT SERVICES

Community Service

Northern Lights Festival Boréal - Summer 2024

Northern Lights Festival Boréal, is a vibrant celebration of music, arts, and community in our area. They are currently seeking enthusiastic volunteers to join them in making this year's festival an unforgettable experience. Students can learn more about this opportunity on the Student Services Google Classroom.

Scholarships

A number of new scholarships have been added to the Class of 2024 Google Classroom. Graduates are reminded to review the classroom regularly to ensure they don't miss out on this opportunity.

The Diversity Advisory Committee Bursary - Friday, June 14th, 2024

The Greater Sudbury Police Service would like to recognize outstanding Grade 12 students who have demonstrated a commitment to diversity, inclusive practices, and cultural acceptance in their school and/or community. This bursary is made possible through the Greater Sudbury Police Services' Diversity Advisory Committee. Students who are interested to learn more about this opportunity should visit the Class of 2024 Google Classroom.

Class of 2024

It's prom season at Lockerby!

On Thursday, June 13th, 2024 at the Science North Cavern, 125 Vikings will come together to celebrate their achievements over the past four years with a formal dinner and dance.

Organizing a high school prom can be an exciting but an expensive endeavour. To help make the prom tickets more affordable, a committee of students and staff is seeking sponsorship from individuals and businesses in our community. By donating \$100, you can sponsor a table. Your contribution will go towards the expenses of the venue, the meal, the DJ and other miscellaneous costs that go toward a successful prom.

In return for your sponsorship, we will prominently display your logo on our event banners, website, and social media platforms. Additionally, we would include your name and or business on the table in which you have sponsored.

We truly appreciate your consideration and support. Together, we can make this year's prom an unforgettable experience for our students. Please let us know if you have any questions or if there is any additional information you require by contacting Mason Savage (savagem@rainbowschools.ca). If you plan to make a donation, please do so by Monday, May 13th, 2024.

Summer School

Registrations for Summer School are now being accepted. Students must have completed the course they are registering for to be eligible to recover or upgrade the course at Summer School. Classes will run in-person at Sudbury Secondary School, and Adult Day School. In addition, students are able to earn new credits via elearning and summer COOP. Courses will run based on sufficient enrolment so please see your Guidance teacher as soon as possible if you would like to register or would like more information. Students can also view important information as well as registration forms on the Student Services Google Classroom. Additional information can be found on the Rainbow District School Board's website:

https://www.rainbowschools.ca/programs/secondary-education/summer-programs/



RDSB SUMMER LEARNING PROGRAM

July 3 - Aug 1, 2024

New Credit eLearning Courses



- Online Learning is taught entirely online through the Virtual Learning Environment (VLE) in D2L's Brightspace. Online Learning is asynchronous, meaning you learn on your own schedule within a certain time frame.
- A variety of courses are offered through RDSB and the Ontario eLearning Consortium.
 Please see your guidance counsellor for a complete list.
- Students should expect to spend approximately 5 hours a day working in their course.
- · Courses run through other boards might have different start and end dates.

Credit Recovery or Upgrading Courses

- Classes will take place in person at Sudbury Secondary Adult Day School and are open to all students from both public and separate schools.
- Schedule:
 - o Period 1 8:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m.
 - o Period 2 10:45 a.m. 1:15 p.m.



New Credit Co-op Courses

- July 3 Aug 1 (1 or 2 Credit), Aug 2 Aug 23 (additional credit)
- Co-op will be available to those students who already have a paid or unpaid placement where the employer has agreed to monitor.
- Looking for a summer Co-op placement? Check out the Summer Co-op 2024 Classroom.
 Join code: 7xpc4aq

VISIT YOUR GUIDANCE COUNSELLOR FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER

TUTORS

In partnership with the Rainbow District School Board, Lockerby Composite School has received funds to hire tutors to help support our students. We currently have tutors who are qualified to support students in Grade 9 - 11 Mathematics, Science, Chemistry, and Physics. Please contact Mrs. Beaudry at beaudrg@rainbowschools.ca or Ms. Baggs at baggsm@rainbowschools.ca for more information.





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Dear parents,

For the first time in nearly a generation, our government successfully negotiated agreements with all teachers' unions and averted strikes in schools. This allowed us to deliver on our promise to parents to bring stability to classrooms and keep kids in class.

As kids benefit from three more years of uninterrupted learning, I have heard from many of you, teachers and students alike, about concerns about the alarming rise of youth vaping in schools and the persistent use of cellphones as a distraction from learning in class.

That is why we are rolling out Canada's most comprehensive plan to counter these threats.

To help reduce distractions in our schools, starting this September, we are denying cellphone usage during instructional time so that students can focus on getting back to basics and learning foundational skills like reading, writing and math.

Our youngest learners in kindergarten to Grade 6, who may have phones, will now be required to keep phones on silent and out of sight for the duration of the day.

For students in Grades 7 to 12, phones can be with the student. However, they will only be permitted during instructional time if explicitly allowed by the educator.

We will also commit to having report cards include comments on students' distraction levels in class. We recognize that some parents want to communicate with their children during school, and the policies listed above will still permit that during non-instructional time or when an educator gives permission.

When it comes to cellphones, Ontario's policy is: out of sight and out of mind.

We are also removing social media websites from all school networks and devices to help strengthen in-person relationships, communication and social-emotional skills.

We have also announced a strict anti-vaping policy in schools where parents are immediately informed, and the vapes in a student's possession will be given up and disposed of. There are immediate consequences for students caught in possession of illegal substances, and Public Health Units can also be engaged to support education, prevention and enforcement, when necessary. We are also providing funding to schools to install vape detectors so they can better enforce these new rules.

We are also increasing wrap-around supports for students to support learning, addictive behaviours and implementation, as well as dedicated training for teachers and supports for

parents on how best to manage this change. I encourage you to read the updated <u>Provincial</u> <u>Code of Conduct</u> that outlines these changes.

No matter how strong the policy is, we can't do this alone.

To truly change behaviour, we are asking for your support and collaboration to hold conversations at home about the new expectations and the importance of respecting school staff and the rules as we head into September.

Change will come when we all work together and stand by teachers, principals, and education workers as they implement these new measures. Your co-operation will help ensure students can get back to basics, focus on their studies, and prepare for the jobs of tomorrow.

By doing so, we restore common sense, where the focus remains on academic achievement and the safety of your child.

Thank you,

The Honourable Stephen Lecce Minister of Education

NEED TO KNOW FOR NEXT WEEK...

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

Monday, May 6th

• Music Monday Concert at 7:00pm

Tuesday, May 7th

Wednesday, May 8th

Thursday, May 9th

Friday, May 10th



Monday - Friday in Room 223





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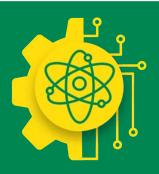


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