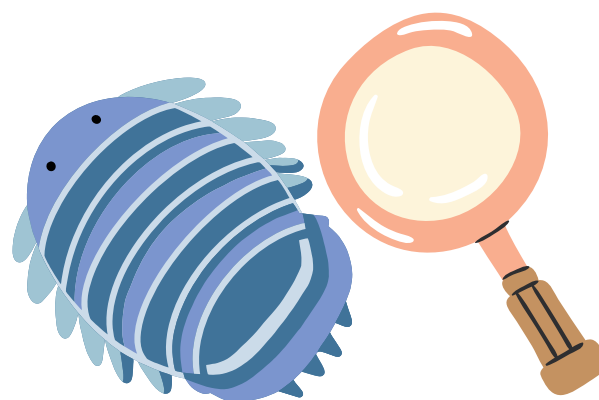


# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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



## GRADE 11 STEP BIOLOGY

This week in our Grade 11 STEP Biology classes, students learned about the diversity of living things. Now that the class is familiar with invertebrates, they have begun examining responses of isopods to a variable of their choosing. After reviewing independent, dependent, and control variables, Viking Biologists have designed humane and ethical investigations to observe phenomena such as chemotaxis, phototaxis, and even phonotaxis. Students are designing and building 'pillbug stadiums' that control as many variables as possible while keeping these charismatic crustaceans safe and comfortable, and of course the designs will vary based on the variable tested and the materials that the students have chosen to work with. Next week, they will see what variables are preferred by our beloved isopods!



## GRADE 11 HEALTHCARE

This week, students practiced different body movements and analyzed when, in their daily life, these functions are used. Different patient barriers were also analyzed and our Vikings learned how patients may overcome these obstacles. Our healthcare class also discussed the importance of effective communication.



## #FIER(E) D'ÊTRE FRANCO-ONTARIEN(NE)

Wednesday, 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 2024

### 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 Tuesday, October 1st, so we can celebrate Lockerby's 29-year commitment to pediatric cancer care in the North. We plan to make a difference again in 2024! So grab your touques and your friends and get ready to sign-up for a teacher canvassing team on Tuesday. 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, our field game challenges, and even a hot dog BBQ...not to mention our Tony V's night! We're gearing-up to get you excited about giving back to our community!

See you on October 1st. Let's get pumped for October 24th!





# CANCER DRIVE DATES

**TUES. OCTOBER 1**  
Motivational Assembly  
*2nd period*

**THURS. OCTOBER 3**  
Count me in pledge  
*at lunch*

**TUES. OCTOBER 8**  
Tony V's night  
*5-9pm at Tony V's*

**OCTOBER 2024**

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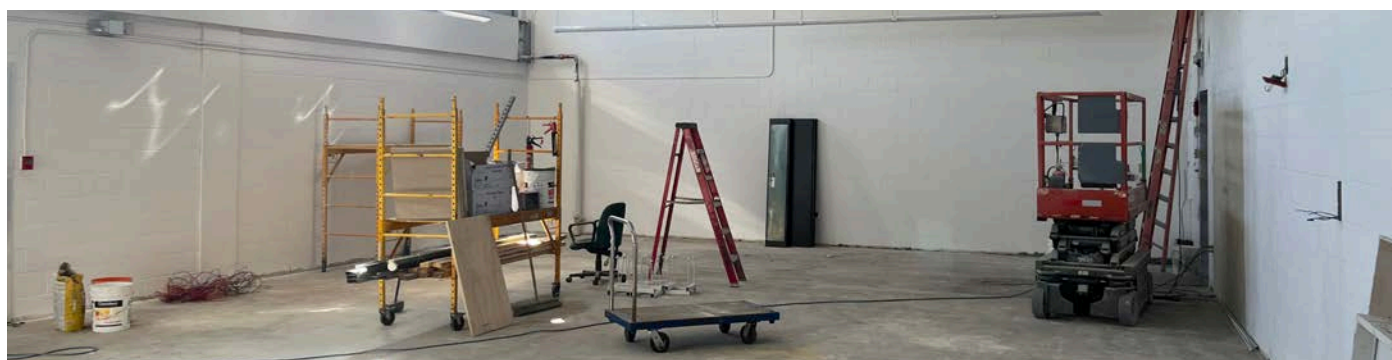
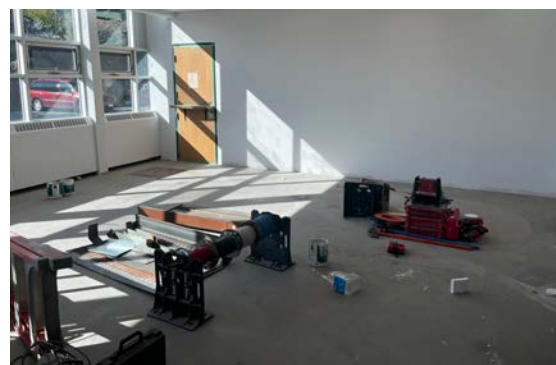
**FRI. OCTOBER 25**  
Thank you assembly!  
*2nd period*

**THURS. OCTOBER 24**  
CANVASSING NIGHT!  
*5-9pm*

**THURS. OCTOBER 24**  
*Instructional assembly*  
*3rd period*

## EXTREME MAKEOVER - LOCKERBY EDITION

Exciting changes continue at Lockerby Composite School! This week, our new STEP Innovation Room got a coat of paint, and our new Science Laboratory was getting prepped for the installation of new workstations!



## LCS #FATBEARWEEK2024

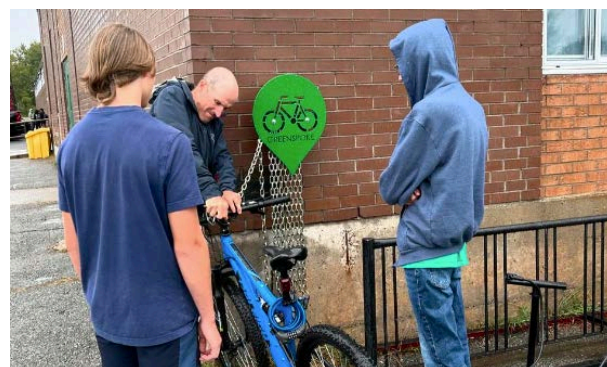
### A message from Lockerby Composite School's Environmental Council:

Fat Bear Week 2024 begins next week 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 2024 Fat Bear Week Champion! Viking students and staff will soon be able to take their pictures as a fat bear in the Main Foyer and tag @lockerby\_environmental\_council on Instagram. Stay tuned for more information this coming week!



## WALK AND BIKE TO SCHOOL

With the beautiful weather we've had, Lockerby's Environmental Council encouraged everyone this month to choose sustainable transportation. Walking, biking, carpooling, or using public transit helps reduce pollution and traffic. Let's make greener choices for a healthier planet and our community - walk and bike to school when you can! On Wednesday at lunch Mr. Abols hosted a bike maintenance workshop!



## SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWS

Lockerby Composite School's School Council held their first meeting of the year on Monday evening at 6:00pm and they have already begun planning events for upcoming school year! Congratulations to our new School Council Chair, Diana Millett on being elected to her new position!

Visit our website in the coming days for Meeting Minutes. If you are interested in joining our School Council, please reach out to the school! We're always looking for new recruits to support our Viking Community!





## TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION WEEK

In recognition of Truth and Reconciliation Week and Orange Shirt Day on September 30, 2024, several Lockerby Composite School students attended a Truth and Reconciliation Event at Grace Hartman Amphitheatre on Thursday. The Ngo Dwe Waanzizjk (We Are All One) Urban Indigenous Sacred Circle was honoured to host this day of learning and reflection. The event is dedicated to honouring the survivors of Residential Schools, Indian Day Schools and the Sixties Scoop while celebrating the resilience of today's warriors.



## TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION DAY

This week, Grade 10 Visual Art students welcomed our indigenous Support Worker, Ms. Hazel, into their class to talk about Truth and Reconciliation. Ms. Hazel generously shared her family's experience with residential schools and invited students to reflect on the changes they might make in their lives and their community to encourage reconciliation. After looking at Anishinaabe floral designs, traditionally used in Indigenous art and beadwork, Ms. Hazel led our students in a lesson in creating construction paper commemorations of ancestors who never made it home from residential schools, and those who survived. Our Viking Community is invited to see these pieces and our Grade 9 reflections on the "post-it" note T-shirt in the Main Foyer.

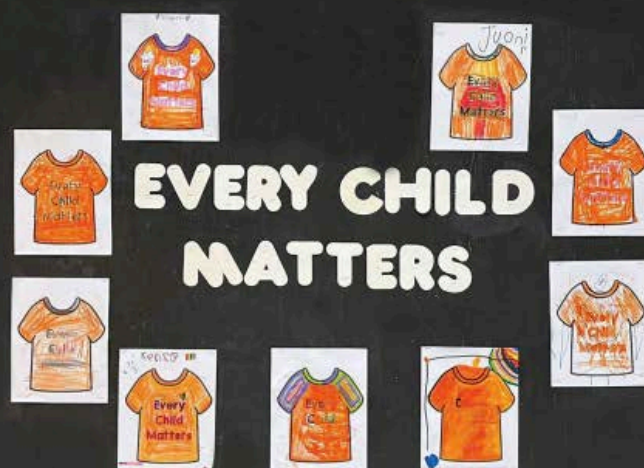


**National Day for  
Truth and Reconciliation**

**— ORANGE SHIRT DAY —**

**Monday, September 30, 2024**

**To honour the children who never returned  
home and Survivors of residential schools**





## THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

### Flag Football

This week in Flag Football action, our Junior Girls team lost a close contest to Marymount Academy (21 - 14). On Wednesday, our Senior Girls Flag Football team took on the Lively Secondary School Hawks at James Jerome Field. In a hard fought game, the team came away with a 14 - 8 victory! Touchdowns were scored by Evelyn H., and Maddyn S., with Evelyn also securing a 2-point conversion. The defence was led by Tiia P. and her very timely interception late in the game!



### Football

Our Junior Boys Football team took to the field against the Lively Secondary School Hawks on Thursday night. The team played an extremely hard fought game, forcing the reigning City Champions to earn every single yard. The final score was 20 - 0 for the Hawks, but this marked a dramatic improvement for our brand new program! The team takes the field again this coming Thursday at 7:30pm against Lo-Ellen Park.





## THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

### Cross Country Running

Tuesday afternoon the Lockerby Vikings Cross-Country Running team took to the hilly trails of Laurentian University to compete against over 250 runners from across northern Ontario at the Rumble on the Rock running meet! Our Novice Boys and Girls teams came in 2nd place, paced by Logan, Eden, and Mavis, who each cracked the top-ten. The Junior Boys team also placed 2nd with Gord, and Cam placing 2nd and 4th individually. The Junior Girls and Senior Boys teams placed 3rd with Isaac cracking the top-ten individually. It was a solid effort from all those who competed! Next week the Vikings tackle the trails in Capreol on Wednesday for their final Preliminary Race of the season!





## THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

### Volleyball

Our Junior and Senior Boys Volleyball teams were in action this week, playing the Lo-Ellen Park Knights. Although both games were close, your Vikings weren't able to come away with victories. Next week, the teams take on Sacred Heart Secondary School.

## VOLLEYBALL



### Intramurals

Intramural basketball is back! All Vikings are encouraged to come support the teams at lunch!



LOCKERBY  
STUDENT  
ACTIVITIES  
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**Pizza Day  
Every  
Wednesday**

**ORDER EVERY SUNDAY  
USING  
SCHOOL CASH ONLINE**

**PEPPERONI OR CHEESE  
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Please tell your child you  
purchased pizza for them!  
Pick up pizza in the first  
20 minutes of lunch in  
the main foyer and no refunds.





## STUDENT SERVICES

### Post-Secondary

#### College Information Program (CIP) - Thursday, October 3rd, 2024

Cambrian's College will be hosting this year's Information Program (CIP) taking place at their Student Life Centre between 6:00pm and 8:00pm on Thursday, October 3rd, 2024.

At the event, you'll get the opportunity to: speak to representatives from Ontario colleges; learn about college programs; meet college representatives; enter to win door prizes; and enjoy free snacks.

#### Ontario University Fair - Saturday, October 5th, and Sunday, October 6th, 2024

One of the largest educational fairs in North America, where students and their supporters may speak with representatives from Ontario universities about programs, campus life and anything else that may help them make a decision about which Ontario university to choose is happening soon! Learn more at - <https://www.ouevents.ca/ouf/>

#### Laurentian University - Fall Open House - Saturday, October 26th, 2024

Laurentian University's Fall Open House will provide students with a number of opportunities including - engaging workshops and sample lectures, networking with student leaders in various programs, visiting the beautiful campus, and meeting and greeting opportunities with professors and alumni. Learn more at by visiting the school's website - <https://laurentian.ca/open-house/fall>

#### Cambrian College - Fall Open House - Saturday, November 9th, 2024

Talk to staff and program experts, explore career options, tour the campus and residence buildings, enter to win prizes ... and ultimately see if Cambrian is where you want to make your dream career a reality! Learn more by visiting the college's website - <https://cambriancollege.ca/events/fall-open-house>

### Scholarships

Fall is a busy time for National Scholarships. Students are encouraged to visit the Google Classroom (Class of 2025 - join Code: 4irx57v).

#### Belk National Scholarship

The Belk Scholarship recognizes students with records of outstanding academic and personal impact. These are students who lead the way, embrace challenge and change, and galvanize their peers to action. Students who are interested in the scholarship are asked to complete the Student Activity Sheet and submit the completed form to Guidance no later than Monday, September 30th, 2024.

#### LOARN Scholarship

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/>

#### Schulich Leader Scholarship

Schulich Leader Scholarships are Canada's most coveted undergraduate STEM scholarships. One hundred are awarded to entrepreneurial-minded high school graduates enrolling in a Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics program at 20 partner universities across Canada. Half are valued at \$120,000 for engineering scholarships and half are valued at \$100,000 for science and mathematics scholarships. Every high school in Canada can nominate one graduating student each year to apply for the scholarship. 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 Wednesday, October 30th, 2024, to Student Services.





## STUDENT SERVICES

### Enrichment

#### SHAD Canada

SHAD gives Grade 10 and 11 students a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to grow their mindset, collaborate in a university classroom with youth across the country (and internationally), and build community change maker capabilities using #STEAM4Good to make an impact. Spend the month of July exploring the world of STEAM and entrepreneurship through exciting lectures, experiential workshops, team-building activities, and a design project that inspires students to tackle real-world problems. Learn more and register at <https://www.shad.ca/shadoncampus/>

#### Young Playwrights Circle Begins - Monday, September 30th, 2024

YES, Theatre is pleased to announce their newest educational program, the Young Playwrights Circle, led by Young Company Stage Manager and Education Coordinator Sarah Millier. This new program is designed for aspiring writers and students in Grades 9 - 12. The 9-week program will take place on Monday evenings, beginning on Monday, September 30th, 2024 and running until Monday, November 25th, 2024. Over the 9-weeks, the group of 8 - 10 students will build and develop their skills in the art of playwriting through creative, thought-provoking, and collaborative writing exercises that examine all of the elements of playwriting and how these elements can be shaped to create a piece written for the stage. Students will work both independently and collaboratively to create a first draft of their play and an excerpt that can be performed in a staged reading at the end of the 9-weeks. Additional information can be found on the Student Services Google Classroom.

### Volunteer Opportunities

#### St. Joseph's Continuing Care Centre

St. Joseph's Continuing Care Centre has a number of great student volunteer programs that high school students would benefit from. Students will learn and grow their knowledge in the hospital setting while gaining future beneficial connections, all while collecting their high school volunteer hours. Students who are interested or who would like to learn more are asked to contact Alison Antonio at 705-674-2846 ext. 1150 or by email at [aantonio@sjsudbury.com](mailto:aantonio@sjsudbury.com)

#### Dynamic Earth - Pumpkinferno

Pumpkinferno is back and is looking for volunteers to help. Join Dynamic Earth for the month of October for frightfully exciting activities, treats, and definitely a few tricks. Apply early at [careers@sciencenorth.ca](mailto:careers@sciencenorth.ca).





# Cancer Drive Merchandise

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# Join us!

# level up!

Unlock your future  
in the skilled trades

Everyone is  
welcome.

## Level Up! Career Fair Open House

**Wednesday, October 2, 2024 | 3 pm to 7:30 pm**

### Sudbury Community Arena

240 Elgin Street, Sudbury

Hosted by the *Ministry of Labour, Immigration, Training and Skills Development*, this exciting and interactive career fair brings together job-ready organizations, unions, colleges, and industry employers to help students unlock a possible future in the trades.

**Bring your children to explore a variety of career options, meet workers in exciting fields, and enjoy hands-on demonstrations.**



## NEXT WEEK'S CALENDAR AT A GLANCE...

Mr. Watson, our school Social Worker, will be at Lockerby Composite School next week and Ms. Fox-Recollet, our school Indigenous Support Worker, will be at Lockerby Composite School on Wednesday and Thursday.

Monday, September 30th

- **Truth and Reconciliation Day**

Tuesday, October 1st

- Cancer Drive Motivational Assembly

Wednesday, October 2nd

- #FatBearWeek2024 Begins
- Level-Up Career Fair

Thursday, October 3rd

Friday, October 4th



## Monday - Friday in Room 223



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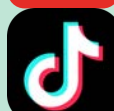
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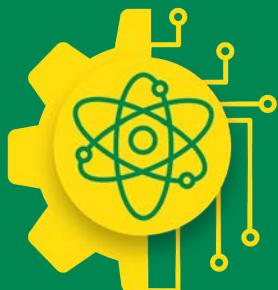
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