WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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

VIKINGS MORNING NEWS

5...4...3...2...1...we've hit the airwaves - Vikings Morning News is now coming to classrooms live each morning! Monday was our inaugural broadcast, and with it, our decades-old morning announcements were retired. The Morning News crew (led by Mr. Jensen) is excited with the new format and have done a terrific job the first week with the pressures of 'live television.' The Viking Community is invited to watch our Vikings Morning News replays on our @lockerbycompositeschool Youtube channel as well as on our website!

STEP FAIR - 2025

STEP Fair season is in full swing! Our Grade 9 STEP students continue to work on their projects ranging from pollen and metal wetland studies, to pH soil tests, to fire safety prototype outfits, to insect navigation and magnetic fields. Stay tuned to future newsletters to find out more!

FOOD AND CULTURE

Students in Mr. Meikleham's Food and Culture class are already in the kitchen! This week, they were working on their sushi creations!

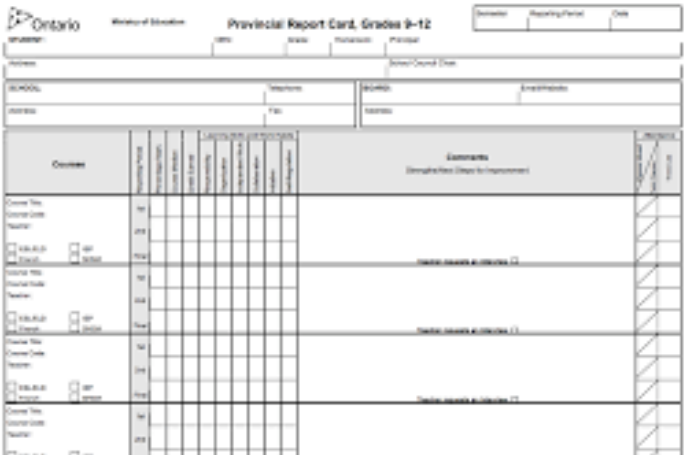
SEMESTER CHANGE - HOUSEKEEPING ITEMS

A few reminders as we begin our second semester:

- Semester 1 equipment / textbooks / materials that were not returned at the end of our first semester are to be brought back to the Main Office - no new items for Semester 2 will be issued to students until all outstanding items have been resolved
- Semester 2 courses started on Monday, February 3rd, 2025
- Semester 2 timetables were distributed on the first day of classes in homerooms
- A reminder that Bell Times remain the same for our second semester
- Students are expected to have arrived at school by 8:10am each morning
- If students are unable to attend school (eg. illness, appointment, etc.), parents/guardians are asked to please contact the school at 705-522-1750, or by email at lockerby_attend_s@rainbowschools.ca to advise of the excused absence

SEMESTER 1 FINAL REPORT CARD

Semester 1 Final Report Cards will be distributed in Homerooms on Friday, February 14th, 2025.



REDUCING ELECTRICITY

Lockerby Composite School's Environmental Council is challenging all Vikings to participate in Rainbow Schools' Monthly Environmental Challenge! This month, our Environmental Council is looking to help fight climate change. Throughout the month of February, our school is looking to save as much electricity as possible: measuring this year's data against the school's average from the previous x4 years! The Rainbow School with the greatest savings will be declared the school board's 'energy beacon!' Let's power down, Vikings! Stay tuned to morning announcements on ways we can reduce our electricity consumption!

PASSPORT TO ADVENTURE

Missed our meeting about the Lockerby Composite Schools' trip to Italy and Greece? No worries! Join us on Google Meet this Thursday, February 13th at 6:30pm in Lockerby's Norse Nook, to get all the details about this exciting adventure. Whether you're dreaming of ancient ruins or Mediterranean sunsets, we'll fill you in on everything you need to know. Have questions? Email Ms. Caddel at caddelv@rainbowschools.ca for more info!

Returned on February 3rd

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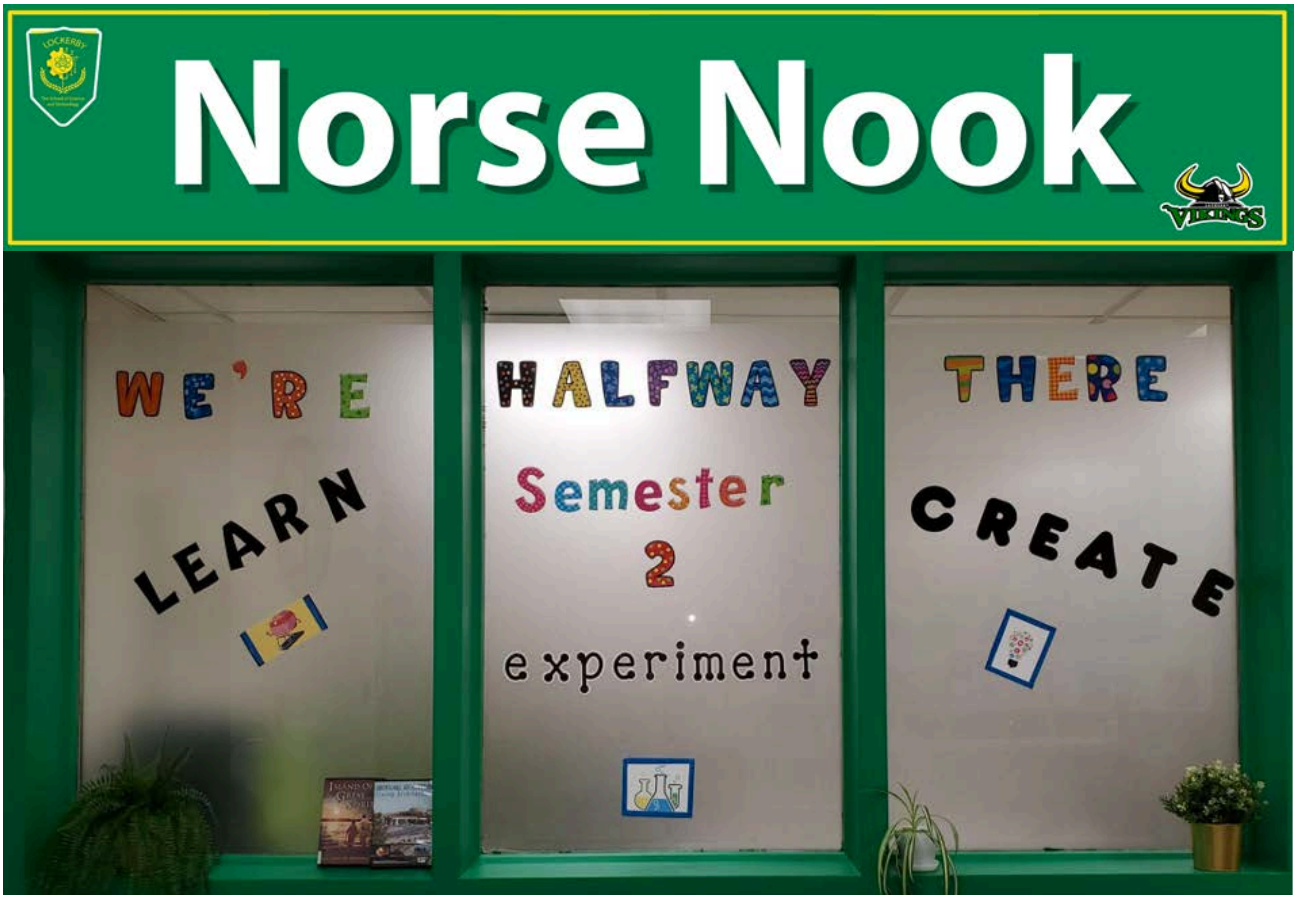
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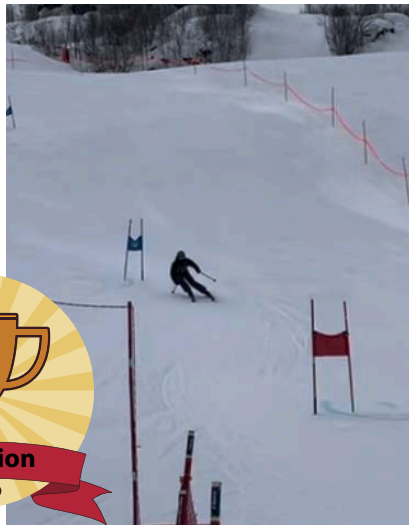
THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Alpine Skiing

On Wednesday, our Alpine Ski team dominated the slopes of Adanac Ski Hill, achieving impressive results and earning the SDSSAA City Championship banners in both the Open Boys and High School Boys Divisions! Ryder C., Mac Y., Cole T., Maks B., and Ethan H., set an early lead for the team, followed by strong performances from Parker D., Caleb C., Eden A., Cam Y., Istvani K,, and Henry W. In the Boys Open Division, Quintin T., Gord F., Tomas C., and Ewan D., also delivered outstanding performances. In the Open Girls Division, Avery G., Lockerby's only female racer, had an impressive finish, placing 3rd overall. The team is now preparing for the NOSSA Regional Championships, scheduled for Wednesday, February 12th, at Mt. Dufour in Elliot Lake.



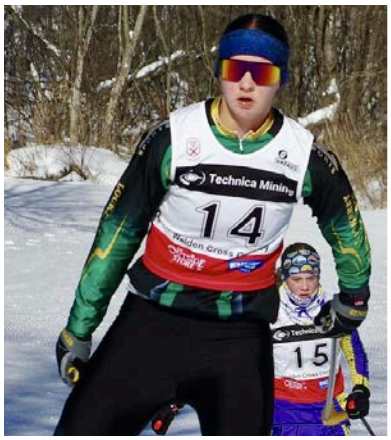
Basketball

Our Junior Boys Basketball team finished with a 1 - 1 record this week. After a dominant 70 - 15 victory over Chelmsford Valley District Composite School, the team came-up just a bit short in their game against Hanmer High School by a score of 67 - 61. In Senior Boys Basketball action, the team dropped their game against Lo-Ellen Park.

THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Nordic Skiing

On Tuesday afternoon, under beautiful sunny skies, the Lockerby Vikings Nordic Ski team took to the trails of Walden Cross Country for the 2025 SDSSAA City Championship, and came away with some hardware! 'Laser' Lea and 'Inferno' Isaac lit up the 7km race, each placing 4th in the Senior High School Division, while 'Mighty' Misaki was on a medal mission and came away with silver in the same race! Meanwhile over 5km, 'Galloping' Gordon, 'Unstoppable' Ewan, and 'Clamoring Cameron' swept gold, silver, and bronze in the Junior High School Division while 'On the Edge' Eden took silver in the Junior Open Division. Those four Junior Boys not only combined to claim the Junior Boys team title, but they also nabbed a come from behind victory in the sprint relay competition! The team is congratulated on a strong showing and we wish them well in their preparation for the NOSSA Regional Championship next week in Sault Ste. Marie.



Hockey

A big congratulations goes out to our Boys Hockey team for their 5 - 4 win against Bishop Carter Secondary School this week! They followed-up that win with another against Champlain Secondary School, beating them by a score of 6 - 1. Well done, Vikings!

THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Spring Sports

The snow may still be on the ground...but...Spring Sports training is beginning soon! This week, our Soccer and Ultimate Frisbee seasons are getting the ball (or frisbee) rolling!

Intramurals

It's been a busy week with lunchtime intramural futsal! FC challenged WolfPack United this past Monday, where the FC trumped their opponents with a score of 7- 1. Fever Pitch also defeated Pitch Predators!

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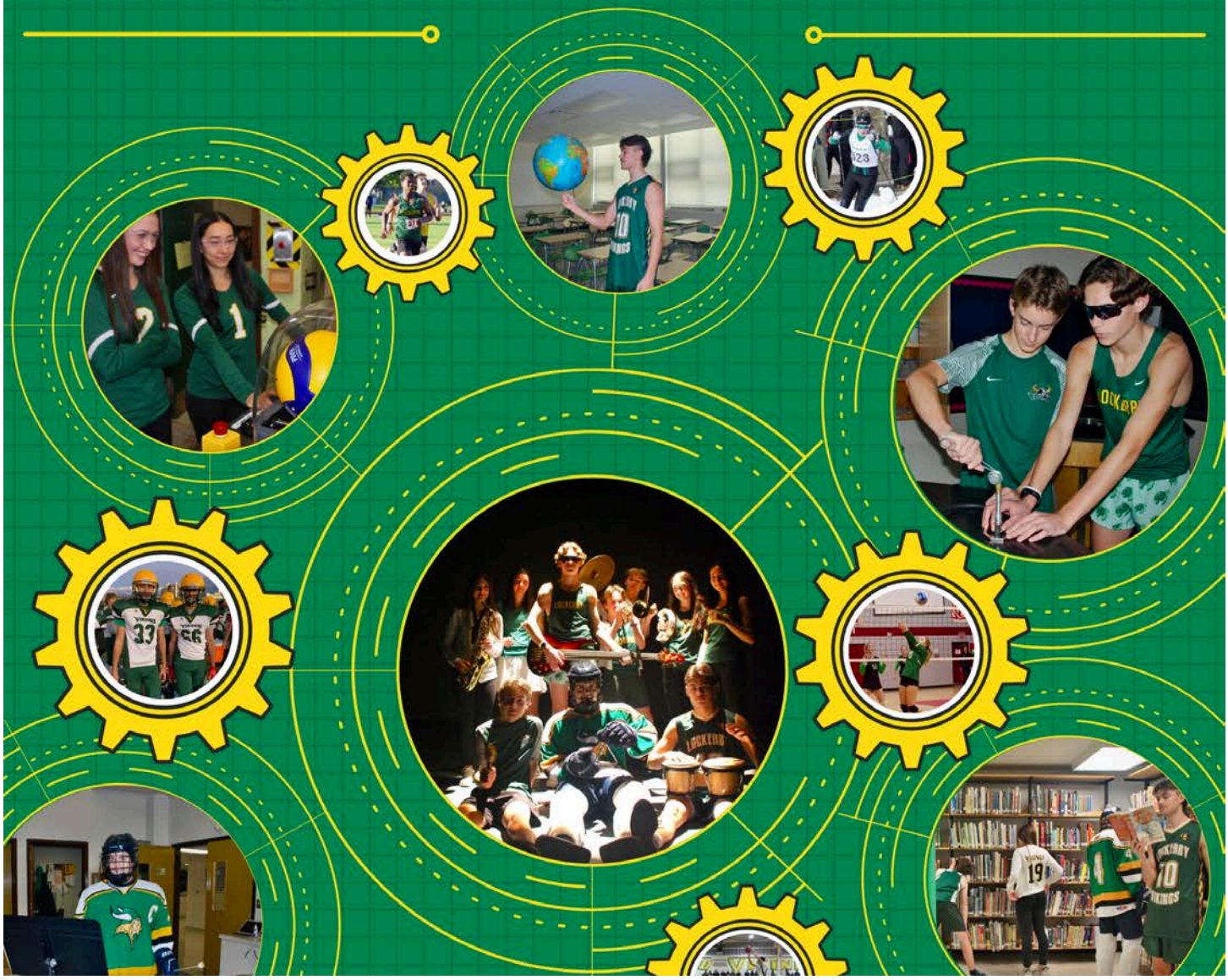
our Vikings put the 'student' in student-athlete



STUDENT SERVICES

Post-Secondary

Post-Secondary Applications
Marks were sent to Ontario colleges and universities on Wednesday, February 5th, 2025. Students are asked to check their OCAS and OUAC accounts to ensure that all of their courses and marks have been transferred. Students should also be checking their individual post-secondary portals (i.e., Cambrian College and/or Laurentian University). Students who are currently completing eLearning should also ensure their courses codes are included in the portal.

Prom - Thursday, June 12th, 2024
This year's Prom will be occurring on Thursday, June 12th, 2025 beginning at 7:00pm. More details will follow in the new year.

Convocation - Monday, June 16th, 2025
Lockerby Composite School's Annual Convocation will take place on Monday, June 16th, 2025. The event will take place in Cambrian College's Gymnasium beginning at 6:00pm.

Community Events

Laurentian University Basketball
On Saturday, February 8th, 2025 Laurentian University is inviting secondary students, staff and their families to experience a free action-packed day of basketball at the Sudbury Arena.

Voyageur Women vs. Queen's University – 1:00 PM
Voyageur Men vs. Queen's University – 3:00 PM
Sudbury Five vs. London Lightning – 7:00 PM

Each ticket provides access to all three games, so let's pack the arena and make some noise! Secondary school students and staff can request their complimentary tickets here: https://forms.gle/kZEqeKZyykVJ35vj7

Enrichment

Summer Company Opportunity
Summer Company is a program designed to support and guide students in launching and running their own businesses over the summer. In addition to training and resources, participants are eligible for a grant of up to $3,000 to assist with start-up costs. Interested students are encouraged to visit the Student Services Google Classroom.

Course Selection (September 2025)

myBlueprint - Course Selection
Students are encouraged to log into myBlueprint to begin the course selection process. Registration for the 2025 - 2026 academic year will begin the week Monday, February 10th, 2025. Sign-in with the following URL - https://myblueprint.ca/. Students who are new to our school board can create an account with the following Activation Key - Lockerbycs. If you have any questions or concerns please see a guidance counsellor.

Grade 8 High School Applications
We are currently accepting registrations and applications from students throughout the Sudbury District who are currently in Grade 8. Please remind your friends and family that applications for STEP Program are due Thursday, March 6th, 2025. Students who would like to learn more about our school and various programs are encouraged to visit our website - https://lockerby.rainbowschools.ca/

Candy Kabobs Sale!

Send a Candy Kabob to your student or staff member for Valentine's Day.
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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, February 10th	• Course Selection
Tuesday, February 11th	• Course Selection • SHSM Carousel for Grade 10 Students
Wednesday, February 12th	• Course Selection
Thursday, February 13th	• Course Selection
Friday, February 14th	• **SEMESTER 1 REPORT CARD DISTRIBUTION** • Course Selection • Candy Kabobs

Monday - Friday in Room 223

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