

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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

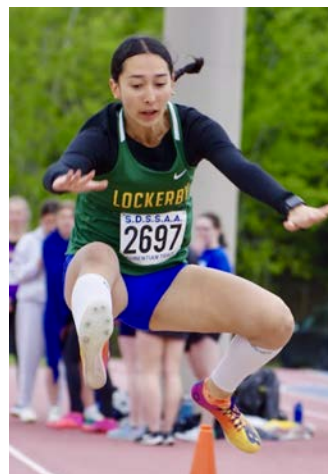


GRADE 10 CANADIAN HISTORY

This week, Grade 10 students explored the impact of the Cold War on Canada, with a special focus on how the building and eventual fall of the Berlin Wall symbolized global tensions and divisions. To bring history to life, the class transformed their learning into a hands-on project - they created graffiti art representing the themes of freedom, division, and unity. These student artworks were then placed on a symbolic 'Berlin Wall' that divided the classroom, helping Vikings better understand the emotional and political significance of this historical era!

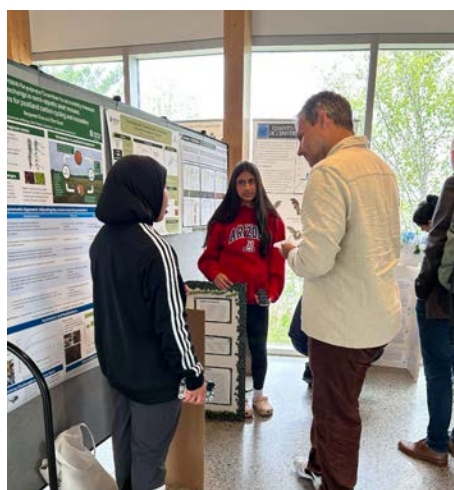
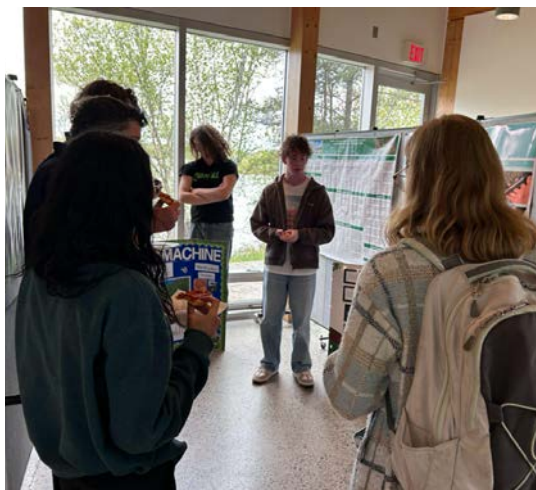
TRACK AND FIELD 'A' CITY CHAMPIONS!

This year, 38 athletes from Lockerby qualified for the NOSSA Regional Championships this coming week in Sault Ste. Marie...and in the process, claimed the City SDSSAA 'A' Championship banner! Leading the qualifiers was Misaki, who qualified in all of her events, including a gold and 2 silvers in the 800m, 400m, and triple jump! With the outstanding performance, she captured the overall female aggregate award! Also, taking home awards include our Junior Boys team! Winners included, Eden, Maks, Matteo, Tomas, Maya, Misaki, Ewan, Parker, Ethan, Jared, Mavis, Rebecca, Ethan, Evan, Brogan, Marcus, Elliot L., Elliot D., Kiersten, Ryder, Gord, Gavin, Isaac, Sarah, Xander, Jax, Maggie, Maddyn, Lila, Maeva, Ashley, Ryland, and Cam! Congratulations, Vikings!



PEATLAND SCIENCE PRESENTATIONS

On Wednesday, a group of STEP students were invited to present the findings of their peatland projects to scientists at the Vale Living with Lakes Centre. The experts were impressed with the poise and depth of knowledge demonstrated by our Vikings! Students discussed pH, metal content, and pollen diversity in cores taken from the peatland restoration site, and linked this to the peatmoss best suited for the site moving forward. Congratulations to our Viking Scientists, and many thanks to the Living with Lakes Centre for hosting us, and providing such a great opportunity for our students!



LOCKERBY RECOGNITION

Rainbow District School Board recognized its schools, employees, and community partners on Tuesday with the presentation of educational awards. Lockerby Composite School staff and students also want to take the time to acknowledge and thank (among others), Ms. Augenstein (Years of Service Award) and Dr. Gerard Courtin (Community Partnership Award) for being wonderful educational ambassadors, proud Vikings, and supporters of our school and community! Lockerby was also recognized as the most environmentally friendly and sustainable school this year and took home the Go Green Globe Award. Congratulations to our Environmental Council (led by Ms. Donato) who were in attendance to accept the award!



GOOD LUCK - SKILLS CANADA

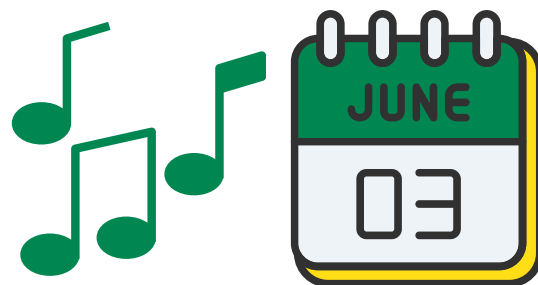
Esohe is heading to Saskatchewan to compete in the Skills Canada competition this weekend, representing Lockerby, Sudbury, and Team Ontario! Esohe finished as the top competitor in her event (Health and Safety) at the Skills Ontario Competition and earned the Rainbow District School Board's 3rd ever gold medal in the process! Good luck on the national stage - we know you'll do a great job!



good luck

SPRING CONCERT 2025

Mark your calendars! Lockerby musicians will be performing on the evening of June 3rd in our Auditorium (more details to follow)! Our concerts are always free to attend, but donations are always accepted at the door and through School Cash Online - [LINK HERE](#).



Eat like a Viking, Play like a Viking is back!

Get ready for another fun lunch hour of EVPV on May 30th.

This year, the activities available are:

- ▶ Tug of War
- ▶ Spike ball
- ▶ Connect four
- ▶ Trivia
- ▶ Horseshoes
- ▶ Face painting

**Purchase hot dogs,
freezies, and pop on the
school's cash online!**

Note: If you would like to purchase a veggie dog, email Mr. Ferri at ferri@rainbowschools.ca.



THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Soccer

Congratulations to the Girls Soccer team who tied Lasalle Secondary School 1 - 1 on Tuesday at the Lancer Dome and defeated Marymount Academy 2 - 0 at James Jerome on Thursday. Great week, Vikings!

After a 5 - 0 win on Monday against Lasalle Secondary School, the Junior Boys Soccer team entered the playoff and on a winning streak and were up to the re-match task, beating the Lancers once again by a score of 3 - 0! Their next playoff game will be played on Monday!



Baseball

The Baseball regular season has come to an end! Our Vikings have battled hard and are now ready for playoff action! Our team plays Notre Dame College on Monday at noon in Quarter-Finals action - good luck!



**Pizza Day
Every
Wednesday**



Rainbow Schools

Sign up today!
An easy way for parents to pay:
School Cash Online

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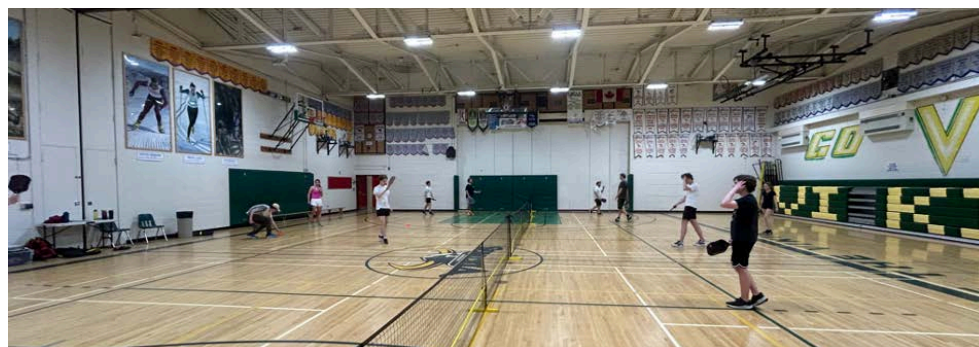
Softball

Softball season is on the horizon! Interested players are asked to see Mr. MacLellan if they'd like to be a part of the team!



Intramural - Pickleball


The Lockerby Pickleball Club held its third session today in the Main Gym after school last week. New players of all skill levels are welcome!



FACES OF LOCKERBY

A message from your Student Council:

Hello Vikings! As in newsletters past, we are always excited to post and share photos of Lockerby students and staff, and sharing their stories, experiences, and insights!



FACES OF LOCKERBY

WHAT GRADE ARE YOU IN?

I am in eleventh grade.

WHAT ARE SOME OF YOUR HOBBIES?

I enjoy playing sports, especially soccer. I also love music and playing the drums.


WHAT ARE YOUR POST-SECONDARY GOALS?

My goals for post-secondary are to continue excelling in my academics at university, while playing Varsity Soccer. I want to be able to balance both sports and studies.

WHAT EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES ARE YOU A PART OF?


I am involved in many extracurricular activities. I'm a part of the Varsity Soccer team, the Wind Ensemble, and the Jazz Combo.



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WHAT IS SOMETHING YOU LIKE AT LOCKERBY?

I adore Lockerby's friendly atmosphere, where everyone feels included. Along with patient and caring teachers who are both fun and engaging.



STUDENT SERVICES

Post-Secondary

University Applications - Important Dates

As of Thursday, May 29th, 2025 every student who has applied to a university program will have received a response from an Ontario university. A response will be either i), an offer, ii) a refusal, or iii) a deferral pending the receipt of specific additional information. By Monday, June 2nd 2025, Ontario universities require a response to an offer and most likely a financial commitment (e.g., registration deposit, residence deposit, etc.). Note that all other admissions-related elements including scholarships, student assistance or financial incentives, and residence are part of the offer of admission.

Students must also log into their OUAC accounts to accept their offers; this is a multi-step process. Students will receive a confirmation number once all of the steps in the process are completed. A video tutorial for online responses is available on the OUAC website. This video demonstrates the steps required to respond to a university offer of admission. (<https://www.ouac.on.ca/ugrad-tutorials/#respond>). When you successfully complete the submission process, you will immediately receive a confirmation number online. You will also receive the confirmation number by email along with a summary of your responses to offers of admission and/or changes to your application information. Important: if you do not immediately receive a confirmation number, your response was not saved. You then must log back into your online application and re-submit your response.

OSAP Applications OSAP - (<https://osap.gov.on.ca>)

Once students have decided on the post-secondary college or university they want to attend, they can then apply for OSAP (if desired). This year, the application form is considered to be more user-friendly! Students with questions linked to OSAP are encouraged to contact the Financial Aid Office of the post-secondary institution they plan to attend.

Aboriginal Secondary School Awards - June 5th, 2025

On Thursday, June 5th, 2025, The United Way Centraide North East Ontario, in partnership with N'Swakamok Native Friendship Center, is hosting the Annual Aboriginal Secondary School Awards for Grade 11 and 12 students. The event will begin at 5:00pm and will welcome hundreds of high school students, parents/guardians, teachers and community members to celebrate the achievements of Aboriginal youth in our communities. Students who self-identify as Indigenous and are currently in Grades 11 or 12 and who would like to attend the event are asked to see Ms. Baggs or Mrs. Beaudry for more information.

Prom - Thursday, June 12th, 2025

This year's prom will be held on Thursday, June 12th, 2025, at Science North. Student Council will be selling tickets from Monday, May 12th, 2025, until Saturday, May 31st, 2025. Tickets are \$85.00 and can be purchased using the School Cash Online.

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 from 6:00pm - 8:00p. Additionally, there will be a rehearsal on Monday, June 16th, 2025, at 9:30am at Cambrian College. Students are reminded to complete the transportation Google Form by the end of next week so appropriate bookings can be completed. Please see the Class of 2025 Google Classroom for additional details.



STUDENT SERVICES

Volunteer Opportunities

Camp Manitou - Summer 2025

Camp Manitou is a non-profit, volunteer-run summer residential camp in the Bay of Islands, 12 kilometres west of Whitefish Falls, Ontario. They are currently looking to recruit high school students for volunteer positions for Summer 2025! They are looking to recruit for the positions of Lifeguards, Counsellors, and Junior Cooks. Please visit <https://manitoucamp.org/> for more information.

Enrichment

McEwen School of Architecture's Summer Camp - July 2025

Curious about a career in architecture? Want to learn more about how the world around you gets designed and built? Interested in a unique pre-university academic experience in Northern Ontario? Archi-North, in association with Laurentian's McEwen School of Architecture, is an opportunity to expand your horizons at Canada's newest school of architecture. With instruction from faculty and recent graduates. English- or French-language sessions, Archi-North is proud to offer a one-of-a-kind introductory experience in architecture, design, drafting and drawing to high school students entering Grades 11 and 12 in September 2025. To learn more, visit the McEwen's website - <https://mcewenarchitecture.ca/programs/archinorth/>.

Parent/Guardian Opportunities

Let's Talk Drugs - Understanding Youth Substance Abuse

Canadian teens report that they try smoking, drinking, and cannabis for the first time as young as age 13, making early education about substance use crucial. Join Rainbow District School Board from 5:00pm to 7:00pm on Monday, June 9th, at Lockerby Composite School to learn how to talk about mental health and substance use with teens in your life. We'll answer your questions and share current evidence-based research from across Canada on substance use. Register by June 1, 2025, at <https://forms.gle/MnGhMSjeEXZMcDaF6>.

RDSB Summer School - Registrations Are Now Available

Rainbow Schools Summer Learning Program will offer new credit eLearning courses, Co-Op, Credit Recovery, and upgrading courses. Courses will run from July 2 - July 31. An additional Co-Op credit in August will run from August 1 - August 22. Students who are interested in registering for Summer School are asked to see Ms. Baggs or Mrs. Beaudry in the Student Services Office. Students can register before Friday, June 20th, 2025. The last day to register for Summer School is Wednesday, July 2nd, 2025, by contacting the Summer School Principal directly at rdsbsummerschool@rainbowschools.ca.

Credit recovery and upgrading courses for the Sudbury area will run in-person at Sudbury Secondary School, in the Adult Education wing. During the first seven days of the program, Period 1 classes will run from 8:00am to 10:30am and Period 2 classes from 10:45am to 1:15pm. Class times change on the eighth day until the end of Summer School. They then run from 8:30am to 10:30am and from 10:45am to 12:45pm.

School Board transportation is not provided for Summer School. Additional information can be found on the Rainbow District School Board's website:

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





Secondary Summer Learning Program

July 2 to July 31, 2025

New Credit eLearning Courses

- eLearning is taught entirely through the Virtual Learning Environment (VLE) in D2L's Brightspace. eLearning is asynchronous, which means students have the flexibility to login and complete work at any time of the day.
- Students should expect to spend approximately five hours per day working on their course. Extensions will NOT be provided for personal vacations where the student is not able to participate in the course. There is no guarantee students will be able to access the VLE outside of Canada.
- Students are permitted to enroll in only ONE summer eLearning course.
- Students should see their guidance counsellor for a complete list of available courses and to register.

Credit Recovery or Upgrading Courses

- Classes will take place in person at Sudbury Secondary School's Adult Day School and are open to students from both public and separate schools.
- Schedule:
 - Period 1: 8 am to 10:30 am
 - Period 2: 10:45 am to 1:15 pm



New Credit Co-op Courses

- July 2 to July 31, 2025 (1 or 2 Credit) | August 1 to August 22, 2025 (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 2025** Classroom. Join using code: l6a5czlz.

Barrydowne College Dual Credit and New Credit Courses



Current and incoming Barrydowne College students can participate in the following learning opportunity, which runs Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from July 2 to July 31:

- Digital Photography Dual Credit from 8:30 am to 11:30 am.
- Students must also be enrolled in another course at Barrydowne which includes Math, English and the OSSLC from 11:30 am to 2:30 pm.

To learn more, contact your school's Guidance Counsellor.



LET'S TALK DRUGS

Understanding Youth
Substance Use:

Spotlight on
Alcohol, Cannabis,
& Nicotine

Canadian teens report that they try smoking, drinking and cannabis for the first time as young as age 13, making early education about substance use crucial.

Join us to learn how to talk about mental health and substance use with teens in your life. We'll answer your questions and share current evidence based research from across Canada on substance use.

Don't miss this free
educational event
for parents/guardians.

Together, we'll discuss:

- Why is it important to talk to my teen about drugs?
 - How can I talk with my teen about drugs?
 - Why do teens try substances?
 - How can drugs affect a teen's developing brain?
- And more!

JOIN US!
Monday, June 9, 2025
5 pm to 7 pm
Lockerby Composite School

Register by June 1, 2025

<https://forms.gle/MnGhMSjeEXZMcDqF6>

This presentation will be livestreamed to
Espanola High School and
Manitoulin Secondary School.

A light meal will be provided.





LOCKERBY
COMPOSITE
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Night Under The Stars

GRADE 12 PROM
TICKETS ARE NOW
ON SALE
SCHOOL CASH ONLINE
\$85 PER TICKET
SALE ENDS
MAY 30, 2025

MACLEOD PUBLIC SCHOOL FUN FAIR LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!

We appreciate your interest in volunteering at our Macleod Fun Fair. We wouldn't be able to pull off this significant fundraiser for our school without help from volunteers like you!

HOW YOU CAN HELP

Please send a message to the email below. We will contact you the week of to let you know where you will be able to help out.

Please also indicate in the email: Your name, number or email, and if you are available the evening of the fun fair (5-8).

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FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL

MONAGHK@RAINBOWSCHOOLS.CA

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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, May 26th

Tuesday, May 27th

Wednesday, May 28th

Thursday, May 29th

- MacLeod Fun Fair

Friday, May 30th

- EVPV at lunch



Monday - Friday in Room 223



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<https://lockerby.rainbowschools.ca>



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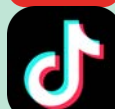
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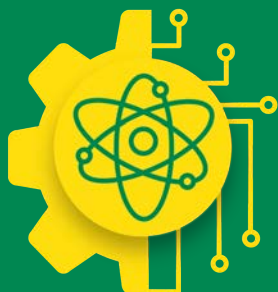
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