

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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



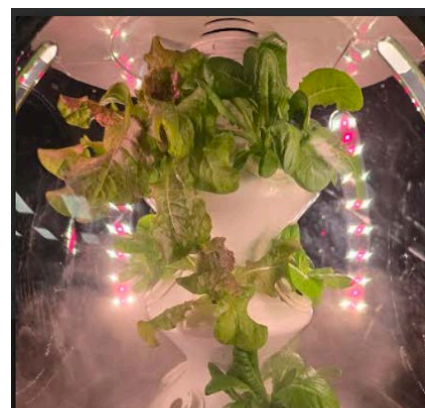
EAT LIKE A VIKING, PLAY LIKE A VIKING (EVPV)!

On Friday at lunch, Vikings participated in the EVPV events in our field! Hot dogs, hamburgers, and freezies were available for purchase and students were able to take part in a variety of activities that included: tug-of-war, Connect-4, horseshoes, spike ball, and baseball. Fun was had by all!



PLANT 'SPACE EGGS'...

'Romaine' calm, 'leaf' the past behind, and 'lettuce' tell you all about the future of agriculture... 'Space Eggs!' Through the Rainbow District School Board's Community Connected Experiential Learning Program and in Partnership with AgScape, Lockerby was able to invest in several Plantaform Hydroponic Smart Indoor Gardens. Using scientific inquiry, students grew five varieties of lettuce to see the effects of different growing conditions on plants. Students investigated fertilizer concentration, salt concentration, light wavelength and even if Junction Creek water has a 'special something' in it that could help plants grow. Students celebrated finishing their experiments with a salad party feast. Surprisingly, Junction Creek water positively impacted plant growth, however, no one was brave enough to taste it!



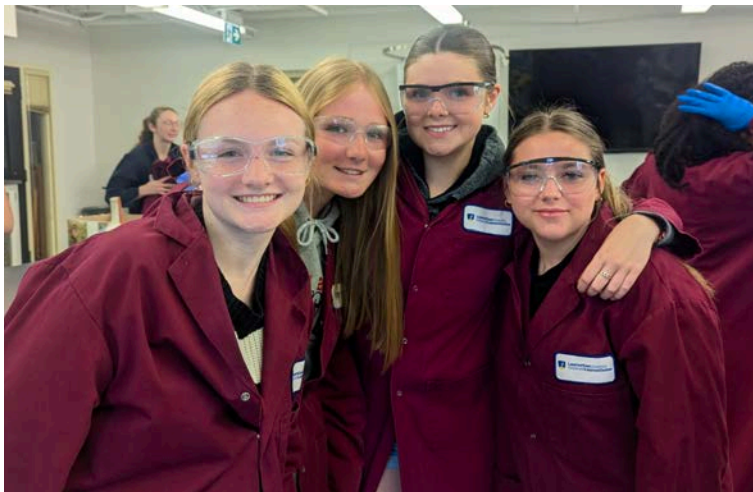
GRADE 10 SCIENCE AT SCIENCE NORTH!

This past Friday, students in Ms. Czerniak's Grade 10 Science class took a field trip to Science North to experience a day of hands-on learning!



HEALTH CARE AND HEALTH WELLNESS AT LOCKERBY

It was a busy week for Health Care and Health and Wellness students at Lockerby! This week students toured the Laurentian University classes and investigated different career options as part of their Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM). Our Vikings also received training in Infection, Prevention and Control (IPAC)!



SKILLS CANADA COMPETITION

It's been a great two days of competition for Esohe, as she competes at in the Skills Canada competition in Saskatchewan! 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!



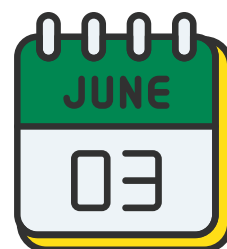
GOOD LUCK AT CANADA-WIDE SCIENCE FAIR

Helia and Eden are headed to New Brunswick to compete in Canada-Wide Science Fair this week, representing Lockerby and the Sudbury Region at the competition! Both Viking Scientists qualified for the national event at the Sudbury Regional Science Fair in April, with Eden taking the 'Best in Show' prize! Good luck on the national stage - we know you'll do a great job!



SPRING CONCERT 2025

Mark your calendars! Lockerby musicians will be performing on the evening of June 3rd at 7:00pm in our Auditorium! Our concerts are always free to attend, but donations are always accepted at the door and through School Cash Online - [LINK HERE](#).



NEWS FROM THE NORSE NOOK

Calling all library books! If you are done reading your books and no longer require them, please return them to the Library. Take the time this weekend to locate your book at home under your bed, in your closet, or sitting on your shelf. If you cannot find your book, please see Ms. Gordon to discuss options for replacement.



**Time to return
the Library
Books.**



CLASS OF 2029

Parents/Guardians of incoming Grade 9 students will soon be receiving their invitation to attend a Virtual Orientation Session on Tuesday, June 10th, 2025 at 7:00pm. A Google Meet link will be forwarded to all parents/guardians and the link will be posted on our website on next week for easy access. Learn about the Viking Community and our students' four-year educational journeys!



FINAL EVALUATIONS

The end of the school year is only a few weeks away, which means that students are preparing for their final culminating activities and examinations. Each course will have different final evaluation(s) depending on its course content. For those courses with an examination, a final schedule will be provided to students next week.



LCS PRIDE WEEK

Lockerby's GSA is planning some fun events for next week! All Vikings are encouraged to participate!

- Tuesday: Pride pins and iron-ons, and rainbow snacks for sale in the Main Foyer
- Wednesday: ride pins and iron-ons, and rainbow snacks for sale in the Main Foyer
- Thursday: Create your own pride-clip crafts in the Main Foyer



'HEART-STOPPING' OUTDOOR LEARNING

This week, our Grade 10 students stepped outside for a 'heart-stopping' lesson! As part of the Circulatory System lesson, Mr. Abols was able to teach and highlight the anatomy of the heart!



PA DAY

The next Professional Activity Day for staff will be held on Friday, June 6th, 2025. There is no school for students on PA Days. To learn about Rainbow District School Board's focus for professional learning, please click [HERE](#).



Stressed?
Want to relax?
 Join others outside on
June 13th to play with
 some furry friends!

**Pizza Day
 Every
 Wednesday**



Sign up today!

An easy way for parents to pay:
 School Cash Online

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THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

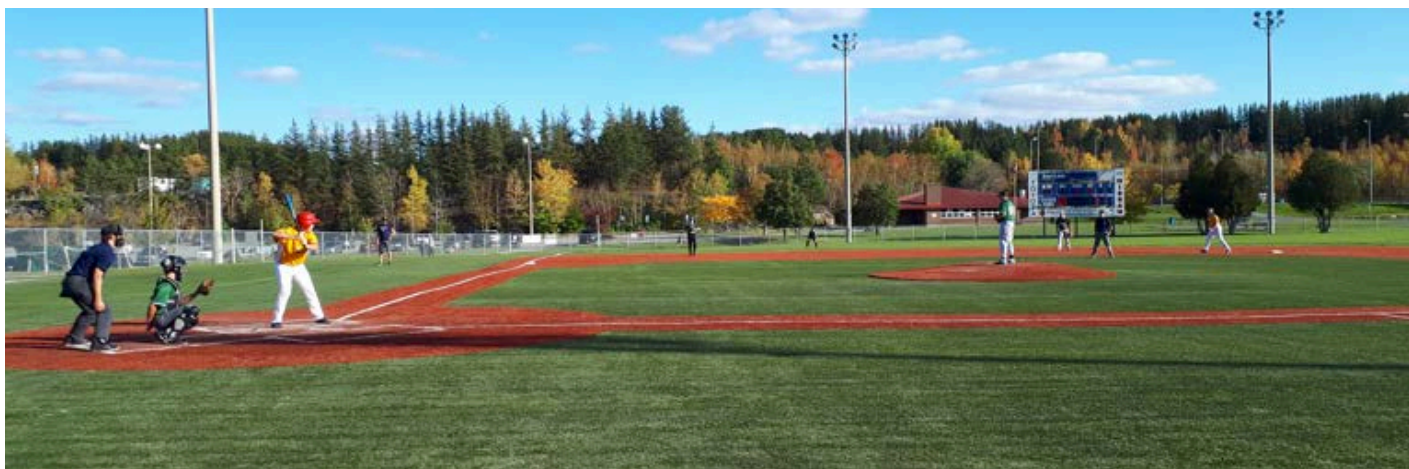
Soccer

After a stellar Semi-Finals victory against St. Benedict's Secondary School on Tuesday, the Junior Boys Soccer team played in the SDSSAA City Championship Final against Lo-Ellen Park. After a hard-fought game, the team lost the tilt by a score of 3 - 0, and earned the silver medal. The season, however, is not over, as the team will be competing in the NOSSA 'A' Regional Championships in North Bay on Friday!



Baseball

Despite our Vikings Baseball team battling hard all year, they were unable to come up with a Quarter-Finals victory on Monday, and fell to Notre Dame College - kudos on a great season!



THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Track and Field

The NOSSA Regional Track and Field Championships, held this week in Sault Ste. Marie (with pole vault events occurring in Sudbury), showcased remarkable Lockerby talent and fierce competition! With 38 athletes competing over two days, the Vikings pushed their limits and achieved remarkable performances, often resulting in multiple first, second, and third place finishes! Advancing to OFSAA next week are Kiersten A., Gavan B., Matteo C., Ewan D., Gord F., Jared F., Ethan H., Evan H., Marcus L., Sarah M., Ryland W., and Cameron Y.



THIS WEEK IN VIKING ATHLETICS...

Softball

On Monday, Lockerby's Girls Softball team took part in the annual SDSSAA City Championship Softball Tournament. The team had a great showing and put-up 15 runs over x3 games against St Benedict's High School, Lasalle Secondary School, and MacDonald Cartier High School.



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

LUCIUS SCHOENGEN

 I am a grade 9 student.

 What are your favourite after school activities?

My favourite after school activities are theater and singing.

 What are your secondary goals?

I plan to do well in school and in band. I am interested in joining Students' Council.

 Any fun facts about you?

I can hyperextend my arms, and I do a lot of theater.

I have a dog named Reinhart.



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.

GRADE 12 WEEK

JUNE 9-13

MONDAY



**SENIOR
SIGN OFF**



TUESDAY

**UNIVERSITY/
COLLEGE/
CAREER
MERCH DAY**



WEDNESDAY



**SHIRT
SIGNING +
FREEZIES IN
THE FOYER**

THURSDAY



PROM

FRIDAY



**SCHOOL WIDE
VIKE WEAR DAY
MAGICAL PET PAWS @ LUNCH**



LOCKERBY
COMPOSITE
SCHOOL

Night Under The Stars

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



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.





Dental screening is a quick and easy way to find out how your child's teeth are doing. A registered dental hygienist will take a quick look at the teeth, identify concerns, and provide guidance and suggestions.

School PA Day screening date:

9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

- Friday, January 31, 2025
- Monday, March 31, 2025
- Friday, June 6, 2025

Location:

Public Health Sudbury & Districts,
1300 Paris Street, Sudbury

- Drop in. No appointment necessary.
- Wear a mask.
- Stay home if you are sick.

Who is eligible for screening:

- ✓ children and youth 17 and under who do not have dental insurance and/or cannot afford dental care

We can help you:

- ✓ find out if you qualify for dental financial assistance programs

For more information,
call 705.522.9200, ext. 236
(toll-free 1.866.522.9200).

October 2024

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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, June 2nd

- LCS Pride Week

Tuesday, June 3rd

- Spring Concert at 7:00pm

Wednesday, June 4th

Thursday, June 5th

Friday, June 6th

- PA DAY



Monday - Friday in Room 223



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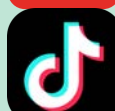
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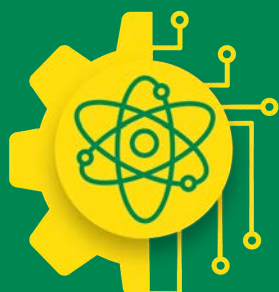
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THE SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY HOME TO 'STEP'

