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Principal: Mr. Aaron Canfield
Vice Principal: Mrs. Pam Newman

Parents/Guardians,

Welcome to May! Thank you to the parents and families that connected with homeroom teachers for Student Led Conferences on April 26th & 27th. Many discussions were had around current student academic progress and course selections for the next school year. With two months left in the school year there is still much work to be completed at all grade levels. It was great to see the large number of our parents connected to our online Edsby Parent Portal.

The students will be very busy during the months of May and June. It will be very important to follow the school calendar to know of the many events, activities, and trips our Bishop Lloyd students will be involved as we move through Term 4.

2023-2024 BLMS Registration Links were emailed to all parents of our current grade 7 & 8 students through Edsby in April. We ask all parents to complete the forms to help facilitate planning, preparation and course selections for the 2023-2024 school year. Homeroom teachers will be reaching out to parents/students who have not completed the registration process for the 2023-2024 school year.

Planning has started for our Bishop Lloyd Middle School Achievement Day and the Grade 9 Celebration which is scheduled for June 14th. Parents and students will receive an email from homeroom teachers sharing the official format and invitations in the next week. Information will be shared in this newsletter and on Bishop Lloyd's Facebook Page as well.

Our next School Community Council Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 23 at 7:00 pm. The meeting will be held in the Bishop Lloyd library. It will be our final SCC meeting of the 2022-2023 school year with a focus on SCC Elections to set our SCC Executive Committee for the 2023-2024 school year. We are looking to fill several Members at Large positions.

Thank you.

Principal Aaron Canfield

LANCER PRIDE

Each month, teachers select a student from their homeroom to be that month's PRIDE winner. These students demonstrate an improvement in their efforts and ability in all the areas of PRIDE: Positivity, Respect, Involvement, Determination, and Excellence

7-1	Kenzie P
7-2	Habiba K.
7-3	Brock G.
7-4	Diya K.
7-5	Sklyar L

8-1	Heath S.
8-2	Reese L.
8-3	Robi Z.
8-4	Tennille O.
8-5	McKenzie M.
8-6	Grady N.

9-1	Lauryn H.
9-2	AxI L.
9-3	Peyton M
9-4	Brittyn J.
9-5	Sophia I.

PRIDE- Respect

Our students will be engaging in Pitch in Week, over the upcoming days as a way to contribute to the community and demonstrate respect for our community. During Pitch in Week, our students will head outside to both our school yard and surrounding neighborhood to ensure that garbage is being cleaned up. Pitch in Week is a valuable time to reaffirm with students that we are all responsible for taking care of our community. Teachers will sign their class up for an area of our immediate surroundings in which their homeroom will be responsible for. Our grade 9 teachers have offered to organize this activity.

Thank you to our staff and students for making this initiative a priority at Bishop Lloyd Middle School. Thanks to our grade 9 HR teachers for organizing Pitch in Week at BLMS this spring.

Important Dates

- May 8th- Grade 8 band trip
- May 9th -Bishop Lloyd Track
- May 10th- Early Dismissal
- May 16th- Funky Footwear
- · May 17th-Disenchanted Musical
- May 18th-City Track Meet
- May 19th, May 22nd- No School
- May 22-24th-Land Based Leadership Camp
- May 23-District Track / SCC Meeting 7Pm
- · May 25th-School Dance @ Bishop Lloyd
- · May 25th Rock, Paper, Scissors Tournament
- May 30th- Spring Band Concert 7pm @Vic Juba

LANCER ATHLETICS

Huge congratulations go out to Emily, Tanishka, Jory and Lindsay for winning gold at NWHSAA Badminton districts. Go Lancers!



Golf

Coaches: Mr. Rawluk Ms. Bollum Meeting will be held Monday, May 8th for any students that are interested.



Track & Field

All track meets will be held at Lloydminster Comprehensive High School Bishop Lloyd School Meet - Tuesday May 9th (9:30am-3:00pm)
City Track Meet - Wednesday May 17th (3000m & Hurdles 5:00pm-8:00pm)
City Track Meet - Thursday May 18th (all other events 9:30am-5:00pm)
District Track - Tuesday May 23rd will be held In Meadow Lake

Spirit Squad News

In April our Spirit Squad was fortunate to attend the Horizons Leadership Conference at LCHS. We listened to motivational speakers, Jeff A.D. Martin and Levi Stanford.

This month we had Plaid Day, Decades Day, Pastel Colour Day, and Hat Day.

Congratulations to the 7.5, 8.3, and 9.1 classes who won the Chocolate Easter Egg contest! Thank you to all classes who submitted their guesses.

Upcoming Events in May: Tuesday May 16 - Funky Footwear Day Wednesday May 17 - Anything but a Backpack Day Thursday May 18 - Tacky Tourist Day Friday May 25 - ROCK PAPER SCISSOR CHAMPIONSHIP





The BLMS awards ceremony and grade 9
Farewell will be held Wednesday, June 14th.
The awards ceremony will be hosted in the gym and will begin at 9 AM. Parents of award winners will be contacted. The grade 9 farewell will begin at approximately 11:30 with lunch in the gym followed by a short program and time outdoors to take photos and enjoy ice cream treats. Grade 9 parents are all welcome to join us for lunch. Please plan to join us to celebrate our Lancers.

LANCER GEAR



Bishop Lloyd Lancer gear can be ordered online and delivered direct to your home!

See the link below for the Bishop Lloyd catalogue which features a variety of clothing for men, women, and youth.

https://bishoplloyd.entripyshops.com/

Student Late & Absences

If you are aware that your child will be late or not in school on any given day, please contact the office at 780-875-6239 or email **katherine.luchynski@lpsd.ca** or **Carolyn.tichkowsky@lpsd.ca**

If a student is leaving early they must sign out at the office before doing so. If a student is late they must also sign in at the office otherwise that may result in a unnecessary call home.

Thank you

Bishop Lloyd Breakfast Program

Bishop Lloyd offers a FREE breakfast program daily! We would like to say a special thank you to the Breakfast Club of Canada for their sponsorship and setting us up with the Toonies for Tummies local programing. As well as, to the PC Children's Charity for their grant money that we received this year.

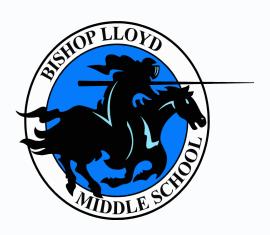
Breakfast is available daily between 8:00 - 8:20 from the servery. There are a variety of food items served that align with Canada's Food Guide.

If you would like to make a donation to our Breakfast Program please contact Krista Coish by email at krista.coish@lpsd.ca

BLMS BAND

BLMS Grade 7-9 Band Concert will take place on the evening of May 30th, 2023 at the Vic Juba. The specific details will be shared in the coming weeks.





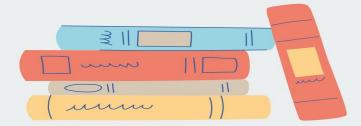
Lancer Library

April was a busy month of spring cleaning in the Lancer Library. Books with low circulation have been weeded to make room for the new book purchases made throughout this year. These weeded books will be offered to students, for free, until May 18th.

Stay tuned to announcements and, if you have Instagram, follow @lancerlibrary to stay up to date on what is happening in the Library!

Mrs. Smith, Library Technician

what does library spring cleaning mean for you? free books!!



BLMS Easter Trip

Miss O'Grady, Mrs. Newman, Mr.Maze, and Mr Fry accompanied 26 students to Montreal, Ottawa Quebec City over Easter break. While on the trip the students got to learn a lot about history, culture and traveling. Highlights from the trip La Grande roué (Ferris wheel) in Montreal, the Science Center in Montreal, the sugar shack and plains of Abraham interactive exhibit in Quebec City. The war museum, the History Museum, and the National Art Gallery in Ottawa, all of the amazing food. Our tour director Arsen, the teachers dominance in laser tag and of course, our beloved bus driver, Daniel. The students were amazing representatives of Bishop Lloyd and demonstrated true lancer Pride!













SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
30	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	Grade 8 Band Trip	9 Bishop Lloyd Track &Field	Early Dismissal ¹⁰	11	12	13
14	Grade7 Band Trip	16 Funky Foot wear	Disenchanted Musical Anything but a back pack day	18 City Track Meet	No School	20
21	22 Victoria Day No School	23 SCC Meeting 7PM District Track meet @ Meadow Lake	24	25 School Dance Rock Paper Scissors Tournament	26	27
28	29	30 Spring Band Concert 7pm @Vic Juba	31	1	2	3

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The Land-Based Cultural Leadership program would like to thank the Lloydminster and District Fish and Game Association for donation of fishing gear!

Thank you!!