

JANUARY NEWSLETTER



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Happy New Year! I hope the holiday break was enjoyable for everyone and that you were able to bring in the new year with friends and family.

We are excited to be back and in classes as we have entered the last 3 weeks of Term 2. On February 1st, students and staff will transition into Term 3 classes. Students will have a switch in their I.A. and Home Ec. classes. The majority of our Grade 9 students will transition from Science to Social classes or vice versa. It is important for parents and students to be connected to Edsby to receive up-to-date information on class assessments, marks, and due dates. Please know that the Term 2 Report Cards will be posted in Edsby for parent and student access on Friday, February 2, 2024.

With the winter weather arriving, it is important that students have proper clothing at school that protects them from the elements. Proper clothing is needed for Phys. Ed classes to engage in outdoor activities such as cross-country skiing, skating, and snowshoeing. Proper clothing is needed for riding the school bus to and from school or on field trips.

Parents, please know that an online Mental Health and Wellbeing Parent/ Caregiver Survey will be shared through Edsby. We ask that all of our parents/caregivers take the time to access and complete the 3-minute survey. The purpose of this survey is to inform the work of the 2023-24 LPSD Mental Health and Wellbeing Plan.

The next School Community Council Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 18th at 7:00 pm. I encourage parents to make time in their schedule to attend. A reminder that the meetings will be held in person in the Bishop Lloyd Library. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Aaron Canfield
Principal

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. Congratulations to our November winners!

7-1 Sofia W. 7-2 Mason A. 7-3 Dominic M. 7-4 Nicholas C. 7-5 Elijah L.	8-1 Lana A. 8-2 Nathan F. 8-3 Nathan P. 8-4 Ava S. 8-5 Ryden C.	9-1 Ayyan S. 9-2 Tayah W. 9-3 Tyler P. 9-4 Nicholas B. 9-5 Jaelyn R. 9-6 Liam R.
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LANCER LIBRARY

Happy New Year!

Later this month we have Saskatchewan Family Literacy Week and Family Literacy Day in Canada.

Celebrate 25 years of Family Literacy Day on January 27. This year's theme is Let's have A Family Party!

On January 26 or 27 at 9:30AM (MST), join Saskatchewan author Khodi Dill for a free online reading and question-and-answer time for the book "Welcome to the Cypher". You'll hear more about why Khodi wrote this book, and about how you can use spoken word to express yourself, from a very young age. When you sign up you are also entered to win a copy of the book! If you haven't already, you can sign up here:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FLD-Cypher>

More fun family learning activities can be found at FamilyLiteracyDay.ca.

Thank you!

Mrs. Smith, Library Technician



Celebrate 25 years of *Family Literacy Day* and learning together as a family by having a party!

FamilyLiteracyDay.ca

#FamilyLiteracyDay



Lancer Athletics



B Boys Basketball Update:

The Bishop Lloyd B Boys Basketball Team consists of 30 players. Practices run Tuesdays over the lunch hour with league games scheduled on Thursdays after school. Our roster for league games changes from week to week as we have a 30 player roster. We only dress 15 players per game. Players are informed on Tuesdays after practice of the roster for the Thursday game. It is important that players attend practices on a weekly basis as commitment and dedication are important. On top of the league games, we are actively looking for a tournament to enter the team into. Once we register in a tournament, we will share the dates and location with players and families. Attached is the League Schedule.

Thursday January 11st			
Bishop Lloyd	@	Holy Rosary	4:00 pm
Thursday January 18th			
E.S. Laird	@	Bishop Lloyd	4:00 pm
Thursday January 25th			
Bishop Lloyd	vs	College Park	4:00 pm
Thursday February 1st			
Bishop Lloyd	vs	Holy Rosary	4:00 pm
Thursday February 8th (Play Offs)			
1st	vs	2nd	
3rd	vs	4th	



Bishop Lloyd Curling

School curling runs every Thursday from 3:45-5:00 at the curling rink. Students need comfy pants (non-jeans) and a clean change of shoes. All skill levels are welcome. A team will be chosen at the end of the season to go to playoffs. See Miss O'Grady or Mrs. O'Connor with questions.

School Ski Trip

Our school ski trip for grades 7 and 8 has been rescheduled. Please take note of the new dates below. Additional details and information will be sent home soon.

- February 1st: Grade 7
- February 8th: Grade 8
- January 19th: Grade 9

Student Lates and Absences

In the event that your child will be arriving late or absent from school, we kindly request that you notify the office promptly at 780-875-6239, or via email at either katherine.luchynski@lpsd.ca or Carolyn.tichkowsky@lpsd.ca. You may also report absences through Edsby.

For early departures, students must sign out at the office before leaving the premises. Similarly, in cases of tardiness, students must sign in at the office to avoid unnecessary calls home.

Thank you for your cooperation.



If you have any questions
Please contact the Office!
780-875-6239

HAVE YOU ACTIVATED YOUR PARENT EDSBY ACCOUNT?

Edsby is a great way to:

- contact your child teacher
- Enter absences
- Receive info about school news and events

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/>

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.

Breakfast is available daily between 8:00 - 8:20 from the serverly. 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



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Sunday	Monday	Tue.Sday	Wedne.Sday	ThursDay	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 LCHS Barons Football Meeting @12:30	11	12	13
14	15	16	17 Lancer Color Day Early Dismissal	18 SOC Meeting 7PM School Dance @ College Park	19 Grade 9 Ski Trip	20
21	22	23	24	25	26 Grade 9 Midterm	27
28	29 Grade 9 Midterm	30	31 PD Day No School			