

community LKCS CONNECT school

A Newsletter for the Community of Lambton-Kent Composite School

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From the Principal...J. Keane

Hello Everyone!

Semester 1 is behind us and changes are in place for both staff and students for Semester 2. The students have four new classes, and with these come fresh opportunities to demonstrate their best effort and move forward on their educational path. All students planning to return next year will soon select courses for 2019-2020 using 'My Blueprint' (www.myblueprint.ca). All students and their parents/guardians should check out this site to see what programs and possible destinations are available based upon course choices. Students in Grade 12 may be considering offers from College or University or putting plans in place to enter the Workforce or Apprentices Programs. We are confident that whatever path a student chooses, the knowledge and skills acquired at LKCS will lead to even greater opportunities.

We have some staff changes to acknowledge; Mr. Schleihau has transferred to Northern after being a Cardinal for 25 years (including his stint here as a student). Mrs. Poppe has also taken a position at Northern in a long-term occasional capacity. We wish both of them all the best at their new location. Joining our staff is Mrs. DeBrouwer, who is teaching math and science, and Mrs. Wood, who joins us in a long-term occasional position teaching Biology and Green Industries. Welcome to the Cardinal's Nest!! Winter sports teams - Girls Volleyball, Boys Basketball, Boys Hockey, and Boys and Girls Curling - will be wrapping up their regular seasons and gearing up for playoffs. We are confident our student athletes will show great Cardinal Pride against their opponents. The Spring Season will be upon us soon and with that comes more opportunities to participate, represent the school, and create memories that will last a lifetime. Student Council is busy planning activities to keep the students engaged in school life outside the classroom and we look forward to events to demonstrate our Cardinal Pride.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding your daughter or son's achievement from Semester 1, please contact the teacher or the school office. Semester 2 always seems to go by quickly, so please help your student stay on top of things and work towards having a successful semester. To find out what is happening at LKCS, please check out our website, <http://www.lkdsb.net/school/LKCS>, or stay up to date on the Twitter (@LKCSPrincipal). Good luck to all during Semester 2!

Important Dates

February

- 1 PD Day
- 4 Semester 2 classes begin
- 5-8 Graduation Photos
- 7 Provincial Report Cards
- 11 Deadline for course changes
- 18 Family Day

March

- 10 Daylight Saving Time (Clocks spring forward)
- 11-15 March Break
- 22 ¼ Term Progress Reports - MarkBook®
- 27 OSSLT
- 28 Parent/Teacher Interviews

April

- 5 PD Day
- 15 Term one ends
- 16 Term two begins
- 19 Good Friday
- 22 Easter Monday
- 26 Provincial Report Cards

May

- 6-10 Education Week
- 7 Full Disclosure
- 11 Alumni Golf Tournament
- 20 Victoria Day
- 24 ¾ Term Progress Reports - MarkBook®

June

- 4 SAA Athletic Banquet
- 6 Year End Assembly
- 7 PD Day
- 5-18 EQAO Math Assessment - Grade 9
- 19 Locker Cleanout, Textbook Check, Library Book Return
- 21-27 Exams
- 27 Commencement
- 28 PD Day

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