

Eye on LPCI Monday, January 30, 2017 Build Character, Build Success January's Character Theme – TEAMWORK

Calendar

JANUARY				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
30 Day 2	31 Day 3	Feb. 1 Day 4	Feb. 2 Day 1	Feb. 3 Day 2
HW-LSR@11:35am	Safe & Caring School Mtg. 7:45am LSR Grade 12 MHF4U1 - Advanced Functions Final Exam Senior Boys B-Ball LPCI @ Northern SS 3:00pm	Farewell & Good Luck Ms. Jovanovic! Staff Meeting-8:35am 1 st Period-9:50am Curling@ Cricket club 3:45-5:15pm Girls Hockey LPCI vs Leaside HS @Leaside Gardens 12:30pm Junior Girls V-Ball LPCI @ Jarvis 3:00pm Senior Girls V-Ball LPCI @ Jarvis 4:15pn Dance Show 7:00pm	Welcome to LPCI Mr. Gorenkoff! Spirit Day Ski Team S.L. Training @Mt.St.Louis/Moonstone 24 HOUR CHALLENG	LL Mtg. @ 11:35am Rm 220 Lawrence Leaders @11:35am E 3:00PM – 3:00PM
FEBRUARY				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6 Day 3	7 Day 4	8 Day 1	9 Day 2	10 Day 3
Curling @St. George's 4-5:30pm School Council Mtg. 7:00-8:30pm	Assembly Day Schedule MADD (Mothers Against Drunk Driving) Swim meet @Monarch Park 3:00pm Boys Hockey LPCI vs Birchmount @Ted Reeve Arena 2:30pm Senior Boys B-Ball East York @LPCI 3:30pm	PLC Meeting -8:35am 1 st Period-9:50am Girls Hockey LPCI vs. Malvern @Ted Reeve Arena 1:30pm	Report Cards Distribution in Home Form @2:55pm Semi-Formal 8:00-10:00pm Curling @ High Park 4-5:30pm Ski Team S.L.Race @Mt.St.Louis/Moonstone	Indoor Track & Field Meet @ Sacred Heart 1:30pm

Upcoming Events

For specific sports schedules and locations check http://www.tdsb.on.ca/sports/sports.aspx .



Timelines for submissions

Your weekly submissions to the Eye should be e-mailed by Tuesday at noon to Tina Smilis.

One of the penalties for refusing to participate in politics is that you end up being governed by your inferiors. **-Plato**

For Community

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1) Math Contests (attachment 1)

To all Math students and parents, if you would like to register and participate in the Math contest(s), please see attachment.

2) TDSB Semester TWO Night School

Registration is now open and closes on Tuesday, February 7, 2017. Classes begin the week of February 13, 2017. For more information: <u>www.creditprograms.ca</u>

3) 2017/18 LPCI Course Selection

Students returning to LPCI will have an opportunity to submit their course requests via <u>https://www.myblueprint.ca/</u> from January 20, 2017 until February 3, 2017. Guidance counsellors will visit grade 9, 10 & 11 students on two occasions during this period to discuss the course selection process. A copy of the myblueprint course selection printout, once it is signed by a parent/guardian and the electives ranked and alternate courses indicated, will need to be submitted to homeform teachers on or before February 10. Complete information and resources are available under the Guidance section of the LPCI website. <u>http://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/lawrenceparkci/Guidance/CourseSelection2016-17.aspx</u>

4) OCAS Application Deadline is February 1

Students who are applying to Ontario Colleges must do so through the Ontario Colleges Application Service (**OCAS**) (<u>www.ontariocolleges.ca</u>). Complete and pay for your application on or before February 1 in order to receive equal consideration for admission to programs beginning the following September.

5) PLAR (Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition)

PLAR is a process whereby active TDSB day school or Continuing Education students may obtain credits toward their OSSD for knowledge and skills that they have acquired outside of the classroom. Students' prior learning is assessed and evaluated to determine whether they have met the provincial curriculum expectations as outlined in specific ministry curriculum policy documents.

Students who are interested in challenging a credit through PLAR that PARENT(S) / GUARDIAN(S) / CAREGIVER(S) AND STUDENT MUST ATTEND THE MANDATORY INFORMATION SESSION: Monday, February 6, 2017 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. (Doors open for registration at 6:00 p.m.) Earl Haig Secondary School, Auditorium 100 Princess Avenue, Toronto

More information is available from the Guidance office.

6) Grade 12 MHF4U1 – Advanced Functions Final Exam

The Grade 12 MHF4U1 - Advanced Functions Final Exam will take place on Tuesday, January 31, 2017, Day 3. Please be advised that this is a FINAL EXAM. Students are to be excused from their period 1 and 2, Block B &A classes on January 31, 2017, Day 3.

7) Acadia University Visit

Acadia University will be visiting LPCI on Tuesday, February 14 at 11:30am in room 102. Please come by to say "hello!" to Jessica, Enrolment Advisor for Acadia University. Jessica will be here to answer any questions you have and will be offering on-the-spot admissions (please bring a copy of your credit counselling summary) with the application fee waived. It's not too late for admission and a scholarship review to Acadia University!

Located in beautiful Wolfville, Nova Scotia, Acadia University has specialized in providing a premium, high-quality, high-engagement undergraduate experience for students from across Canada and over 60 countries around the world. For the last 25 consecutive years, Maclean's has ranked Acadia in the top five undergraduate universities in Canada, placing it in the top three 20 times. Acadia University is consistently the highest ranked primarily undergraduate institution in Nova Scotia.

8) Dance Show 2017

Do you remember Britney Spears, Soulja Boy, Backstreet Boys or Run DMC? Then you'll love this year's dance show!!! Dancing through the decades is a blast from the past that you won't want to miss. It's all taking place Wednesday, February 1st at 7 pm in the auditorium. Proceeds will go to 'Out of the Cold'. Get your tickets now on School Cash Online for \$12 or at the door for \$15. See you there!

9) School Council Workshops (attachment 2)

Each year the Parent and Community Engagement Office provides a workshop across the system to support the important work of School Council. Please see the flyer attached for more information.

10) The 24 Hour Challenge

The 24 Hour Challenge will be held on February 2nd and 3rd at LP. During the event, students will participate in various games and activities at the school. We would ask that teachers try not to schedule major assignments or evaluations on those days. Many thanks to our sponsors and staff for their contributions, including Mr. Bartha, Mr. Bibla, Ms. Daigle, Mr. Fischer, Mr. Hunnisett, Ms. Khan, Ms. Melhuish, Ms. Papanicolaou, Ted, and Ms. Whyte.

11) School Cash Online (attachment 3)

Attached are the instructions on how to register for School Cash Online that was sent out at the beginning of the school year. Parents wishing to register should visit <u>http://tdsb.schoolcashonline.com</u>. If you have questions or issues, please contact the School Cash Online Parent Help Desk at 1-866-961-1803 and/or <u>parenthelp@schoolcashonline.com</u>. The Parent Help Desk is available to assist parents/guardians with the registration process, password recovery, accessing your account or payment issues.

12) Mathematical Minds: What's math got to do with it? (attachment 4)

On Monday, February 6th 2017 from 7 - 9 pm in the LPCI Library, the LPCI School Council and Mr. Ho, LPCI math department leader, invite parents, teachers and students to learn why patterns, conjecture, creativity and problem solving matter! Professors Jane Heffernan and Hongmei Zhu from York University will share their experience teaching math and how they use mathematical modelling for public health, medicine and finance.

13) Community Service opportunities

Are you looking for Community Service opportunities? If so, Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital has an upcoming March Break Camp that offers students the opportunity to work directly with children with disabilities. Students can earn all 40 community service hours through this enriching experience. Visit hollandbloorview.ca/volunteer for more information. Apply by February 1st.

14) Prestigious Scholarship Deadline Extensions to Monday Feb 6 at 3:30

UWO - Western University's National Scholarship Program

National Scholarships are designed to recognize all-round excellence. They are awarded on the basis of outstanding academic performance to candidates who demonstrate ability for creative and innovative thought and a passion for the pursuit of learning. National Scholarships also recognize exceptional achievement in extracurricular activities such as the arts and athletics. A special emphasis is placed on a candidate's commitment to community service through ongoing contributions to school and community life. Applicants require a minimum overall academic average of 90% on all Grade 12U/M courses.

LPCI is able to nominate up to **4** students for the National Scholarship Program. A Full Draft application is to be submitted.

LPCI deadline: Monday Feb 6th @3:30

Nominee's on-line National Scholarship application and all supporting documentation must be submitted to UWO by the February 14, 2017 deadline.

Schulich Leaders Scholarship

LPCI will nominate 1 candidate for this prestigious award

Launched in 2012, this \$100 million scholarship fund provides 50 undergraduate scholarships each year, across top Canadian universities.

Nominees must possess at least two of three criteria:

Academic excellence, Outstanding community, business or entrepreneurial leadership, Financial need

Nominees must be enrolling in a Science, Technology, Engineering or Math (STEM) degree at one of Schulich's partner universities.

Application requires:

Universities where the Nominee wants to attend (must match Schulich list)

List of top three achievements (academic or other)

600 word essay demonstrating why they would make a great Schulich Leader

Optional 250 word essay to outline extenuating circumstances

Two letters of reference (at least one from a school staff member)

The LPCI deadline for draft applications for the Schulich Leaders Scholarship is now **Monday Feb 6th @3:30** Provide a draft of all components of the application, print&deliver or email the application with your notification of intention to apply to the scholarship to <u>mark.fischer@tdsb.on.ca</u>.

http://www.schulichleaders.com/about-scholarship