Lord Asquith School Rewsletter



TO EMPOWER A COMMUNITY OF LEARNERS

BY PURSUING SUCCESS FOR ALL

January 15, 2019: Rumber 5

Principal's Message

Congratulations are in order!!



What an exciting start to the new year at LAS! Ms. Mason is the proud momma to an adorable little boy, Boston Lennon Campbell, born on January 8, 2019. Welcome to the world, Boston!

While Jen is home enjoying her new little one, we are happy to have Ms. Taylor

Rucks on staff. She will be covering PreKindergarten and some Middle Years' Social Studies and Science classes.



to our team!

Congratulations, Jen and welcome aboard, Taylor!

YOU MAKE MISTAKES

Because if you are making mistakes, THEN YOU ARE: making new things, TRYING NEW THINGS, learning, living, PUSHING YOURSELF,

> changing yourself, CHANGING YOUR WORLD.

> > Neil Yaiman

Leanne Gruending





A special 'Thank You' to Scott and Earle Woodside for their generous donation towards the purchase of a complete set of basketball jerseys for the Senior Girls Basketball team! Your donation is greatly appreciated!!!

Academics

January 2019 Final Exam Schedule



Time	Grade	Wednesday, Jan. 23 rd	Thursday, Jan. 24 th	Friday, Jan. 25 th	Monday, Jan 28 th
9:00 am	Grade 10	Math AP 10	ELA A 10		
90 °	Grade 11		Math FD 20	ELA 20	Physical Science 20
	Grade 12	ELA A 30	Math FD 30	Pre-Cal 30	History 30
Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1:00pm	Grade 10				
	Grade 11	Math Workplace and Apprenticeship 20	History 20		1 537
	Grade 12	Math Workplace and Apprenticeship 30 Departmental		8	

Register Now!

Registration for New Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten Students for the Fall of 2019 Please call 329-4331





Students presently registered in Pre-Kindergarten (Age 4) are already registered.

Allergy Aware

At Lord Asquith School we do not allow anything with peanuts or any kind of tree nut at school. Thank you for keeping our children with life threatening allergies safe.



SPOTLIGHT ON STAFF



Heather Braun - 10-12 ELA and 9-12 History

Following a lifelong love for literature, I entered my education career in 2006 with the hopes that I would be able to introduce students to great books and then talk about them FOREVER! Over the years, this passion has also grown in writing, and one of the best parts of my day is listening to students share their words and ideas with each other.

When I'm not teaching, I love reading, spending time with my family at the cabin, and cheering on the Blue Jays...a task which has taught me a lot about resiliency. I also love to travel, which took me to England in 2008 where I spent the year teaching English Language and Literature to grades 6-9. During this time, I was fortunate enough to explore Europe and gain experiences

which are often regaled during "story time" in the classroom. This love for travel has also bled into my career as I have been a part of both the school based and community based travel clubs. These times with students have been some of my fondest as together we are able to explore the world and all it has to offer.

For the last ten years, it has been my great privilege to teach at LAS and I look forward to many more to come.

Crystal Haugrud (Mrs. H)-Educational Associate

I have been involved with Lord Asquith School for many years. I graduated from LAS, so did my 3 boys, and I have been an Educational Associate at LAS for 18 years. I love working with children and seeing the joy on their faces when something finally makes sense. It is a passion of mine to be the best that I can be in working with kids. I love tackling new ideas and I'm quick to jump in and help when needed. In my spare time, I like to read, play games and do puzzles.

I have lived in Asquith for 28 years with my husband, Doug. Our children and 2 grandchildren now live in Calgary, Alberta. I have volunteered on many sports boards in Asquith and I have also been a coach at LAS. I'm the manager of the Asquith Housing Authority, which keeps me busy in the evenings.



Fun Fact about me is that I'm related to Ivan Pavlov, the Russian Physiologist who won a Nobel Prize in 1904 but is best known for his work in classical conditioning. Ivan would be my Dad's grandfather's brother, which is very cool.



Hi, let me introduce myself: I am **Karen Addley**. I have been a teacher for 30 years, and it is a profession I love. I have been married for over 30 years, and have three grown sons. I'm a Grandma to one grandson - Isaac, and we are expecting another grandchild to arrive in June.

I believe it is important to never stop learning. A few years ago I obtained my Masters of Education in the areas of Social and Ecological Justice. It was a lot of work doing this while teaching full

time, so I am very proud of this accomplishment. Recently, I obtained my certificate for Teaching English as an Additional Language.

My teaching philosophy is simple -- "Life is an Adventure-Let's Explore Together." I want to get kids curious about everything. I want them to ask good critical questions, and learn to explore and investigate their environment.

When I am not at school you can find me fishing at Dore Lake, quilting or playing with my new puppy.

One thing you may not know about me is that I am a preacher's daughter and that when I was in Kindergarten I lived in Churchill, Manitoba, in a house that did not have an indoor toilet.



Breakfast Clubs of Canada

It's that time of year again when we ask students to bring grocery items to help curb the costs of the Breakfast Program. Please have your child give the following donations to their classroom teacher:

Pre-Kindergarten – any nut-free cereal (plain Cheerios, Rice Krispies, etc...)

Kindergarten – 1 pkg (400 count) napkins

Grade One – any nut-free cereal (plain Cheerios, Rice Krispies, etc...)

Grade Two – large jar of jam

Grade Three – brown sugar

Grade Four – 1 pkg (400 count) napkins

Grade Five – (200) baking cups and 2L bottle of pancake syrup

Grade Six – large bag of chocolate chips (1 kg)

Grade 7 - 2 L tub of margarine or 1 pkg (400 count) napkins

Grade 8 – 1 box of disposable gloves

Grade 9 – Cheez Whiz

Grade 10 – 2 L tub of margarine

Grade 11 – 2 L jug of canola oil

Grade 12 – 1 bag of pancake mix



All donations are greatly appreciated!!

Show your LAS SCHOOL PRIDE!!!

LAS now has its own online clothing website available to you 24/7 at:

http://lordasquithschool.entripyshops.com.

You are free to customize your own clothing through the website to make sure you get the style, logo and colours you want, delivered right to you!

The school will be receiving a 10% rebate from every item sold through our shop, which will go to supporting

athletic programming at LAS!

Thank you for supporting LAS Athletics









Nothing has changed much in the past month due to Christmas. To date, we have collected 90% of our fees for the 2018/19 academic year. That leaves us with 10% left to collect! We know the Grade 1/2s have 100% of their fees paid already. Many other classes are close behind with only 1-2 students left to pay. With only 15 families (22 students) remaining, I

would really like to have this collected by the end of January and have this task completed at the office. Reminder letters are being sent out weekly.

Mrs. Rousell, Administrative Assistant



Mini Pizzas

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Fresh Vegi's

Our Booth's menu offers a variety of hot foods and healthy snacks for our students' grumbling tummies. Items range from \$.50-\$2.50.

Fruit

Grilled Cheese

Yogurt

and much more...



Hot Meal News....

Hot Meal for the month of January will be held on Tuesday, January 22nd and will

Hot Lunch Program

feature homemade Turkey Noodle Soup w/bun, Brownie, Fruit and your choice of water/juice/chocolate milk/white milk, all for \$5.00. Order forms are due by <u>January 17th</u>.

If you are able to give a few hours a month to help prepare and serve a hot lunch to our staff and students, it would be greatly appreciated!



Please contact the school for further information.

Extracurricular and Athletics



Basketball at LAS

Basketball is in full swing here at LAS, beginning with the Jr. Boys and Girls hosting WCMS on January 15th after school and the Jr. Boys HOME Tournament on Saturday, January 26th. The Seniors are busy as well going to various tournaments and games. The next Seniors' game at LAS will be the Sr. Girls hosting Delisle on January 31st. See you there!!!



Other News:



School and Community Council

The next meeting of the School and Community Council (SCC) w. CANCELLED _ay evening, January 15th, at 6:30 p.m. All community members and parents are welcome and encouraged to attend. If interested, please attend.

Upcoming SCC Meeting

Dates: February 12, March 19, April 16, May 7 and June 18.

If you have any suggestions or questions, the SCC can

be contacted via email: asquithscc@gmail.com.

ALL ARE WELCOME!!!



2018/19 Lifetouch School Photo Dates

Grade 12 Grad Photo Date: Wednesday, February 6, 2018

Grad Retake Date: By appointment only.

Call Saskatoon Office @ 306-956-3040.



Please mark these dates in your calendars!!

Division News:



Spare and Regular Bus Drivers needed in your community

A Prairie Spirit Bus Driver:

- Receives free training; licensing fees covered
- Could take their young child along on route
- · Enjoys daily contact with students
- Supports the local community

Please contact the Prairie Spirit Bus Garage (306) 374-2496 or info@spiritsd.ca for more information about this flexible opportunity.



www.spiritsd.ca

Winner of the Premier's Award for Excellence and Innovation in Education - 2018

RESORIE Music Conference for grades 1-6



RESONATE Music Conference Grades 7-12



Community News:

BABY-BACK RIB NIGHT

HELD AT THE ASQUITH HOTEL
Saturday 19 January 2019
Meal Starts at 7pm.
\$20 per person
Includes 1 Free Drink from the Bar

Karaoke & Door Prizes
COME OUT AND HAVE SOME FUN!!

Event is Hosted by the Asquith Fencing Club
Tickets Available From Doug Brecht (227-5240), The Asquith Hotel and The Asquith
Coop

306-371-6160

Mission: to help you accomplish your goals in health and fitness - whether that's losing weight, putting on muscle, or increasing balance, and everything in between. Sport specific training also available. Contact for pricing and other details!

ONE ON ONE PERSONAL TRAINING OR PARTNER SESSIONS

Location: Lord Asquith School Weight Room

Fitness Training

With Graduated Fitness Technician Evan Stack







The MAD Hatters School for the Performing Arts



At The MAD Hatters, we believe in sharing our passion of music and performance with our students. We build confidence through teamwork and believing in the impossible. Our mission is to dream, create, inspire, learn, and perform through music. We want YOUR child to join our WONDERLAND, where they can be anything they want to be!

Musical theatre is a triple threat of theatrical showmanship consisting of singing, acting, and dancing.

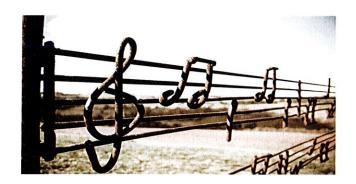
Registrations are being accepted for our second term of musical theatre and private voice/piano lessons.

Classes are Tuesdays in Asquith

5:30 – 7:00 – Junior Musical Theatre

6:30 - 8:00 - Senior Musical Theatre

Please email poitraskelly@yahoo.com to register



ASQUITH GARDE FENCING ACADEMY'S

Musketeers

Junior Fencing Class For ages 4-8



8-class session - \$90.00 Begins January 14th
On Wednesdays 6:15-7:15

@ Rosseel Hall 385 Charles St in Asquith

Contact Nadia Smith @ 241-5295 or jnsmith05@gmail.com
Or Doug Brecht @doug_brecht@yahoo.com

Registrations Accepted At Any Time Throughout The Session

Regular classes for older fencers age 12 to adult will accept registration at any time of the year with classes available 3x/week

ASQUITH GARDE FENCING ACADEMY'S

Vikings

Fencing class for ages 7-12



Spots Available!

January to end of April session @ Rosseel Hall 385 Charles St in Asquith Registrations Accepted At Any Time Throughout The Season Cost: \$150.00

6 pm – 7:30 pm on Wednesdays, 7:30 – 9:00 Mondays Contact Nadia Smith @ (306) 241-5295 or jnsmith05@gmail.com Or Doug Brecht @doug brecht@yahoo.com

Regular classes for older fencers will accept registration at any time of the year with classes running one, two or three times per week.

ASQUITH MINOR HOCKEY DAY

FOLLOWED BY
FAMILY SKATE

AND

CHRISTMAS TREE BURNING

SATURDAY JAN 19TH AT THE RINK

11:30 INITIATION GAME

12:30 NOVICE GAME

2:30 ATOM GAME

4:00-7:00 FREE FAMILY SKATE

5:00 \$5 SUPPER SPECIAL STARTS

6:30 TREE BURNING





FAMILY JUSTICE SERVICES OFFERS A

PARENTING AFTER SEPARATION AND DIVORCE PROGRAM

THESE PUBLIC INFORMATION SESSIONS ARE INTENDED TO HELP PEOPLE WHO ARE CONSIDERING OR MAY BE IN THE SEPARATION/DIVORCE PROCESS.

SESSIONS WILL BE OFFERED IN:

SASKATOON

Saturday, January 5, 2019 – 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 8, 2019 – 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Saturday, January 26, 2019 – 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 2, 2019- 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, February 5, 2019 - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Saturday, February 23, 2019 - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday, March 6 & Thursday, March 7, 2019 - 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Tuesday, March 12, 2019 - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 16, 2019 - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Topics of Discussion:

Options for Resolving Disputes and Stages of Separation and Divorce

Presentation of the various stages, losses, and changes experienced by separating or divorcing couples.

Discussion of the options available for dispute resolution. Information on Child Support Guidelines.

<u>Children's Reaction to Separation/Divorce</u>

Discussion of how children may react at different developmental ages. Video presentation in which children talk about their personal experience of separation and/or divorce.

<u>Challenges to Parenting Post Separation/Divorce</u>

Presentation on changing family structures and roles. Emphasis on communication and keeping children out of the middle of parental conflict. Discussion video.

Registration is <u>mandatory</u>. There is no fee for these sessions. TO REGISTER FOR THESE SESSIONS CALL: Toll-free 1-877-964-5501 or 306-964-4401 in Saskatoon <u>Location</u>: will be advised when you register

CLASSES ARE FOR ADULTS ONLY - NO CHILD CARE IS PROVIDED

Due to allergies we request all facilities remain scent free



Take the Bite Out of Winter

Public Health Services



Frostbite occurs with prolonged exposure or unprotected skin to very cold temperatures.

What to do to prevent frostbite ...

• dress appropriately before going out in cold weather

Signs of frostbite ...

- area is white or grey in colour and cold to touch
- frostbitten part will be numb
- severe frostbite causes tissue damage

What to do if frostbite occurs ...

- apply gentle but firm pressure against the frostbitten part with a warm hand
- provide a hot drink to warm the body all over
- never rub the frostbitten area (rubbing can damage skin)
- seek medical help if serious



Play Safe in the Snow

Public Health Services



Now that the snow is here, children are anxious to go tobogganing and sledding. Serious injuries, even deaths, have occurred among children enjoying these pastimes.

Tips to reduce the risk of injury ...

Snow should be packed but not icy

Long flat slope should be used to slow down the sled

Examine the area to avoid hazards and traffic

Dress warmly

Do not sled head first or standing up

Incline of hill should not be steep

No trailing scarves, mitten cords or loose clothing. Drawstrings on hoods and coats tied securely. Wear a bicycle helmet

Good condition of sled is important – no loose parts, jagged edges or splinters



Dates to Remember:

January 15:

Newsletter #5

SCC Meeting, Cancelled

Jr. Boys/Girls Basketball HOST WCMS

January 16:

Jessica Williams, Author Presentation, 9:00 AM-Noon

Mobile Play Program, 3:30 PM

January 17:

Sr. Boys Basketball @ Delisle

January 18:

Sr. Boys Basketball Tourney @ Martensville

Sr. Girls Basketball Tourney @ Warman

January 19:

Jr. Girls Basketball Tourney @ Perdue

Sr. Boys Basketball Tourney @ Martensville

Sr. Girls Basketball Tourney @ Warman

Minor Hockey Day, Family Skate & Tree Burning @ The Rink Asquith Fencing Rib Night @ The Asquith Hotel, 7:00 PM

January 21:

Sr. Boys Basketball @ LCBI

January 23-28:

High School Exams

January 24:

Jr. Boys Basketball @ Clavet

Jr. Girls Basketball @ Waldheim

January 26:

Jr. Boys HOME Tournament

January 29:

Semester Turn Around/Prep Time - NO SCHOOL

January 30:

First Day of Second Semester

Jr. Boys/Girls Basketball @ Colonsay

January 31:

Dates to Remember

Sr. Girls Basketball HOST Delisle

February 1:

Report Card Day, Grades 9-12

February 1-2:

Sr. Boys Basketball Tourney @ Mistawasis

Sr. Girls Basketball HOME Tournament

February 4:

Jr. Girls Basketball Conferences

February 5:

Jr. Boys Basketball Conferences

Sr. Boys Basketball HOST LCBI

February 6:

Grade 12 Grad Photo Day (Grad Retakes: by appt. only)

Jr. Girls Basketball Conferences

February 6-7:

Resonate Jr. Music Conference @ Bethany College, Hepburn

February 7:

Jr. Boys Basketball Conferences

February 8: Deadline for Newsletter #6

Sr. Boys Basketball Tourney @ Hanley Sr. Girls Basketball Tourney @ Canora

February 9: Jr. Basketball Finals

February 11: Sr. Girls Basketball HOST Dalmeny

February 12: SCC Meeting, 6:30 PM

February 13: Mobile Play Program, 3:30 PM

Sr. Boys Basketball HOST RJC

February 15: Newsletter #6

February 18: Family Day - NO SCHOOL

February 19-22: Winter Break - NO SCHOOL

February 28: Dates to Remember



March 2: Sr. Girls Basketball Tourney @ St. Brieux

March 8: Deadline for Newsletter #7

March 9: Sr. Basketball Conferences

March 11: PD .5/Prep Time .5 - NO SCHOOL

March 15: Newsletter #7

March 15-16: Sr. Basketball Regionals
March 19: SCC Meeting, 6:30 PM

March 22-23: Sr. Basketball Provincials at Saskatoon

March 29: Dates to Remember

April 3-5: Resonate Music Conference @ Beaver Creek, Saskatoon

April 5: Report Card Day, Grades K-12

April 10: Deadline for Newsletter #8

Jr. Badminton Conferences

April 10-11: Student Led Conferences, 4-7 PM

April 11: Sr. Badminton Conferences

April 12: Jr. Badminton Districts at Martensville Athletic Pavilion

April 13: Sr. Badminton Districts at Martensville Athletic Pavilion

April 15: Newsletter #8

April 16: SCC Meeting, 6:30 PM

April 17: SCC Spring Assembly

April 19: Good Friday - NO SCHOOL

April 22: Easter Monday - NO SCHOOL

April 23-26: Easter Break - NO SCHOOL

April 30: Dates to Remember

May 4: Sr. Badminton Regionals at Meadow Lake

May 6-7: SCC Elections

May 7: SCC Meeting, 6:30 PM

May 10: Deadline for Newsletter #9

May 11: Sr. Badminton Provincials at Swift Current

May 15: Newsletter #9

May 17: Prep Time - NO SCHOOL

May 20: Victoria Day - NO SCHOOL

May 21: Day-in-Lieu of SLC's - NO SCHOOL

May 22: Track and Field Conference A at Saskatoon

May 31: Dates to Remember

Track and Field Districts at Saskatoon

June 7-8: Track and Field Provincials at Moose Jaw

June 10: Deadline for Newsletter #10

June 17: Newsletter #10

June 18: SCC Meeting, 6:30 PM

June 20-26: High School Exams

June 25: Last Day of Kindergarten

June 26: Last Day of Classes, Grades 1-12

June 27: Prep Time - NO SCHOOL

June 28: Report Card Day, Grades K-12

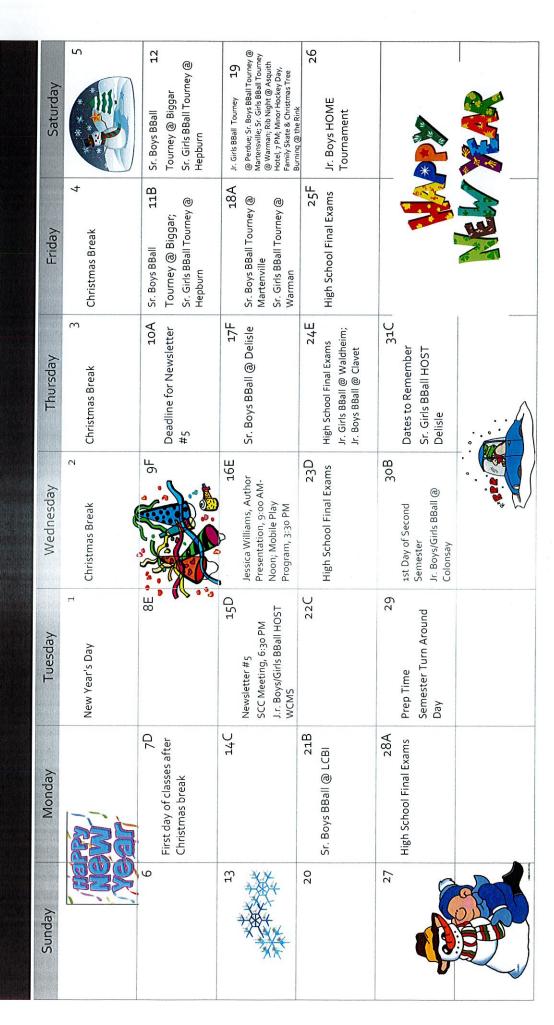


No one can go back in time to change what has happened. So work on your present to make yourself a wonderful future.

Happy New Year.

January





February





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25C First day of classes after Winter break	18 Family Day NO SCHOOL	31.D Sr. Girls Basketball HOST Dalmeny	4E Jr. Girls Basketball Conferences		Monday
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27E	Winter Break NO SCHOOL	13F Mobile Play Program, 3:30 PM; Sr. Boys Basketball HOST RJC	6A Resonate Jr. Music Conference @ Bethany College, Hepburn; Grad Photo Day; Jr. Girls Basketball Conferences	3	Wednesday
28F Dates to Remember	Winter Break NO SCHOOL	14A	7B Resonate Jr. Music Conference @ Bethany College, Hepburn; Jr. Boys Basketball Conferences		Thursday
	Winter Break NO SCHOOL	158 Last day of classes before Winter break Newsletter #6	8C Deadline for Newsletter #6; Sr. Boys Basketball Tourney @ Hanley; Sr. Girls Basketball Tourney @ Canora	Report Card Day, 1D Grades 9-12 Sr. Boys Basketball Tourney @ Mistawasis Sr. Girls Basketball HOME	Friday
	23	16	Jr. Basketball Finals; Sr. Boys Basketball Tourney @ Hanley; Sr. Girls Basketball Tourney @ Canora	2 Sr. Boys Basketball Tourney @ Mistawasis Sr. Girls Basketball HOME	Saturday