

Dr. Martin LeBoldus High School

APRIL 2008



A Message from our Acting Principal, Mr. K. Hammond

Spring:

We all have eagerly awaited the Spring season and now that it has arrived, some students are embracing it more than others. Please remind your sons and daughters of the “appropriate dress” policy (RCSD 9210/7610) in our school division. All members of our community are expected to dress appropriately. Midriff type and bra-type tops, halter tops, spaghetti strap tops, muscle shirts and generally immodest clothing as determined by the administration of the school are not permitted. Thank you for your attention to this issue.

With Spring comes the approach of the end of another school year. As June approaches, it may become more and more difficult for students to focus. It may be hard to stay motivated. It may be hard to keep moving towards a goal that is not quite tangible, yet! There are questions about the Summer, and about the next year, as to what it holds. For the short time left students will, hopefully, be working to the best of their abilities to succeed. Let us encour-

age our kids to work hard to be the best they can be, through the fulfillment of our four principles: appropriate attendance and punctuality, completion of all assignments and projects, preparation for exams, and a positive attitude. Let us, as the school community, encourage and support our students to finish the year strong!

Good Citizens:

LeBoldus students generally conduct themselves with dignity and respect inside and outside the school. Our good neighbours around this school are asking that students who park on the side streets to park in such a manner to keep driveways clear. Secondly, we encourage all kids to deposit their litter in appropriate receptacles. Let's keep our neighborhood environmentally sound.

Next year - Timetables:

At this time of year, we also have our eye on the future and our enthusiasm is growing as we look forward to the new school year. We are busy taking the course selections your sons and daughters have made and we are working towards creating schedules for them all for next year. Students will receive their next year schedules before they leave at the end of June.

Graduates 2008:

We are particularly proud of the many accomplishments of our senior class, and have appreciated their leadership so far this year. Approximately 180 students will be participating in their graduation ceremonies in late June. In recent weeks preparations for graduation has picked up steam, and we are looking forward to a successful closing of the school year. Again, I ask that, as a community of parents, guardians, teachers and administrators, we all endeavour to assist the kids in keeping focused on their goals.

Technology renewal:

This summer our school division will be involved in a technology renewal. All of the current computers in our school will be removed and updated with new ones.

A special thanks goes out to our Regina Catholic Schools Technology Department and the Regina Catholic School Board for their forward planning and budgeting so that our students will have access to the most current technologies to assist in enhancing their education.



CONGRATULATIONS !

*Dr. Martin LeBoldus High School would like to extend
CONGRATULATIONS to CONNOR MALLOY!
Connor has been chosen as Canada's male representative, to represent Saskatchewan, at the Beijing Olympic Youth Camp, held in conjunction with the 2008 Beijing Olympics
Good Luck, Connor!*

We would also like to say
CONGRATULATIONS to CHRISTIAN LEIR.
Christian was chosen to go with the Sea Cadets to train for HMCS Regina. Christian will be gone for seven weeks, traveling to the Far East (China, Japan, Hawaii, South Korea).
Safe Travels, Christian!

HOST FAMILIES NEEDED

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Session 1 - July 3 - 30
or
Session 2 August 4 - 30

Up to \$500.00 per month
Hosting Allowance

If you can't make it to France this summer, consider a bit of France at your home. Fifty-six teenagers from France will spend four weeks

in Saskatchewan, from July 3 - July 30 or August 4 - 30. It's a great opportunity to experience the French language and culture. Why don't you host a Grade 9 - 12 exchange student from France and show them what your community has to offer? They will hang out with your family, friends and relatives and share their culture and many experiences with you. They speak English and want to improve it. They have their own spending money.

NACEL Canada, a non-profit student exchange program, will provide the host family with \$500.00 monthly hosting compensation (depending on the program the student is enrolled in). If your teenager(s) and family would like a unique and rewarding experience this summer **please call Randy or Debra at (306)543-5451 or email: rdurovick@sasktel.net**

Check out our website:

www.nacel.ca

As many of you are already aware, Mr. Dale Reed is away from the school until approximately June 9. He had surgery on April 11. In the interim, Mr. Kelly Hammond has been appointed the Acting Principal, Mr. John Foord, the Acting Vice Principal and Mrs. Debbie Ward, the Athletic Director.

We ask that you keep Mr. Reed in your thoughts and prayers and we wish him a speedy recovery.

ATTENTION

The Professional Development Day scheduled for Friday, April 25, 2008 has been CANCELLED.

There **WILL BE SCHOOL ON FRIDAY, APRIL 25.**

LEBOLDUS ATHLETICS:

Basketball - Senior Girls

Congratulations to our Senior Girls Basketball Team on another outstanding season! The Suns were the two-time defending Provincial Champions when they went to Saskatoon in March to compete for the Gold medal once again. This time the Suns defeated the Regina City Champions from Campbell in the semi-final game but lost in the Championship game to Sheldon. This year marked the sixth time since 1997 that the Suns qualified for the Provincial tournament, coming away with three gold, two silver and a fourth place finish during that time. Thanks to our seniors and best of luck to them as they prepare to graduate!

Hockey:

The Suns Hockey Team captured their second straight high school City Championship with an exciting 3-2 overtime win over the Riffel Royals. This win concluded a very successful season by the team. Great job, guys!

Wrestling:

The LeBoldus Wrestling Team has completed a fantastic year and congratulations is offered to all the competing athletes:

Christian Bishop, Megan Ellis, Iain Jeannotte, Curtis King, Christian Leir, Connor Malloy, Gaelan Malloy, Jordan Power, Samantha Topp, Joe Veitenheimer, Brenton Wirachowsky, Levi Ziegler.

The season closed with City and Provincial Championships.

Our 2008 City Champions were Connor Malloy, 75K Gold, Gaelan Malloy, 66K Bronze, Brenton Wirachowsky-82K Bronze, Levi Ziegler, 58K Bronze. These athletes represented LeBoldus and Regina at Provincials in Saskatoon. They returned from Saskatoon with a Gold - Connor Malloy; Silver - Gaelan Malloy; two Bronze - Brenton Wirachowsky, and Levi Ziegler, an excellent showing! The future is very bright for wrestling at LeBoldus! Special thanks to head coach, Shawn Barry!

Basketball - Senior Boys -

Congratulations on winning the City Championship

Basketball - Junior Girls - semi-finalists

Basketball - Junior Boys - quarter-finalists

Curling - Senior Boys -

Congratulations on winning the Silver medal in the City Championships

Curling - Junior - Quarter-finalists

Curling - Senior Boys

- Brent Flaman, David Haines, Jared Schlechte, Jonathan Llewelyn-Williams - The Senior Boys finished the season with a 6-1 record advancing to the play-off round and finished with a 4-0 record. On February 23 they played in the City Championship and lost to Usher 6-5, winning the silver medal for LeBoldus. Brent Flaman was presented with the Ralph Botkin Award as the League MVP for his outstanding curling this year and for his commitment to the sport.



MARIAN HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF '83 25TH REUNION



We are looking for former staff who may have taught us during our four years at Marian, 1979 - 1983. Did YOU teach us? Please come and celebrate with us. We would love to have you join us! Do you have memorabilia or artifacts from that time that you would like to share with us? What happened to the caps and gowns

and award plaques? We would also like to get information to our former classmates. If you know of anyone who may have gone to school with us, please pass on this contact information.

We are holding our
25th Reunion
on Saturday, August 23, 2008
at the Rugby Club in Regina.

Details are being worked out.

Please contact us at:
(306) 522-7547
bronandkaren@sasktel.net
(Karen Nurkowski, nee Overend)

2008 Parent Conference *"Reshaping Parent Involvement"*

Friday, May 2
 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Saturday, May 3
 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Regina Inn
 1975 Broad Street
 Regina, Saskatchewan

Register prior to April 15 -
 \$75.00 per person
 or
 after April 15 -
 \$90.00 per person.
 Group discounts available.

For details phone (306)955-5723



Congratulations to
Lauren Lavoie

who won second place
 in the Royal Canadian Legion's National
 Remembrance Day Literacy Competition.

Lauren had previously won monetary awards at the
 city, district, and provincial levels. Her poem was
 then selected from several hundred received from
 across Canada.

Pancake Breakfast

Dr. Martin LeBoldus High School
 will be hosting our
11th Annual Pancake Breakfast
on Friday, April 25,
7:00 AM - 8:30 AM.

(Tickets will be available in the office)

The proceeds from this breakfast will go to
 Development and Peace.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS -

April -

- 22 - Staff Meeting Day - Students
Dismissed at 1:00 PM
- 23 - CSCC Meeting - 7:00 PM
- Progress Report #6
- 25 - There WILL BE SCHOOL
- 30 - Band Days

May -

- 1 - 3 - Band Days
- 5 - AP French Exam - PM
- 6 - AP Computer Science Exam -
AM
- AP Spanish Exam - PM
- 7 - AP Calculus Exam - AM

- 8 - AP English Literature Exam -
AM

- 9 - AP Studio Art Exam - PM
- 13 - AP Psychology Exam - PM
- 19 - Victoria Day Holiday
- 20 - Staff Meeting Day - Students
Dismissed at 1:00 PM
- 22 - Progress Report #7
- 25 - Choral Trip - May 25 - 28
- 28 - CSCC Meeting - 7:00 PM

June -

- 1 - Band Concert - 7:00 PM
- 5 - Final Choral Concert
- 10 - Sunsplash
- 11 - Extra-Curricular Awards 7 PM
- 12,13,14 - Drama Production

- 17 - 23 - Course Finalization Days
- 18 - CSCC Meeting - 7:00 PM
- 24-25 - Semester-End Administra
tion - NO SCHOOL FOR
STUDENTS
- 25 - Graduation Mass - 7:00 PM
- 26 - Graduation Exercises 11 AM
Banquet - 6:30 PM / Dance -
Conexus Arts Centre
- 26 - Teachers' Institute
- 27 - Last Day of School for
Students
- Report Card Distribution -
Progress Report #8
- Teachers' Institute