

Dear Families,

It's hard to believe that October has already come and gone - fall seems to have flown by in a flash! As we wrap up a busy month of learning and laughter, we wanted to share a little fun that took place behind the scenes...

During the week of October 20–23, our staff took part in a secret Undercover Spirit Week – yes, spirit days just for the adults! Students had no idea, and it was a joy watching them try to figure out why their teachers seemed just a little extra spirited each day! We've included a few photos in this month's newsletter so you can enjoy the silliness too. We hope they bring a smile to your face!

November is shaping up to be a busy and meaningful month at École Lansdowne:

Our Lansdowne Parent Council Meeting will take place on Monday, November 3 at 6:00 pm - everyone is welcome! Parent Council is a great opportunity to connect with other parents, share ideas and learn more about what's happening around the school.

On **Monday**, **November 10**, the whole school will come together for our **Remembrance Day Assembly**, organized by École Lansdowne leadership students. We are honoured to welcome special guests who will help us reflect on the importance of remembrance and gratitude. If your child is a cadet, please remind them to wear their uniform to our assembly.

École Lansdowne leadership students will also be giving back to the community through volunteer hours at **Winnipeg Harvest Food Bank** later this month - a wonderful example of learning through service and compassion.

Families of Grades 1-8 students will have just received a **Progress Report** from their child's teacher. This may have arrived as a phone call, email, or paper copy sent home. The progress report is a brief check-in to share how students have been doing so far this term in key academic and social areas. Full **report cards**, including detailed assessments and comments, will be sent home on **December 3**. If you did not receive a progress report, please reach out directly to your child's teacher or contact the school.

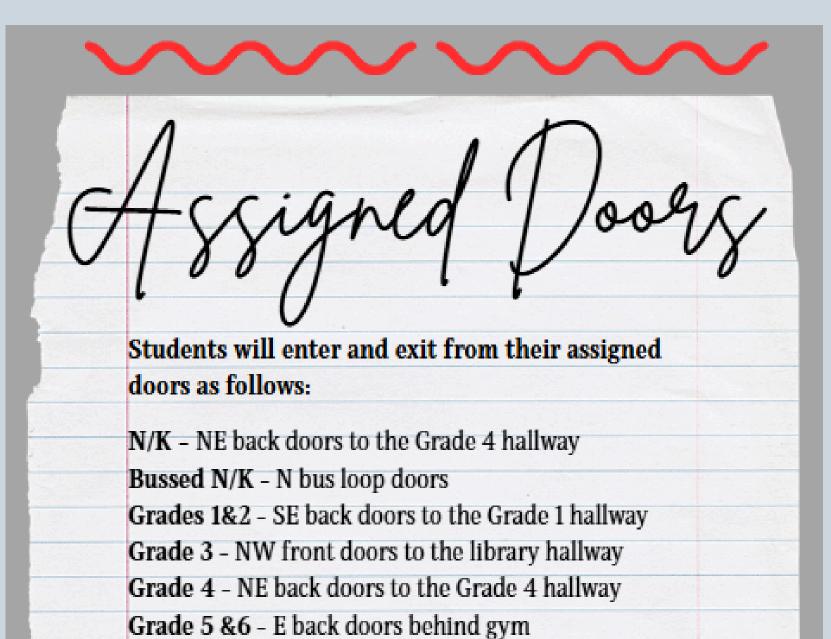
Lastly, we are excited about **Tri-Conferences** happening this month. This is a great opportunity for parents, students and teachers to meet and discuss learning goals and student progress. Conferences will take place on **Thursday, November 20 (evening)** and **Friday, November 21 (morning)**. Please keep an eye on your email for an invitation to book your conference.

Thank you, as always, for your continued partnership and support of Ecole Lansdowne. Together, we make our school a place where students feel seen, supported and inspired to grow.

Warm Regards,

J. Mayor-Rodrigues ~ F. Sheikh





Grade 7&8 - SW front doors on Wiginton (main entrance)

ABSENCES

If your child(ren) will be away from school for any reason, please call SAFE ARRIVAL at 1-855-278-4513 to report the absence.

You may also visit https://go.schoolmessenger.ca or download the app to report the absences.

Absences must be reported <u>before 8:30 am</u> and planned absences may be reported in advance.









LANSDOWNE DAILY SCHEDULE

8:20 am: FIRST BELL RINGS

 Students line up outside, teachers, greet students and walk them to their classrooms

8:25 am: O Canada and Announcements

11:30 am: LUNCH

· Students eat in their classrooms

2:55 pm: FINAL BELL RINGS

 Students line up and are walked to the bus or picked up at their assigned doors

REMINDER

There are **NO MICROWAVES** available, please send lunches that do not require heating.





Tri-Conferences

Thursday, November 20, 2025

3:50 - 7:20 pm

Friday, November 21, 2025

8:30 - 11:00 am

Report Cards Emailed Out

Wednesday, December 3, 2025



L.P.C. Upcoming Meeting Dates



Monday, November 3, 2025 @ 6:00pm Monday, December 8, 2025 @ 6:00pm Monday, January 26, 2026 @ 6:00pm Monday, March 9, 2026 @ 6:00pm Monday, April 20, 2026 @ 6:00pm Monday, May 25, 2026 (AGM) @ 6:00 pm Will meet in the Library



Parent Led Circle

FIRST Wednesday of Every Month!

Nov. 5, Dec.3, Jan. 14 (2nd Wednesday), Feb. 4, Mar. 4, Apr. 8, May. 6

Wednesday, November 5, 2025 topic:
Keeping our Children Safe on the Internet
with Constable Bating (bilingual English/ Tagalog)
Time: 5:30pm to 6:30pm

Wednesday, December 3, 2025 topic:

Picky Eaters and Packed Lunches

with Nutritionist Eliana

Time: 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Location: École Lansdowne Music Room

Free childcare available

Light snacks provided

Led by parents - for parents / caregivers

Feel free to email Winnipeg.lpc@gmail.com if you have any questions



VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE FOR NOVEMBER

All games will start at 4:00pm and end by 6:00pm. Players should arrive 20 minutes before the game starts.

GIRLS

<u>Junior Girls ~ Tier 1 ~ Competitve</u>

Coaches: Mme Ginsburg, Mme Andrea Coach Chris

Monday, Nov 3 ~ game @ Lansdowne
Wednesday, Nov 5 ~ game @ River Heights
Monday, Nov 10 ~ game @ Churchill
Wednesday, Nov 12 ~ game @ Elmwood
Saturday, Nov 15 ~ tournament @ Garden City

<u>Junior Girls ~ Tier 2 ~ Developmental</u>

Coach: Mme Prince

Thursday, Nov 6 ~ game @ Waterford Springs Saturday, Nov 8 - tournament at Sargent Park Thursday, Nov 13 ~ game @ Grant Park

Rides home after games should be ready by 5:40pm

BOYS

<u>Junior Boys ~ Tier 1 ~ Competitve</u>

Coaches: M. Marko, Mme Sandison

Monday, Nov 3 ~ game @ Isaac Newton Wednesday, Nov 5 ~ game @ Lansdowne Monday, Nov 10 ~ game @ Lansdowne Saturday, Nov 8 ~ tournament @ Ness Saturday, Nov 15 ~ tournament @ Maples

<u>Junior Boys ~ Tier 2 ~ Developmental</u>

Coach: M. Bini

Thursday, Nov 6 ~ game @ Lansdowne Thursday, Nov 13 ~ game @ Lansdowne

Playoffs for Competitive teams (Tier 1 -Girls and Boys) is the week Nov 17^{th.} Dates and times TBD

Gear At Glance

NOVEMBER

3 - LPC @ 6:00 PM

- 4 PICTURE RETAKES
- 10 REMEMBRANCE DAY CEREMONY
- 11 NO SCHOOL (REMEMBRANCE DAY)
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- 20 N/K TRI-CONFERENCES (3:00-7:00 PM) 20 - GR 1 -8 TRI-CONFERENCES (4:00-7:00 PM)
- 21 NO SCHOOL (ADMIN DAY)
- 21 TRI-CONFERNCES (8:30-11:00 AM)
- 25-27 HEARING SCREENING
- 28 LANSDOWNE SPIRIT DAY

DECEMBER

- 3 REPORT CARDS GO HOME
- 8 LPC @ 6:00 PM
- 9 N/K WINTER CONCERT (10:00 AM & 1:30 PM)
- **10** GR 1-3 WINTER CONCERT REHEARSAL (12:30 PM)
- **11** GR 1 -3 WINTER CONCERT (12:30 PM & 6:00 PM)
- 19 LAST DAY BEFORE WINTER BREAK ~ LANSDOWNE SPIRIT DAY

JANUARY

- 5 SCHOOL REOPENS
- 19 NO SCHOOL (ADMIN DAY)
- 23 LANSDOWNE SPIRIT DAY
- 26 LPC @ 6:00 PM
- **30** LANSDOWNE SPIRIT DAY

FEBRUARY

- 2 NO SCHOOL (ADMIN DAY)
- **16 -** NO SCHOOL (LOUIS RIEL DAY)
- **17 20** FESTIVAL WEEK
- 19 FESTIVAL DU VOYAGEUR ACTIVITY DAY
- **27** LANSDOWNE SPIRIT DAY

MARCH

- **9 -** LPC @ 6:00 PM
- **20 -** NO SCHOOL (ADMIN DAY)
- **24** GR 4 -6 DRESS REHEARSAL
- 25 REPORT CARDS GO HOME
- **25** GR 4 -6 SPRING CONCERT (12:30 PM & 6:30 PM)
- 27 LAST DAY BEFORE SPRING BREAK ~ LANSDOWNE SPIRIT DAY

APRIL

- 6 SCHOOL REOPENS
- 8 INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PINK
- **10** NO SCHOOL (ADMIN DAY)
- 25 CELEBRATION OF LEARNING (4:00-7:00 PM)
- **20** LPC @ 6:00 PM
- **24** LANSDOWNE SPIRIT DAY

MAY

- 6 BUS RIDERSHIP
- 8 NO SCHOOL (ADMIN DAY)
- **15** WALK-A-THON
- 18 NO SCHOOL (VICTORIA DAY)
- 20 SPORTS BANQUET
- **25** LPC AGM @ 6:00 PM
- **28** GR 7-8 BAND CONCERT @ 6:00
- PM (DRESS REHEARSAL @ 12:30 PM)
- 29 LANSDOWNE SPIRIT DAY

JUNE

- 22 NO SCHOOL (ADMIN DAY)
- 23 GR 8 FAREWELL @ 9:30 AM
- 24 SCHOOL BBQ/PICNIC
- 25 RAIN DATE
- 26 REPORT CARDS GO HOME
- 29 LAST DAY FOR N/K STUDENTS
- 29 LANSDOWNE SPIRIT DAY
- **30** LAST DAY OF SCHOOL (EARLY DISMISSAL @ 10:55 AM)

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