



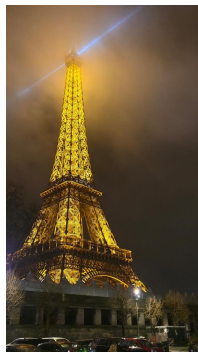
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Lester B. Pearson Newsletter – January 11, 2024

Dear Students, Parents, Guardians and Caregivers,

**Welcome to the first newsletter for 2025. It was a busy week with lots of assessments, final projects and more to follow as we move into scheduled exams and credit recovery. Your child only has to attend for their exams or if requested by a teacher or if they have credit recovery. The first day of Semester 2 is Tuesday, January 28th
Read on:**



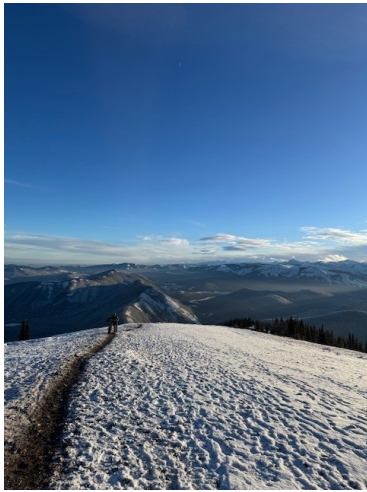
**In case you missed the New Year's Celebrations here is a view from McHugh Bluff and from Paris.
30 seconds of fireworks: https://share.icloud.com/photos/0e6R5iqgvwTmluzM_aJicIPJg**





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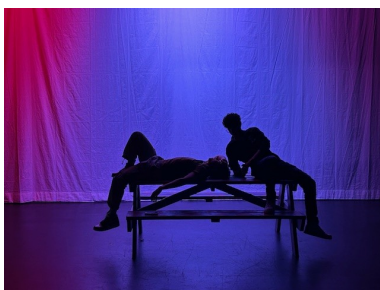
Here are photos from Kimberley courtesy of Mr. Bakos, (and my secret hide away).



Our intrepid Senior Boys defeated Lacombe 83 – 76.



The stalwart Junior Boys dominated in their victory over the Lasers.





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Mr. Mason and the drama students are over the moon with their new scrim. A scrim is a translucent curtain. As you can see it can be used to create amazing lighting effects. Anania and River are good eggs working the games last night.



Animation 10 students showing me how they design, render, and print their own t-shirts. They could go into business!!!



Our ALP students enjoying a game of Beachball Volleyball.



The bibimbap yesterday from the café was delicious. Bibim is Korean for mixing!!! The annual Peter's tradition for our students who go off campus, yum.



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The music, the concert band that was rehearsing involved everyone snapping their fingers. It sounded very cool. I asked Ms. Riben if there was a musical term for this she said yes, we call it Snapping Fingers (LOL). I loved this student studying using a white board. Genius saves paper easy to erase mistakes!!!



The last of the Grade 12 solos. What a joy for Sameer, Grace and Hugo to duet with Gavin, a professional accompanist. It is much harder than it looks.



Mr. Benard and Ms. LaForest testing conversation skills with their FLA students. Some of our proud students in Ms. Mithani's Chem 20 showing off their titration experiment.



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Mr. Bakos testing out his new bike. You can see Calgary lights in the background. Here is a picture of my relatives in Plano Texas just north of Dallas. Climate change they never get snow, and Mr. Longlitz's hockey club.

Save the Date:

Tuesday, January 14th: School Parent Council at 7:30pm

Tuesday, January 28th: First day of Semester 2

Friday, January 31st: Non-Instructional Day – No School



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January Assessment Schedule 2025



January 2025				
Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
6 Regular instructional day Classes resume	7 Regular instructional day ELA and Social 10 / 20 will write final assessment during regular class time	8 Regular instructional day ELA and Social 10 / 20 will write final assessment during regular class time	9 Regular instructional day ELA and Social 10 / 20 will write final assessment during regular class time Science 20 will write final assessment during regular class time.	10 Regular instructional day Last day of classes for Semester 1 Desk migration
13 Science 10 Final (9:00 am – 12:00 pm) MAIN GYM Biology 20 Final (9:00 am – 12:00 pm) AUX GYM Physics 20 (1:00 pm – 4:00 pm) AUX GYM Credit Recover/Demand Tutorial	14 English 30 Diploma Exam Part A 30-1 and 30-2 9:00 am – 12:00 pm (extra time 12:00 – 3:00 pm) MAIN GYM Credit Recover/Demand Tutorial	15 Social 30 Diploma Exam Part A 30-1 9:00 am – 12:00 pm (extra time 12:00 – 3:00 pm) 30-2 9:00 am – 11:30 am (extra time 11:30 am – 2:00 pm) MAIN GYM Credit Recover/Demand Tutorial	16 Final Assessment Conflicts (9:00 am – 12:00 pm) ROOM 2167 Chemistry 20 (1:00 pm – 4:00 pm) AUX GYM Grade 9 Tours 8:30 – 11:30 am Open House 6:00 – 8:00 pm Credit Recover/Demand Tutorial	17 Math 30 Diploma Exam 9:00 am – 12:00 pm (extra time, 12:00 – 3:00 pm) AUX GYM Math 10C (9:00 am – 12:00) MAIN GYM Math 20-1 and 20-2 (1:00 – 3:30 pm) MAIN GYM Credit Recover/Demand Tutorial
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27 Science 30 Diploma Exam 9:00 am – 12:00 pm (extra time 12:00 – 3:00 pm) ROOM 2167	28 First day of Semester 2	29	30	31 Non-Instructional Day

Credit recovery / demand tutorial times will be communicated by teachers throughout the exam period. Opportunities during this time will include: targeted assistance with assignment completion for specific outcomes, targeted support or intervention, targeted re-assessment, as well as Diploma and exam preparation.



Study for exams!!!

Kenneth Chee
Principal