



Lakeland Catholic School Division

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Superintendent's Report - August 2021

First Day of School

Students and staff are back to school for another year. We have new principals and vice principals in many of our schools and are thrilled to welcome them into their new positions.

A full photo gallery from the first few days back is on our website lrcssd.ca.



New Superintendent and Deputy Superintendent

This school year we welcome a new Superintendent, Pamela Guilbault, and Deputy Superintendent, Chantel Axani. Congratulations on your new roles.

Teacher Orientation

Lakeland Catholic welcomed new teachers this year, with some of the latest additions spending August 25 learning about the division and how they can permeate faith in their classrooms. Photos from this day are on our website.

Faith Development Day



Staff took part in Faith Development Day on August 26. The theme this year was Awake My Soul. The day included morning mass, speakers, music, and discussion on the division surrounding faith and the priority of living as a Gospel witness. More photos from the day can be found on our website.



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Literacy Learning with Dr. Georgiou



Dr. George Georgiou and Kristy Dunn spent August 27 presenting to staff about Literacy. The Division is embarking on a three-year literacy initiative to improve literacy learning for students and instructional efficacy.

More photos from this event are on our website.

Community Registration Event

Representatives from Lakeland Catholic set up a booth at the Bonnyville Community Registration Event on September 2. They informed attendees of the wonderful programs our schools have to offer our students and answered questions from parents.

LCSD Student Receives Four-Year Scholarship

École Notre Dame High School's Emmett Croteau has signed a four-year contract with Clarkson University for hockey. The 17-year-old credits his success with his ability to learn online with Lakeland Catholic while playing hockey in the United States. A full news release can be viewed on our website.



Cold Lake Hockey Program

Assumption Jr/Sr High School is once again partnering up with the Cold Lake Jr. B Ice to offer the Cold Lake Hockey Program. Ice Head Coach Scott Hood will be working with players on their skills during on-ice sessions. Registration for the program is still be accepted.

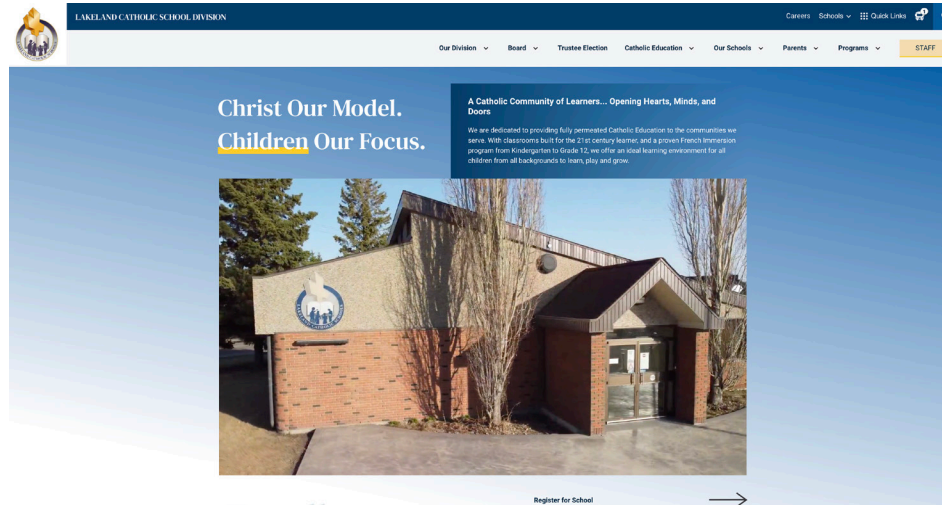


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Website Launch



We launched our new website lrcssd.ca in late August. We are seeing anywhere from 300 to 2,075 page views each day and have been posting new content regularly in order to keep parents engaged and informed. As of September 9, we had over 13,000 total page views.

Back to School Plan

Our Back to School Plan was released before the start of the school year. Amendments were made following the province's decision to adjust health restrictions earlier this month. Masks are mandatory in common areas but not outside or in learning spaces such as classrooms, the gymnasium, etc. Masks remain mandatory on school buses and division provided transportation.

National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

Lakeland Catholic will be observing National Day for Truth and Reconciliation on September 30. Our schools and central office will be closed that day for reflection. Many of our schools will be participating in Orange Shirt Day on September 29.