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LCBI Class of 2014

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For we are God's masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things He planned for us long ago. -Ephesians 2:10

Our graduation weekend went by in the blink of an eye along with grade 12 in general. Our grad weekend started on the Friday with a BBQ at the Erlandson's. We had burgers, hotdogs and such around a bonfire. We adventured around SaskRiver Lutheran Church across the road. It was nice to relax before things got really busy. Saturday evening we had our banquet, Grand March and shared our talents at the talent show. We started Sunday morning with a worship service and Pastor Rick Johnson preached the sermon. In the afternoon we had our cap and

gown service where Ms. Klassen was our commencement speaker and we received our diplomas. Monday we had a grad breakfast in Saskatoon and took more pictures in a park with our fancy clothes.

We chose our verse because God created us in His image and He has had a plan for us since the beginning of time. This is a comfort as we go out into the adult world and there may be some uncertainties in life.

Jason and I have been here since grade 10 and it feels like we just met everyone but it also feels like we have known everyone forever. It feels like family here at LCBI but now that our school days are over, we are joining a new family; alumni!



Alumni, we challenge you to stay involved with the school and your family here. Stay in touch!

Future graduates, we challenge you to uphold the spirit of LCBI, remember who you represent, and be leaders to your younger schoolmates.

-Jason Strand and Katelyn Hicks,
2014 Graduating Class Presidents



Board Update

Rev. Kristin Soveran, Chairperson
Board of Regents

He [Christ] makes the whole body fit together and unites it through the support of every joint. As each and every part does its job, he makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love. Ephesians 4:16, God's Word)

On paper it doesn't work! No matter how outstanding the students are, no matter how creative and inspiring the faculty is, no matter how compassionately the campus life staff minister, no matter how diligently the support staff work in the background ... on paper, from a business perspective based on economic realities and enrolment projections - this school shouldn't work – but it does. And as you read through the Beacon – does it ever work! It works because it is Christ's vision, and not ours. The Board is excited about what the 2014-15 year holds for LCBI. How will Jesus grow our broad community together? Not sure what your job is in Jesus' vision? Let's figure it out together. I



think it will be a lovely fit ... even if on paper it just doesn't make sense. Dear LCBI community – may we all be knit together in love for the sake of the Kingdom. Rev. Kristin Soveran, Chair

Fund Development Committee

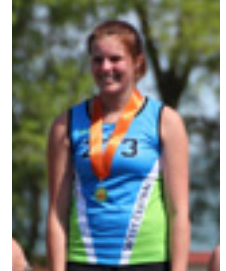
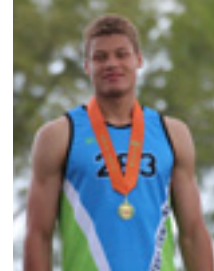
We would like to introduce the members of LCBI's new Fund Development Committee : Nadeen Skelton, Rilla Johnson, Jodi Smith, Rebecca Bowman, Joe Stolee, Chris Bishopp, Kristin Soveran, and Janet Akre. Our committee is committed to work towards financial stability for the future of LCBI.

We promise to keep you informed, to communicate regularly and personally. We encourage you to examine your support of LCBI. Check the website for estate planning information. Give LCBI a call to set up pre-authorized donations. Donate on-line today at the LCBI home website. Challenge your classmates and other classes to make a group donation for Homecoming this year. Could your class raise \$10,000? There are so many ways to give.

We welcome the opportunity to partner with you in supporting LCBI with prayer, with our talents and financially.



LCBI sent an impressive 7 athletes to SHSAA Track and Field Provincials. This team brought home a number of personal bests, new records, and 4 Gold Medals! Congratulations to our Gold Medal winners Kayden Johnson and Taylor Annala!



Leadership Team Update

The academic year of 2013-2014 has flown past, ushering in a mood of optimism and hope for the future here at LCBI! To be sure, this year has not been without its challenges—low enrollment and the resulting budgetary crunch have made for some lean times.

At the same time we have made significant movement towards a brighter future. We have welcomed some new and energetic staff: Jesse Sorenson (teacher), Jordan Soggie (Campus Life) and Kari Ree (Recruitment). We have worked with our Board of Regents to establish several working committees (Recruitment, Fund Development, Scholarship & Bursary) to support the efforts of our school as we seek to increase enrolment numbers and to secure adequate financial support for our operations.

We have worked with Refresh Marketing to re-invigorate our school's branding and promotions, including a new website and enhanced social media presence. We have also engaged in an intensive recruitment effort, led by the Recruitment Committee and our Recruitment Officer Kari Ree.

LCBI has become a Candidate School in a multi-year process to become an International Baccalaureate school. We hope that the addition of this internationally recognized high-calibre academic programing will serve as a significant draw for potential students to LCBI.

As this year draws to a close we would like to extend our sincere thanks to our staff, student families, Board, Alumni and supporters for their meaningful support and encouragement over the past year!



Recruitment Update

Kari Ree, Recruitment Officer

This has been a very busy spring for Recruitment. Weekly meetings of the Recruitment Committee and frequent events have kept me on my toes. The recruitment highlight of this spring has definitely been the Open House Extravaganza. LCBI was host to 41 potential students currently in grade 7-11 over the course of the weekend. It was a joy to be able to share our stories, experiences, and love of LCBI with our guests.

Since January, we have hosted 4 Spend-A-Day opportunities and 28 potential students have come onto campus to experience what life as a student of LCBI is really like. These events have been very successful with a number of new applications directly attributed to these days.

Over the summer, I will be volunteering at Camp Kinasio in Saskatchewan, and Camp Kuriakos in Alberta at their youth camps. I will also be attending CLAY 2014, the biannual Canadian Lutheran Anglican Youth gathering.

If you have students in your life that would be a good fit at LCBI, please forward their names to me – 306-867-8971 ext 105, or email recruitment@lcbi.sk.ca.

Plans for 2014 Homecoming from your Alumni Association

We are 'changing up' several aspects of Homecoming for this fall.

Preregistration: Available (and encouraged!) online. Go to 'Alumni' tab on LCBI's home page.

Note that Meal tickets can be preordered for the weekend and paid for on arrival.

Saturday Chapel: Leadership is now the 40-year class, rather than the 10-year class. The Sunday service is lead by the 25-year class.

Two New Alumni fund-raisers: Silent Auction of Quilts all Saturday and 'Mile-long Cookie Sale' following the evening program. (Cookie donations, please!)

Saturday Evening Program: Features guest alumni speakers and performers in place of honoured class presentations.

This year, coffee and goodies follow the program in the gym.

There is a definite positive energy at LCBI right now! We look forward to seeing you at this year's Homecoming as we celebrate our wonderful school.

HOMECOMING 2014

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2014

7:00-9:00pm Registration with 'Meet and Greet' Coffeehouse with coffee and goodies at Bethlehem Lutheran Church Hall.
LCBI Athletic Celebration – honoring CIH Adelman (watch for further details on the website)

5:30-8:00pm

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2014

8:00-9:00am Continental Breakfast
9:00-10:00am Registration continues in Study Hall
10:00-11:00am Chapel Service – Led by the 40 year class & Alumni Business Meeting at Bethlehem Lutheran Church
11:00am-4:30pm Volleyball Tournament
12:00 noon Lunch
12:00-4:30pm Honored Classes meet for lunch and visiting in designated rooms.
1:00-7:00pm 'Quilt' Silent Auction
2:30pm Special Activity for the young and young at heart!
3:30-4:30pm Open doors
4:30pm Alumni Choir Rehearsal in the Chapel
5:30pm Buffet Supper – Cafeteria
7:00pm Evening Program including the LCBI concert choir, Honored Classes and Guest performances.
8:30pm Coffee and "Mile-Long Cookie Purchase" (see Website for details)

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2014

8:00-9:00am Continental Breakfast
9:00-9:45am Bible Study in the Chapel
10:00am Alumni Choir Rehearsal in the gym
11:00am Worship Service led by the 25 year class
12 Noon Buffet lunch in cafeteria

-----Meal Prices-----		
Breakfasts	Complimentary	
Saturday lunch	\$7.00/person	\$20.00/family
Saturday supper	\$12.00/person	\$35.00/family
Sunday lunch	\$12.00/person	\$35.00/family

Online registration: lcbi2014.eventbrite.ca



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By credit card - we accept Visa and MasterCard. Call Lianne Hopkins 306-867-8971 ext 106.

Through CANADA HELPS - visit our website www.lcbi.sk.ca and click the "Donate Now" button in the upper left corner of the home page.

Pre-Authorized Donation (PAD)- find the form on our website or call Darci 306-867-8971 ext 100

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Alumni Chatter

Oskar Aadne, born to Amy (Sorenson – 2002) and Jeremiah Overland (2002), a son, on Dec. 26, 2013, in Toronto, ON.

Thanks to all who attended Alice in Wonderland Jr.!

LCBI would like to acknowledge the following honorariums and memorials...

In Honour

Ray & Norma Blacklock
Harvey & Jennie Gjesdal
Brian & Chelsea Guebert
Ed & Audrey Hedlin
Harry Johnson
Curtis & Gertrude Satre
Borgny Lokken
Katelyn Hicks and her 2013 Youth of the Year Award
John Baier's 1st year at LCBI
Inez Van Eaton (Peterson) Class of 48
Staff of LCBI
Syd Potts
Damon Berggren's graduation
Nicholas Garchinski's graduation
Samantha Cockwill's graduation
Katelyn Hick's graduation
2014 Grad
Courtney Lacoursiere's graduation
Lauren Michelman's graduation
Hanna Erlandson's graduation
Liam Thomas' graduation
Rebecca Voldeng's graduation

Taylor Annala's graduation
Jenna Bratvold's graduation
Ruth Hermanson, Glenn Haug, Santhy Hermanson, Dorianne Leslie and Ken Haug – thankfulness from your Mom

In Memory

Maxine Olsen
Eileen Salte
Gjerl & Veda Nostbakken
Ralph & Oletta Knudson
Alvin & Herborg Vinge
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