

W LEAHURST F REVIEW



MAJOR SCHOLARSHIP NOMINATIONS



Claire
Queen's Chancellor's Scholarship
Nominee



Jacob
Schulich Leader Scholarship
Nominee

Congratulations

High schools in Canada nominate one graduating student per academic year for these prestigious scholarships. We are pleased to present two very worthy candidates and we wish them all the best.

HALLOWEEN AT LEAHURST

It was a busy few spirited days at Leahurst. On October 30th, the Spirit of Leahurst hosted a very successful Bake Sale that raised over \$500 for Breast Cancer Research. In addition to the festivities, five of our teachers agreed to get a pie in the face! The pumpkin carving contest added more fun, showcasing our students' artistic talents. We even had some Alumni drop in for the festivities! Thank you to everyone who donated baked goods - every item was scrumptious!



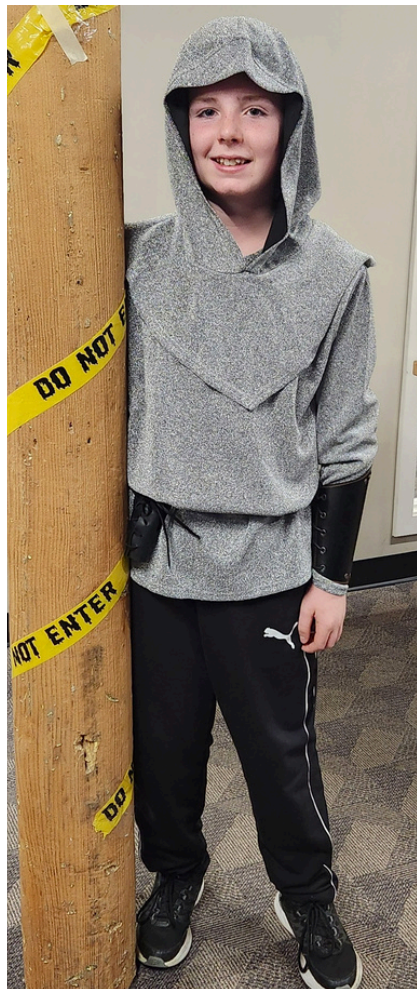
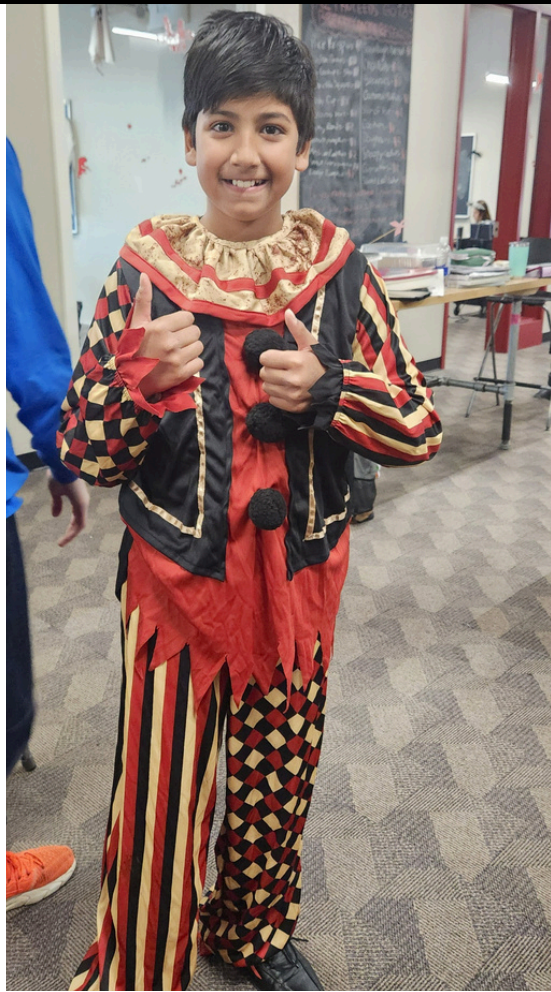
FIRST PRIZE



Halloween is always a full-blown extravaganza at Leahurst! Our students are always enthusiastic and incredibly creative. This year It absolutely knocked our socks off!

Ava took top prize for her Jellyfish costume! Incredible!





ENRICHMENT DAY

The Grade 6, 7 and 8's spent the afternoon at the Military Communications & Electronics Museum. The students had a guided tour and then spent time exploring the history of military communications and electronics.



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The Grade 9 and 10's spent the afternoon at the Miller Museum discovering the geologic history of Kingston and had the opportunity for hands-on learning about ice age fossils.

Our Senior classes continued their financial literacy journey with Jason Trueman. Thank you Jason for sharing your expertise.



CROSS COUNTRY MEET

The cross-country meet took place on a sunny October day at Fort Henry Hill. Our student athletes were well-prepared for the races, thanks to Coach Michelle S, who conducted training sessions leading up to the event. A heartfelt thank you to our volunteers, Emma, Isabel, and Ms. Fownes, and a special shout-out to Michelle for her exceptional coaching and support!



LEAHURST ALUMNI

Each Thanksgiving weekend, we have the wonderful opportunity to reconnect with our Leahurst Alumni! It's always a joy to catch up with everyone and learn about their new adventures! Save the date | Saturday, October 11th 2025



FINANCIAL *Literacy* WEEK

Nov 4-15th

During one tutorial all students will
learn about financial literacy!

Lessons will be given by Ms.
Eadie

Grade	Topic	Date/Room
6/7	Banking and Financial Concepts: Terms, Saving, Simple and Compound Interest	November 15 Period 3 Theater
8	Banking Fundamentals: Terms, Budgeting, Credit, and Credit Scores	November 12 Period 7 Theater
9	Comprehensive Banking: Terms, Budgeting, Credit, Interest Rates, CPI, Saving, and Taxes	November 5 Period 7 Room C
10	Banking and Finance Review: Terms, Credit Scores, CPI, Interest Rates, Saving, Investing, and Taxes (HST/GST)	November 13 Period 4 Room B
11	McGill Personal Finance Essentials	November 7 Period 4 Senior Lounge
12	McGill Personal Finance Essentials	November 4 Period 4 Room A

UNIVERSITY APPLICATIONS SUPPORT

University applications can feel overwhelming, but we're here to help! Every September, Leahurst provides Grade 12 families with our "Countdown to Launch" manual. This comprehensive guide outlines monthly milestones for both parents and students as they navigate the journey to graduation.

We also host two informative sessions focused on OUAC, international applications, and scholarships. These sessions are open to all Grade 11 and 12 parents, and they've been met with positive feedback. It's clear that parents want to start learning about the application process early.

This year's turnout was exceptional, and we were impressed by the thoughtful questions from our engaged parent community.

Many parents are surprised to learn that most schools don't offer much support for families navigating the application process. Having guided families for over 30 years, I'm always energized by their insightful and enthusiastic questions. There's just so much to consider, and it's a privilege to help them through it.

Elizabeth Turcke



IMPORTANT DATES

November 4 & 5	Financial Literacy
Wednesday, November 6	Take Our Kids To Work Day
Wednesday, November 6	Ball Hockey Tournament
Thursday, November 7	Prospective Families Information Evening
Friday, November 8	PD Day No School Parent/Teacher Interviews
Monday, November 11	Remembrance Day No School
Tuesday, November 12	University of Guelph Visit
Tuesday, November 12	Winter Uniforms Begin No Golf Shirts Until Spring Note: long sleeve polos can be worn Grades 6-8 Not on Wednesdays
Friday, November 15	Sleepover Grades 8 - 12
Monday, November 25	Report Cards Send out via Email

December



**APPLICATION/RE-APPLICATION DEADLINE FOR EARLY
ADMISSION AND 15% REDUCTION IN TUITION**



ATTENTION

Parents/caregivers!

Students in Ontario are required to have up-to-date immunization records submitted to Public Health. Health-care providers do not automatically send immunization records to public health units.

Submit your child's immunization record here:

kflaph.ca/ImmunizationReporting

If your child requires an immunization appointment and does not have a health-care provider visit **kflaph.ca/Appointments**.



Does your child need glasses?

Take your child for a free eye exam.

Children in kindergarten
can get free glasses.

For more information, visit health.kflaph.ca/FreeEyeExam
or call your eye doctor. Offer ends June 30, 2025.