



# THE BEACON

## LCBI HIGH SCHOOL

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### Transitions

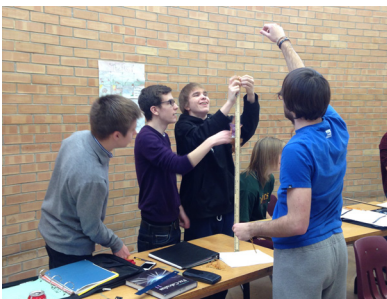
Kari Alford, Board Chair

Our Lord, Jesus Christ reminds us that times of change signal an opportunity for new and abundant life. It is in this promise that the Board of Regents have initiated significant changes as we diligently work to ensure the sustainability of the school for future generations.

The Board extends our gratitude to Principal Leanne Engen, Chaplain Pastor Chris Bishopp and the former Business Manager Justin Turton who comprised the Leadership Team. Under the Board's guidance they initiated the re-branding of the school and revitalized the marketing campaigns and recruitment initiatives, they purposefully sought candidacy in the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program in which the school is now approved in the candidate stage, to name only a few initiatives while managing the day-to-day operations of the school.



We have decided to return to a single leader model (President) and our Presidential search continues to unfold. In this transition, the Board requested that Pastor Kristin Soveran (formerly the Chair of the Board) take on the role of Interim President. Kari Alford has assumed the position of Board Chair.



The Board has also made difficult staffing choices. Teacher and choir director, Mr. Michael Hensby's employment with the school ended on January 31st. LCBI wishes Michael every success in his future pursuits and extends sincere gratitude for his 18 years of service to the school. Pastor Chris Bishopp was released at the beginning of February and we thank him for his dedicated professionalism and leadership. We are pleased with the number of pastors who are volunteering to assist with chapels during the remainder of the year.



We are appreciative of the multitude of gifts that are being faithfully shared by faculty, staff, and volunteers who serve on the Board and Board Committees (Fund Development, Recruitment, Finance, Scholarship and Bursary, Campus Life).

As you read through the Beacon you will be continually reminded of commitment of many people who are ensuring that LCBI is relevant in the decades to come. We ask for your prayers and support during these times of transitions.

# Grenada Mission Experience Trip 2015

Kari Ree, Recruitment Officer

It was about 9:30 pm and the 11 students and 7 leaders that travelled to Grenada for the 2015 mission experience trip were gathering to do the nightly devotion and debrief led by Mr. Adelman. It had been a very full day of visiting schools, and the team was still sitting in the emotional aftermath of standing in a slave pen, hearing stories of the slave trade in Grenada and beginning to glimpse, a little clearer, the history of this island. I was sitting listening to the students share stories from their day and I was struck by the thought that on this mission trip, these students were being ministered to as much as they were ministering to others.

LCBI has the objective of preparing students to be global citizens when they graduate from our halls and I was privileged to be a part of the journey of these 11 students as they gained another perspective for their lives. This experience was about awareness. It was not simply seeing the conditions of poverty that some Grenadian resident live it, it was hearing their stories, seeing their joy, hearing their hopes and dreams. It was experiencing some of the most beautiful examples of hospitality and community I have ever seen.

We did not travel to "save" the people of Grenada by giving them our faith, our labour, or our money. We travelled to Grenada to create a relationship between two places that are very different, but also very similar, and to show a group of teenagers that the world is bigger than what they have experienced. The team was able to see that they can impact the world by asking a question, listening and being present in the moment to see God at work in the lives of people, their history, their present and their futures.



More stories about the Grenada Mission Experience Trip on the website [www.lcbi.sk.ca](http://www.lcbi.sk.ca)



## Announcing the LCBI Spring Musical *Bye Bye Birdie*

Young Performers Edition

**May 28-30, 2015**  
**LCBI Chapel**

Directed by Mr. Andrew Linsley

The cast and crew invite you  
join us for a fun evening of  
entertainment!

Book by Michael Stewart,  
Lyrics by Lee Adams,  
Music by Charles Strouse

## Planned Gifts "What will your legacy be?"

As you think about your answer to that question, please consider a "Planned Gift" to LCBI.

Most donors balance their current giving with their current financial needs and with their anticipated needs in the future. It can be difficult to give today in the way that one really wants to, to support organizations that a donor is passionate about. Planned giving makes this kind of meaningful gift possible.

A gift committed to LCBI through your will or trust does not use funds which you might possibly need in the future. Your funds remain accessible to you today, but will support LCBI when you no longer need them.

There are many different options for leaving a planned gift. The basic idea is simple: planned gifts enable you to leave your lasting mark at LCBI, to benefit and enrich the lives of future students for years to come. For many donors, this may be uncharted territory. The hardest part of exploring such territory is finding out about what is involved and how to go about it. That's where we come in! If you want to know more about the many ways you can plan a future gift to LCBI, please contact the office and someone from the Fund Development Committee will contact you.

The easiest way to create a planned gift is to remember LCBI in your will. Make a commitment to the future and help us in continuing the mission of providing a high quality education for youth as they discover God's gifts. "We Would See Jesus" John 12:21

## Fund Development Committee

The Fund Development Committee continues to brainstorm new ideas, and review old ones, of how the supporters of LCBI can contribute to the success of the school. The "\$1000 from a 1000" and participation in CAFT (Commercial Automated Funds Transfer) are ongoing campaigns.

Another idea we would like you to consider is the option of supporting the school and students by sponsoring a scholarship. Maybe yourself, your family, or your business would like to support a new student by offering a scholarship to cover their tuition or room and board.

We would also like to remind parents of potential students that a portion of the tuition paid to LCBI is tax deductible. A portion of the tuition fee paid for students is allowed as a charitable donation. You may also be able to claim child care expenses for a child who is under 16. Child care expenses include payments made to boarding schools where lodging is provided. If you have any questions about this information, please contact the Carla Chabot, LCBI Business Manager.

# Homecoming 2015

## October 16-18

### *Mark your calendars!*

## An Announcement from your Alumni Association

It's time to begin planning for another wonderful Homecoming weekend, especially for those who are celebrating their special milestone years. Homecoming is a time to gather and reminisce with classmates, drink coffee and talk some more.

Hope to see many of you there!

**"Meet 'n Greet"** – Registration & Coffee House Friday evening at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 7:00-9:00 pm.

**Pre-Registration** – To get a grasp on how many alumni are attending Homecoming, the Alumni Committee is asking that if possible, you pre-register online at <http://www.lcbi.sk.ca>, under Alumni links.

**History Books** – These were printed for the 100th anniversary, and will be available for \$40 each.

**Email Addresses** – The school aims to keep a current data base of all email addresses, so that the Beacon can be sent out electronically. Please keep the school updated with any changes in your email address.

**This year's Fundraisers** – The first is a 'Quilt Silent Auction' where you will be able to bid on a number of quilts that will be displayed. If you know someone who makes quilts and is willing to donate one to this cause, please contact Vivian Baier ([vthemas@telus.net](mailto:vthemas@telus.net)).

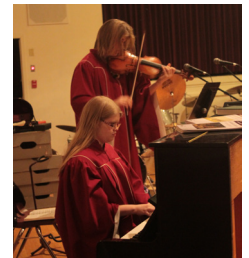
- Secondly, we will again have a 'Mile-Long Cookie Purchase' after the evening program. For \$5.00 a dozen, you can make your selection from a variety of homemade cookies. We would be happy to receive cookie donations from any bakers who would like to contribute to this event.

## UStream

In October, LCBI held a Bison Athletics Celebration honouring Cliff Adelman and his years of dedicated service to LCBI which also served as a fundraiser to update LCBI's online streaming platform. After research and recommendations, LCBI began using the UStream platform to bring LCBI events to you! Beginning with the Concert Choir Christmas Tour, LCBI has been able to stream a number of events this semester. UStream will allow us to continue to share special on campus events such as Homecoming, Grad, and Awards nights as well as choir performances, sports games and some of our daily chapel times.

There is a link on the LCBI website to the UStream website. There are also apps available for apple and Android mobile devices. Stay tuned on the LCBI blog for more detailed information on subscribing to our channels!

A special thank you to all who supported the Athletics Celebration and continue to support the school by showing off your Bison Pride!





## Stay Connected

Stay up to date on current and upcoming events at  
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## How to Donate

**By cheque** - payable to LCBI

**By credit card** - we accept Visa and MasterCard. Call Carla Chabot 306-867-8971 ext 106.

**Through CANADA HELPS** - visit our website [www.lcbi.sk.ca](http://www.lcbi.sk.ca) and click the "Donate Now" button in the upper left corner of the home page.

**Certified Automated Funds Transfer (CAFT)** - find the form on our website or call Darci 306-867-8971 ext 100

*Note: Donations made by Credit card or through CANADA HELPS are subject to a service charge up to 3.9%. 100% of donations made by cheque or CAFT go to support LCBI.*

Thank you for your support!  
Your generosity allows the continued work of LCBI High School!

## Friends of LCBI Art Show and Sale

Friday, April 17, 5-10pm

Saturday, April 18 10am-5pm



*In cooperation with the 330 Design Group  
Celebrating excellence in art and  
supporting LCBI High School*

**Featuring work by  
Kathryn Gorectke, Dale Hicks,  
Jordan Miller, Kevin Hastings,  
Holly Dyrland, Lynne Hermanson**

Enjoy the work of these talented artists, bid at the silent auction, have a snack and a chat.  
\$5 at the door, \$15/family

**330 Design Group Gallery  
330 Avenue G South, Saskatoon**

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

### In Honour

Cliff Adelman  
Justine & Maia Jorgensen  
Sara Anderson  
Victoria Skelton  
Josh Bowey  
Class of 1959  
Marriage of Catherine Yamniuk ('07) and Olaf Lokken ('07), May 31, 2014  
Borgny Lokken's 90th Birthday

Haftor & Sylvia Svee  
Earle Pieper  
Kenneth & Viola Jordheim  
Shirley Jordheim  
Clarence Caldwell  
Harvey & Margaret Stalwick  
Knut & Amanda Gjesdal  
Jim & Ron Peterson  
Robbie G.L. Tastad  
Carol Tangjerd  
Frank Lep  
Kari Farden  
John & Anna Farden  
Carl & Elna Kopperud  
Norman & Carol Mossing  
Nancy Berg  
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Harvey Haug  
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Laurel Steiestol (Rosaasen)  
Lillian Austring  
Ken Lee  
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Gladys Fagrie  
Rev & Mrs. J.F. Haugen  
Mary Grimsrud  
Glen Vollmer  
Rev. John Lokken  
Elfrieda Adelman  
Hilde Ruecker  
Harvey Gjesdal  
Adora & Leonard Nestegard  
Alfred Grovum  
Clarence Grovum  
Ruth Johnson  
Lenora Klein

### In Memory

Don Antill  
Elsie Willey  
Gustav & Anne Wrolson  
Harry & Hilda Njaa  
Clara Erickson  
Pat Olson