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The Goldbook Edition

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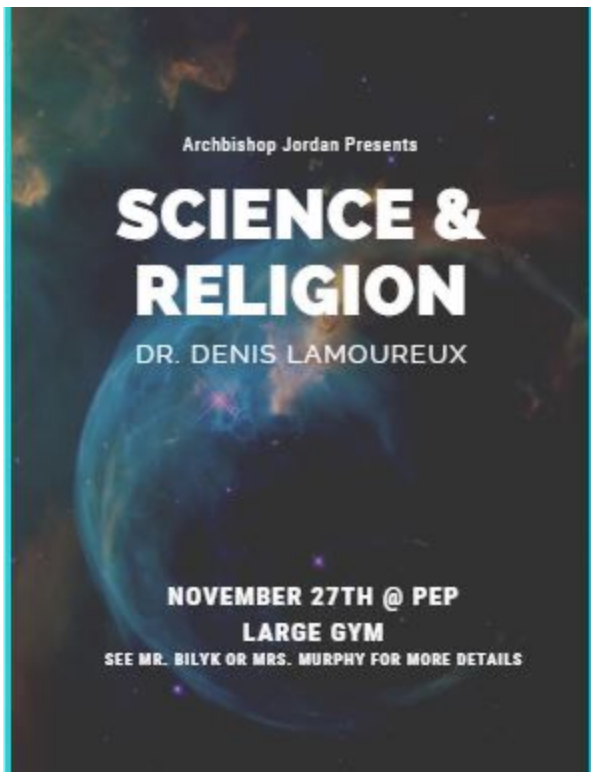
In this episode, Joe shares his high school's journey implementing a new process for grade 12 student this school year called the "Goldbook". In an effort to support students through their graduation year, Joe describes how his staff developed the "Goldbook" and it's introduction to students this past September. He is also joined by one of the school's amazing counsellors, Mrs. Glass, to find out how this process is going so far. Enjoy!

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Parents and Students Info:

- ABJ in the News - <https://www.sherwoodparknews.com/news/local-news/10th-anniversary-of-sergeants-death-launches-abj-scholarship>
- Huge thanks to the Remembrance Day Committee (Mrs. Glass, Mr. Gabinet) for preparing an excellent and reverent celebration.

- Big thanks to all of our volleyball teams and coaches for a great season of skill development and engagement. We had 6 fantastic teams and we are very grateful to all of the volunteer time by staff and parents who helped make the season successful!
- On Wednesday November 20th, Marge Johnson from Cree-ative Designs will be hosting a PEP session where she and her daughter will help students create the traditional Cree Medicine Wheel. The medicine wheel is a visual representation of Indigenous values. It is a circle that is divided into four quadrants where these sections represent the four directions, the four seasons, the four parts of being human, etc. If time permits, a traditional smudge will also be performed. There are 20 spots. The session will take place in Mrs. Millious' room (#221). Sign up on Powerschool before all spots are taken!"
- Mark your calendars and please join us for our upcoming BUCPS Meeting next week on **Tuesday, November 19 at 7:00PM** at ABJ. Prior to the BUCPS Meeting, we will be having our **40th Anniversary Kick Off meeting at 6PM**. Please feel free to attend - all are welcome!
The agendas for the regular BUCPS Meeting and 40th Anniversary Kick Off meeting are attached, as well as the minutes from the AGM & BUCPS meetings held on September 17th for review. Copies will be made available at the meeting as well.
- The ABJ Swim Team competed in their final meet before Fall Break and again were dominant and still breaking personal best times. After Fall Break, the team is back in the pool training hard for Divisionals which they all will be attending on Wednesday November 27th at Edmonton Kinsmen Pool. As this meet is huge with over 24 teams and hundreds of swimmers, volunteers are much needed at all levels. If anyone can spare even a half day, it would be greatly appreciated and benefit ABJ as each team has a minimum number of volunteers that are required to help run the swim meet. Please check out the Swim Team page on the ABJ website for information. Thank you!
- **NEW BOOKING PROCEDURES FOR GOLD BOOK ATTENTION GRADE 12'S!** In order to simplify booking your Gold Book appointment with one of the Counsellors, we will now employ an online booking system. The counsellors have made several days available prior to the **December 13, 2019 deadline**. Please go to schoolinterviews.ca Click on **"Make a Booking"** The Event Code is: **753v3**
Students are able to book appointments, additionally parents/guardians are able to book appointments for their student. Please note that **Walk-In appointments are also welcome at any point** - please come to Student Services, first come first served to see if a Counsellor is available to meet with you at your convenience. There are only so many available appointments, please don't wait to book yours! **Don't wait for December to try to fit your appointment in! Any questions can be directed to Sara Glass or Courtney St. Amand at 780-467-2121.**
- If you love the environment, helping people, and travel, consider coming to the Costa Rica Mission Trip information meeting on November 25 at 7 p.m. Our trip will be taking place next November break (2020) and we are looking for students to join us! Come find out about the work we will do, what we will see, and how you can get involved. If you want more information but cannot come to the meeting, please contact Mrs. Boake for more information.



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