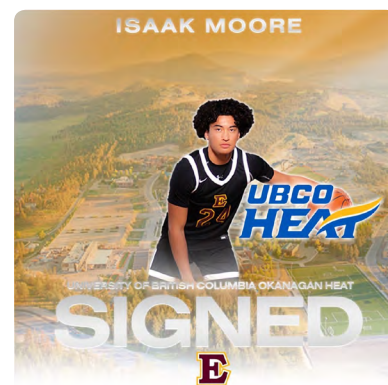


## Four More Basketball Post-Secondary Commitments



Over the last few weeks, four more student-athletes from our basketball program have committed to post-secondary schools and their athletic programs.

Jaida Wallis signed with St. Mary's University (CCAA), Parker Fleming signed with the University of Lethbridge (U SPORTS), and Cole Koop and Isaak Moore both signed with the University of British Columbia Okanagan (U SPORTS).

**Jaida** has been at Edge since Grade 10, after joining us from Medicine Hat. She has been a defensive leader on the court over the past three years, and the team's go to on-ball defender.

**Parker** joined us from Kelowna three years ago, and has been a key contributor to the growth and success of our basketball program. Parker transformed himself into a consistent starter for our National team this year with his commitment to effort and work ethic.

**Cole** joined us at Edge this year after dominating his high school season in 2022. (KSS in West Kelowna). Cole set the tone as one of the hardest working players in our gymnasium from day one.

**Isaak** also joined us at Edge this year and has improved every day since he arrived. He was voted as a 2023 1st team All-Star in the Canadian Junior Basketball League, and was a key difference maker on the Senior Prep squad.

Congratulations to the four of you for working so hard to set yourselves up for this next step in your academic and athletic journeys. We wish you all the best!

# U18 Prep Wins CSSHL Championship



A high-firing offence and resilient attitude propelled the U18 Prep team to a Canadian Sports School Hockey League Championship on March 19 in Penticton, B.C. [You can read the full story via Scott Strasser of Cochrane Today, here.](#)

"It's been a character group all year long," said Head Coach James Poole after the team's 3-1 victory over RINK Kelowna in the final. "No matter who was out of the line-up, we always had a player raise their game and contribute to the team's overall success."

The Championship marked the first U18 Prep league playoff victory since 2016-17, and was a storybook ending to what was a phenomenal year for the team. In the regular season, the team had 28 wins in 34 CSSHL games and 84 points as they won the division crown. Congratulations to Coach Poole, his staff and the team!

## Canletes Champions and Basketball Canada Invites

Congratulations to our Female Prep basketball team on capturing the Canletes National Prep Division Championship!

The ladies showed a lot of resilience and mental fortitude, as they had lost by 30 points to Royal Crown in Game two only to meet them again in the final and come out with the 87-77 win.

A big shout out to Eirny and Jayda on taking part in Canada Basketball's U16 team assessment camp. Both student-athletes have grown tremendously this season, and we have no doubt that they made a big impression at the camp!





# Figure Skating, Hockey Skill Academy and Soccer Updates

It has been a very busy month on the athletic side of things for all of our student-athletes, and we have shout outs for individuals that have had some recent success in their sports.

Congratulations to our hockey skill academy Mountaineers that won recent city or league championships with their respective clubs:

- Niko Edgar, Alex Han, Charlie Leonard, Dylan Sherban – HSL AAA (Spartan Academy)
- Angelo Facca, Kale Eisler – U13AA (NWCAA Stamps)
- Cohen Snukal-Lyon – U11 (Trails West Wolves)
- Amelia McMillan – U13-2 (Springbank Rockies)
- Krystin Jankowski – U18 Female B (GHC Jr Inferno Heat)

Congratulations to our soccer student-athletes that medaled at the Alberta Youth Soccer League Provincial Championships:

- Avril Jamieson – Girls U16, Gold
- Logan Ast – Boys U15, Gold
- Ella Herbert – Girls U16, Silver
- Liv Beuk – Girls U15, Silver

Overall, 11 of our Grade 9-11 soccer student-athletes played in AYSL Provincial Playoffs with their various clubs (pictured below).

Lastly, congratulations to Sadie Nicholson, on winning the silver medal at the 2023 Starskate & Adult Championships! Sadie is extremely dedicated to her craft on the ice, but also a hard worker in the classroom (Honour Roll, Mountaineer Award and Principal's List recipient).



# Fawcett Signs with Hitmen



Congratulations to U18 Prep forward, Keets Fawcett, on signing with the Calgary Hitmen in the Western Hockey League!

Keets was a late addition to the U18 team this season, joining us at the end of October. In 28 regular season games, he had 39 points (15 goals, 24 assists) and added another six points in five playoff games (1 G, 5 A) as the team went on to win the CSHL U18 Prep Championship. We wish you the best with this next step in your student-athlete journey, Keets!

## Fund Development Updates

**Edge School Appreciation Tea:** We invite all Edge parents who have helped support the school this year with your donations and your time. Your contributions are vital to our mission and we want to express our appreciation by hosting you at an Appreciation Tea on Wednesday, April 19 from 1:30-3:00 PM. [Please submit your RSVP through this link.](#)

**Servus Calgary Marathon:** Anne McCaffrey was a champion for student-athletes and worked here at Edge from 2010 until her untimely passing in 2021. To honour her memory, we are participating in [The Servus Calgary Marathon / Canada's Longest Running Marathon](#). The in-person race is on Sunday, May 28 and the virtual portion runs from May 28-June 25. You can register as an individual or a team and remember to select Edge School Foundation as the charity of choice. All proceeds raised will support the [Anne McCaffrey Memorial Fund](#).

**Edge Charity Golf Classic:** Join us on Friday, June 2 at Stewart Creek Golf and Country Club for this year's Edge Charity Golf Classic.

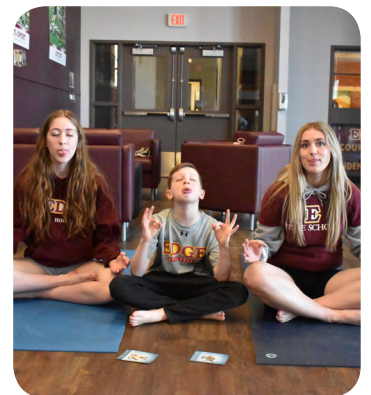
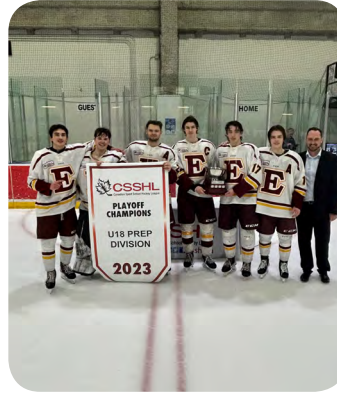
**[REGISTER NOW TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR EARLY BIRD DISCOUNTS UNTIL APRIL 14.](#)**

There are [a few sponsorship opportunities still available](#) and proceeds will benefit all student-athletes and contribute to the Edge School Foundation Endowment Fund.





# Mountaineer Moments





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## Celebrating Post-Secondary Athletic Achievements

It has been a very proud few weeks to be an Edge Mountaineer as we watched six alumni win National Championships with their respective university programs!

The MRU Cougars [won their first ever Women's Hockey National U SPORTS Championship](#). On the team were four Edge alumnae – Jordyn Hutt (class of 2022), Aliya Jomha (class of 2020), Courtney Kollman (class of 2018) and Taylor Sawka (class of 2017).



In the NCAA Frozen Four Championship game, [the University of Wisconsin won the National Collegiate Women's Ice Hockey Championships](#) as Sarah Wozniewicz (class of 2021) helped the Badgers to their seventh title in team history.

Class of 2021 grad, MJ Okado, helped [Carleton University to their 17th U SPORTS Basketball National Championship](#) in program history as they won 109-104 in double overtime against St. Francis Xavier.



Congratulations to all of you for reaching the top in your respective leagues. Great people accomplish great things when they are all on the same page and put in the work!

Two weeks earlier, we also celebrated a few Canada West (U SPORTS) champions. Alumni Tyson Upper and Brodan Salmond captured a Canada West title with the U of C Dinos (first time since '96). While alumna, Mia Bierd, won a Canada West title with the UBC Thunderbirds for the second year in a row. Although you didn't win at nationals, we congratulate you all on great seasons with your teams.



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## Crozier Signs NHL Contract

Congratulations to class of 2018 grad, Max Crozier, [on signing a two-year, entry-level contract with the Tampa Bay Lightning!](#)

Max was drafted by the Lightning in the fourth round, 120th overall, of the 2019 NHL Draft. He has spent four years with the Providence College Friars in the NCAA, amassing 17 goals and 71 points in 120 games during his collegiate career. Max played on the Edge Elite 15 squad in 2015-16 and the U18 Prep team in 2016-17 before playing in the BCHL with the Nanaimo Clippers.

We wish Max the best of luck with this next step in his professional hockey career!



## Social Media



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Our volunteer mentors, our friends from @edgeschool, and our HEROS players weren't going to miss a chance to [#RockYourSocks](#) [#RockYourHKYSocks](#) for [#WorldDownSyndromeDay2023](#) [#WithUsNotForUs](#)



@edgeschool soccer players Joe, Charles and Shakir representing their club at Alberta Tier 1 Under 17 Provincials in Edmonton this weekend



Honoured our four Grade 12 Female Prep student-athletes and their seven combined seasons of wearing maroon and gold. Ladies, it was so much fun celebrating your dedication as Mountaineers on and off of the ice.

Tough result, but starting with a clean slate in a few days 🌸





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