



Imperato Commits to McKendree University

Congratulations to Female U18 Prep Team Captain, Olivia Imperato, who has committed to McKendree University in Illinois to play hockey (ACHA, Div I) and Field Lacrosse (NCAA Div II) next season.

Olivia is in her second season at Edge, and has played in 51 CSSHL games (13 G, 17 A) for Head Coach, Annette Jensen. Liv is the glue of the team and a natural-born leader, which is a testament to her wearing the 'C' for Female Prep.

"Liv is a thoughtful, considerate teammate who always takes into account the impact she has on everyone around her," says Annette. "She goes above and beyond for her teammates and the Edge community – giving back in any capacity possible. Liv puts in the extra time and effort in everything that she does from studying, to workouts and practices – she makes everyone around her better." Olivia, we wish you all the best at McKendree both on the field and at the rink with the Bearcats.



Edge National Basketball Secures Third Straight CJBL Title with Perfect Season

The Edge National basketball team has once again proven their dominance, capturing their third consecutive Canadian Junior Basketball League championship in emphatic fashion. The team completed a flawless 9-0 season in league play, capping it off with another championship victory.

This year's team wasn't just good—they were unstoppable. Across nine games, the team outscored their opponents 873-439, a staggering point differential that showcased their two-way excellence. Their combination of relentless defense, fast-paced transition play, and high-powered scoring made them an overwhelming force on the court.

Edge's road to the title was paved with dominant performances and multiple games decided by lopsided margins. Their ability to control the tempo and dictate play made them nearly impossible to stop, and their undefeated record reflects just how special this squad was.

Congratulations to the players and coaching staff on an unforgettable season!



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U15 Team Becomes First CSSHL to Reach Century Mark

History has been made! Our U15 hockey team became the first-ever CSSHL squad to surpass 100 points in the regular season standings after finishing with a 34-2 record. Their record-breaking campaign showcased elite talent, relentless determination, and a championship mindset from start to finish. Congratulations to the entire team on this incredible achievement, and good luck at playoffs!



1st Place at NorAM Cup

Our resident snowboarder (and Canada Snowboard Halfpipe National Team member), Felicity Geremia, always impresses us.

Fresh off of a third place finish at the Aspen NorAm Cup, she just had a first place finish at the NorAM Cup here in Calgary last week. Congrats, Felicity!



Another Gold for Wynn

Wynn Kondracki continues to have an awesome year on the speed skating track. In early February, she set new personal best times in all four distances she skated at the RU Fast short track competition here in Calgary, and came first overall to earn another gold medal this year. This upcoming weekend, she will be competing in provincials. Good luck, Wynn!

Antos Signs with Rockets, Makes WHL Debut



dallin antos signs whl scholarship & development agreement with kelowna

Congratulations to U18 Prep defenceman, Dallin Antos, on signing with the Kelowna Rockets! Dallin signed with the Rockets on March 2 and made his debut with the team later that day here in Calgary against the Hitmen.

In 28 games with U18 Prep this season, Dallin has registered 23 points (3 G, 20 A). Dallin was originally selected in the 2023 WHL Prospects Draft in the fifth round, 91st Overall.

"Dallin has worked extremely hard to get to this point," said Rockets Assistant General Manager Curtis Hamilton. "He skates very well, and we look forward to seeing him in a Rockets jersey."



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Edge Studios YAGP



Congratulations to our 2025 YAGP team! This was an outstanding season, with some very impressive performances. From the two semifinals in DC and Kansas City, Edge Studios is proud to share the following achievements:

Jr. Contemporary, 1st Place – Georgia

Small Ensemble – A Numbers Game, 1st Place – Georgia, Claire, Arianna, choreo: Tyler Angell

Large Ensemble, 2nd Place – Sr Dancers, choreo: Tyler Angell

Pas de Deux, 3rd Place – Georgia and Chase

Top 12 Sr. Contemporary – Arianna

Top 12 Large Ensemble – Jr. Dancers, choreo: Tyler Angell

Top 24 Classical – Claire and Georgia

Top 24 Contemporary – Rylen, Chase, Hazel, Varvara and Caity

Finals Invitations:

Soloist: Georgia

Classical Pas de Deux: Georgia and Chase

Small Ensemble – A Numbers Game: Georgia, Claire, Arianna

Large Ensembles – The Spirals of the World: Sr Dancers, Fur Alina – Jr Dancers



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Making Saves & Making Hockey More Inclusive



Edge U18 Prep goalie and Saskatoon Blades prospect, Ryley Budd, isn't just stopping pucks – he's helping make hockey a more inclusive sport.

As the youngest HEROS Hockey ambassador, Ryley has been a dedicated supporter of SuperHEROS, a program for kids with cognitive and physical challenges.

Ryley began volunteering with SuperHEROS when he was 13 years-old and skates with their young athletes any time he can. Most impressively, he has raised almost \$40,000 for their organization through his #BeABudd initiative.

Two years ago, Ryley raised \$5,000 to send SuperHEROS players to their first tournament in Ottawa. Last season, he raised \$15,000 to bring 80 kids to Calgary for the SuperHEROS Spring Friendship Series.

This year, Ryley expanded his efforts by creating the #BeABudd Collective, a growing network of goalies, players, and coaches rallying behind the cause. His goal? \$20,000 by the end of the regular season. With funds raised from sponsors for every save and shutout from Ryley, the entire collective has brought in over \$18,000—and counting.

"It still feels a little crazy," said Budd, "The first year I expected maybe \$1,000 if I was lucky. To be where it's at now, it feels unbelievable."

Ryley has also developed bonds with many of the kids through HEROS Hockey, none stronger than his connection with Harrison Markin, who lives with autism and plays SuperHEROS hockey.

"We play video games at the house, we've gone to Hitman games, all that sort of stuff," said Budd, "All the kids there, they're so special. They're so happy on the ice, and seeing that is really what makes me feel like this is what I want to do. This sport's been a huge part of my life, so I want to make sure that they can experience that too."

"It's all about growing the collective and growing the sport," Budd continued, "We're really happy with how it's been going. There's been goalies, players, and even coaches who have volunteered from all around Calgary and even bigger in Alberta. We're hoping to expand further as the years come, but they've all volunteered to help out and raise money on their own."

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Celebrating Black History Month

Throughout February, our students engaged in meaningful activities to recognize Black History Month.

- Guest Speaker: Lisa La Touche

We were honored to welcome Lisa La Touche, a talented artist with Alberta roots who made it to Broadway! She inspired us with stories of her heroes, her path in the arts, and taught us about the Black history of our province.

- Black People in Calgary Scavenger Hunt

Students explored the stories of notable Black Calgarians through an interactive scavenger hunt (set-up around the school throughout February), learning about influential figures in our own community. Each completed scavenger hunt resulted in an entry for a Tim Horton's gift card, and Olivia Godson-Onumejor was our winner – congratulations!



- Oliver Bowen Project

Ms. Ortiz's 4-5-6 students studied Oliver Bowen's leadership in Calgary's C-Train development and will soon share their learning with older students.

A huge thank you to everyone who participated and helped make this month impactful!

February High Five Award Winner

Our high-five award recognition has a monthly draw for all students who received a high five in that month. The winner of our sixth draw is Brody Antignani.

"Brody is a leader and a well respected voice in the classroom. He consistently role models what it means to be a Mountaineer here at Edge. Brody comes to class prepared and ready to learn on a consistent basis, and the high standards he holds himself to make having him in an academic setting very rewarding." – Ms. Desjardins

Congratulations on being our February high-five draw winner, Brody! Side note for Brody on the athletic side, he finished with 50 goals and 99 points on the season with the U15 team. With this accomplishment, he became only the second ever Mountaineer to hit the 50 goal mark in a CSSHL season, joining Terik Parascak (54 with U16 Prep in 21/22). Way to go, Brody!



Here are some other high-five nominations that came forward last month:

- *"Multiple peers have commented on how Troy has a calm and welcoming personality. Sometimes it is the quiet leaders who really impact a class and Troy is one of those students. We all appreciate the character traits he brings to the classroom and makes it a better place for all."*
- *"Luke always comes to class prepared and ready to learn. He always participates and shares his thoughts about the different topics being discussed. Through role modeling what it looks like to achieve high academics simply through the effort being put in, Luke consistently raises the standard of learning in the classroom. He puts in 100 percent effort daily and it is largely appreciated as his teacher and I would say by the peers around him."*





Mount Royal University
 Ross Glen Hall
 Thursday, June 5, 2025



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The Edge Legacy Dinner

Be part of the Edge Legacy Dinner and celebrate our student-athletes while enjoying an evening of great food, inspiring stories, and two exclusive panels.

The first group features Edge School's original founder, Mr. Brent Devost. Hear the story of how Edge School began – its challenges and pitfalls and the overwhelming obstacles it faced in those early years, while blazing uncharted territory as Alberta's first sports school. Joining Brent are Bruce Stuart, Dan Bertram and Grant Fagerheim, all early patrons who believed in Edge School and helped it become what it is today.

The second group features four members of the 1989 Calgary Flames Stanley Cup Championship team. Hear from Lanny McDonald, Colin Patterson, Joel Otto and Doug Gilmour as they relive that year, that team and beating the odds.

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Jomha, Klarenbach Named to Canada West Teams



Congratulations to our two former Female U18 Prep Mountaineers, Aliya Jomha and April Klarenbach, on being named to Canada West (USPORTS) All-Star teams.

- Leading the charge for the Cougars, Aliya was named a Canada West First-Team All-Star after a stellar season. Jomha played 24 regular-season games, scoring 13 goals and adding 12 assists for a total of 25 points. Her offensive production was instrumental in Mount Royal's success, consistently leading the team in key moments. Her ability to find the back of the net and set up teammates made her one of the most dangerous forwards in the league.
- Named to the Canada West Women's Hockey All-Rookie team, April finished her first collegiate season on the ice playing in 27 of Calgary's 28 games – missing only the season opener. April tallied seven points in her rookie season with three goals and four assists. That point total ranked her second in all of Canada West among rookies this season.



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The Mountaineer Award is awarded to any student who has shown outstanding LEAD qualities and has consequently earned an overall average rubric score of 3.5 in all classes and sport blocks including LEAD class. Congrats to all of our semester 1 award recipients!

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It truly was first goals galore last evening!

Congratulations to former CSSHL student-athlete, Otto Hanson, on his first career WHL goal last evening!

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Sharpening skills, building confidence, and having fun on the ice 🙌🏒

📸 A look at our Grade 4-7 Hockey Skill Academy, including some shots from today's skating testing session 🛼



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