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Thank You for 20 Years, Brownie



For two decades, Matt Brown has been an incredible part of the Edge community – helping hundreds of student-athletes navigate the pressures of sport, build confidence, develop resilience and better understand the mental side of performance.

But Brownie's impact has always gone far beyond team sessions, parent meetings or one-to-one conversations. It has been in the relationships he built, the conversations he had, the energy he brought into the building and the genuine care he showed for our student-athletes and staff.

Brownie, thank you for 20 years of your time, passion, wisdom and commitment to Edge. Our community is better because you were part of it, and there are countless Mountaineers who are better because they had you in their corner.

While it is difficult to see this chapter come to an end, we couldn't be more excited to watch you begin the next one as the Director of Mental Performance with the Seattle Kraken.

Congratulations, Brownie. We'll be cheering you on every step of the way.

Bekkering, Jensen-Whyte Represent Canada Basketball



Back in July, our Prep Varsity Head Coach Jordan Jensen-Whyte and Edge alumnus Cole Bekkering represented Canada at the FIBA 3x3 U21 Nations League in Paraguay.

Team Canada captured three Stop championships (Stops 1, 4 and 5) during the league competition.

The Nations League is part of the pathway toward major international events, including the FIBA 3x3 U23 World Cup qualification process.

Way to go, fellas!



Saint-Louis Added as Director of Character Development



We're thrilled to welcome Bryan Saint-Louis as our new Director of Character Development.

Bryan steps into the role as Tyson Banker transitions into a full-time Assistant Principal position at Edge, continuing his impact on our students and school community in an expanded leadership capacity.

For many of our students and families, Bryan won't need much of an introduction.

Last year, Bryan spent a week at Edge working with our Grade 4–9 student-athletes, delivering 8.5 hours of leadership development through four of his courses: Radical Empathy, Power of Choices, Growth Mindset and Sportsmanship.

It didn't take long for him to make an impact.

In just one week, Bryan became a school favourite – connecting authentically with our students, challenging them to think differently and giving them practical tools they could carry at Edge and beyond.

Now, we're incredibly excited to have him joining our community in a much bigger way.

With more than 15 years of experience in youth development, education, mentorship and leadership, Bryan brings an incredible depth of experience to Edge and a genuine passion for helping young people become better leaders, teammates and people.

Welcome to Edge, Bryan!

Mountaineer Golfers Rack Up Summer Victories

It was a summer filled with trophies, international competition and impressive performances for members of the Edge School Golf Academy.

From a provincial championship in Alberta to a team victory on the international stage, Mountaineer golfers continued to make their mark throughout the summer.



Six Mountaineers Help Team Canada Capture Euro Cup

Six Edge golfers had the opportunity to represent Canada on the international stage and came home as 2026 Euro Cup champions.

Ian Bavis, Brenin Devlin, Luke MacDonald, Hayden McManes, Jaxon Sigalet and Mateo Sobb represented Team Canada in match play competition against teams from Scotland, the United States and Mexico.

The Canadian contingent battled its way to the championship, with MacDonald earning the distinction of becoming a back-to-back Euro Cup champion.

Three Weeks, Three Titles for Sutton Ulmer

Sutton Ulmer put together an incredible August, capturing tournament titles in three consecutive weeks – capped off by his biggest victory yet.

Ulmer was crowned the Alberta U13 Provincial Champion at Alberta Springs Golf Resort in Red Deer on Aug. 17-18.

The provincial championship completed a remarkable three-week run that also included victories at the MJT Edge School Summer Classic at The Canal at Delacour Golf Club on Aug. 10-11 and the MJT Series at Olds Golf Club from Aug. 4-6, winning the Pee wee division at both events.

His summer success added to another victory earlier in the season, when Sutton captured the Pee wee title at the MJT Adidas Golf Series at Fairmont Banff Springs Golf Course in May.



Four victories in one season — including a provincial championship — made for quite the stretch of golf for Suttu.

More Mountaineer Champions

The victories didn't stop there, with several Edge golfers finding the winner's circle throughout the summer.

- Matteo Filippetto added another championship for Edge, winning the Boys U15 division at a CJGA Alberta event at Eagle Ranch Golf Course in June.
- Jaxon Sigalet captured the Boys 15-18 division at the BCOB Junior Open at Golf Club of Bucyrus in Ohio in July.
- Rowyn Pittner earned the Girls U17 title on the Alberta Golf McLennan Ross Junior Tour at Collicutt Siding Golf Club in August.
- Brenin Devlin won the Juvenile Boys division at an MJT Alberta event at Carman Golf Club in August.



From local and provincial events to representing Canada internationally, it was another outstanding summer for Edge golfers.

Congratulations to all of our Mountaineers on their accomplishments!

Ford Attends CCM 68 Combine



In mid-August, incoming Female U18 Prep student-athlete, Isla Ford, attended the CCM 68 Combine. An invite-only event in Chicago which brings together 136 of the top 14U players in North America – 68 from Canada and 68 from the United States.

She suited up for Canada Dark Green, taking part in practices, games, on-ice skills testing and off-ice fitness testing throughout the combine. Isla also had the chance to meet four-time Olympic gold medallist Caroline Ouellette.

An incredible experience for one of our newest Mountaineers.

Way to go, Isla!

Patrick, Shir Commit to Post-Secondary

Congratulations to these two Mountaineers who committed to post-secondary institutions and their athletic programs:

Ladanian Patrick – Edmonds College (NJCAA)

From Edge Prep Basketball: Congratulations to Ladanian Patrick on his commitment to Edmonds College in Washington, playing out of the NWAC conference!

Ladanian joined Edge for his post-grad year out of Edmonton. His athletic ability and versatility instantly made Ladanian stand out on the court. Coaches took notice of his ability to play above the rim, and his shot making ability. He fit into our Edge culture very well, and was liked by all students and staff on campus.

Great work LP, we are excited to cheer you on during the next chapter of your student athlete journey.

Thank you for being a part of our program.



LeMar Shir – Wisconsin-Green Bay (NCAA)

LeMar is an Edge class of 2026 grad, but will be back at Edge for a post-grad season during the 26/27 school year.

From LeMar's personal announcement: 110% committed to University of Wisconsin-Green Bay.

Alhamdulillah. First and foremost, all the praise and glory belongs to Allah. Without his blessings, continuous guidance, and the strength given to get through every single day none of this would be possible.

Playing at the Division 1 level has been a dream of mine the day I touched a basketball. From endless hours in the gym to every unseen sacrifice, it's all been for this moment. I stayed true to myself and stayed true to the city. I'm proud to put on for the next generation and the ones who came before me.

To my trainers, Bob Willett, Nolan Willett, and Matthew Guinto, thank you for believing in me, pushing me past my limits and holding me to the highest standard everyday on and off the court.

To my coaches, Coach Eddie Richardson III, Jordan Jensen Whyte, Matt Daley, Travis Baillie, AT Brady Greening and the rest of the Edge staff, thank you for the unwavering support and time you invested in me. A huge thank you to Nolan and the Weave family, for believing in my work and helping me find my home.

Thank you Coach Doug and the rest of the Green Bay staff for believing in me!

And most importantly to my mom, my dad and my sisters, thank you for sacrificing everything for my dream. Watching how hard you work every single day showed me what real dedication looks like. Thank you for showing up every day and always having my back.

The Marathon Continues.

Back-to-Back Stampede Challenge Champion

Congratulations to Grade 6 student-athlete Xavier Munro, who helped 2015 Spartan Red capture the Stampede Challenge championship for the second year in a row back in June.

After moving up to Tier 1 this season, Xavier and his team put together an impressive tournament, finishing with a 5–1 record on their way to the title.

Xavier played a big role in the championship run, recording three goals and four assists throughout the tournament.



Edge Hockey Classic: Sponsorship Opportunity



We're excited to open sponsorship opportunities for the 2026 Edge Hockey Classic Tournament Series.

This season, we'll welcome 48 elite teams across three premier tournaments, bringing together athletes, families, coaches and scouts from across Western Canada.

By partnering with the Edge Hockey Classic, your organization will receive brand exposure across all three tournaments, connecting with a highly engaged hockey community while helping us deliver an exceptional experience on and off the ice.

Opportunities include:

- Series Title Naming Rights
- Social Media Sponsor
- Tournament Sponsor
- Custom Sponsorships

Interested? We'd love to start the conversation.

Email Landon, lwesley@edgeschool.com to request our 2026 Edge Hockey Classic Sponsorship Package.

Hosted annually by the Edge School hockey program, the Edge Hockey Classic brings together U15, U17 Prep, and U18 Prep teams from both CSHL and non-CSHL programs for high-level competition.

Each 16-team event features round-robin play, playoff rounds, and championship battles at Edge School's two-rink facility – which will be fully streamed by Trickshot and supported by a dedicated Sportzone tournament website with live standings, scores and player stats.

2026 dates: U18 Prep | September 23–27
U17 Prep | October 28–November 1
U15 | December 9–13

MOUNTAINEER MOMENTS



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Three Selected in NHL Entry Draft, Two Selected in PWHL Draft



Five members of the Edge School hockey community took another major step in their careers this summer, hearing their names called during the 2026 NHL and PWHL Drafts.

At the NHL Draft, Class of 2026 graduates Ben MacBeath and Zach Olsen, along with former Mountaineer Tyler Deakos, were selected by NHL organizations.

- Ben MacBeath – New York Rangers (2nd Round, 64th Overall)
- Zach Olsen – Toronto Maple Leafs (3rd Round, 73rd Overall)
- Tyler Deakos – Montreal Canadiens (7th Round, 224th Overall)

The celebrations continued at the Professional Women's Hockey League Draft, where former Mountaineers Brooke Disher and Gracie Gilkyson were also selected.

Disher, a former Edge U15 student-athlete, was chosen in the 3rd Round, 32nd Overall by the Toronto Sceptres. During her collegiate career at Ohio State, she helped the Buckeyes capture the 2026 WCHA Final Faceoff Championship while earning numerous academic honours. She also represented Canada internationally, winning gold at the 2022 U18 Women's World Championship.

Gilkyson, a Class of 2021 graduate, was selected in the 5th Round, 50th Overall by the Seattle Torrent following a standout season at Yale University. The defender recorded 27 points in 36 games, led the Bulldogs with 59 blocked shots and earned Third Team All-ECAC and Second Team All-Ivy recognition.

Congratulations to Ben, Zach, Tyler, Brooke and Gracie on reaching another incredible milestone. The entire Edge School community looks forward to following the next chapters of their hockey journeys.

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Five Earn Team Canada Invites, Three Capture Gold Medal



It was another impressive summer on the national stage for Edge Hockey alumni.

Five former Mountaineers earned invitations to Hockey Canada summer camps and showcases:

- Ben Oliverio – National Under-17 Development Camp
- Landon DuPont – National Men's Under-18 Team Selection Camp
- Brock England – National Men's Under-18 Team Selection Camp
- Leif Oaten – National Men's Under-18 Team Selection Camp
- Jackson Smith – World Junior Summer Showcase

For Landon DuPont, Brock England and Leif Oaten, that opportunity ultimately led to a gold medal.

The trio helped Team Canada capture the 2026 Hlinka Gretzky Cup, which wrapped up August 8 in Edmonton with Canada defeating the United States 8–1 in the gold medal game.

Landon finished seventh in tournament scoring with eight points (2 G, 6 A), while Brock produced five points (4 G, 1 A). Between the pipes, Leif appeared in four games and finished with a 2.25 GAA and .890 save percentage.

Congratulations to all five Mountaineers on getting the chance to wear Team Canada colours, and to Landon, Brock and Leif on bringing home gold at the Hlinka Gretzky Cup!

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10 Mountaineers Take the Next Step to Post-Secondary

Another group of Mountaineers are set to continue their academic and athletic careers at the post-secondary level in 2026/27.

Three class of 2026 soccer graduates will be at these next destinations:

- Liv Beuk – University of Lethbridge (U SPORTS)
- Oskar Dewar – University of Northern British Columbia (U SPORTS)
- Adria Solis – Columbia College (NAIA)

On the hockey side, seven former Mountaineers have also committed to programs across Canada and the United States:

- Landon DuPont – University of Michigan (NCAA)
- Gavin Garland – Ferris State University (NCAA)
- Otto Hanson – University of Regina (U SPORTS)
- Matthew Keller – University of Regina (U SPORTS)
- Carter Klippenstein – Providence College (NCAA)
- Ethan Neutens – University of Alaska Anchorage (NCAA)
- Shane Smith – Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (NCAA)

Congratulations to all 10 Mountaineers as they prepare for the next chapter of their academic and athletic journeys. We look forward to following their success at the next level.



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Candy, Lynch, Wagman Sign in BCHC for 2026-27 Season

Congratulations to class of 2026 graduates Clayton Candy, Brett Lynch and Eric Wagman on signing with Jr. A teams in B.C. for the 2026-27 season.

Candy, a three-year Mountaineer, has signed with the Merritt Centennials. He joined Edge in 2023-24 with the U17 Prep team before spending the next two seasons with U18 Prep.

Across 88 CSSHL games with Edge, the defenceman compiled 33 points with four goals and 29 assists.

Lynch has signed with the Nelson Leafs after two seasons as a Mountaineer. He joined Edge in 2024-25 with the U17 team before moving up to U17 Prep for the 2025-26 season.

In 58 combined CSSHL games at Edge, the defenceman recorded 32 points with two goals and 30 assists.

Wagman, a three-year Mountaineer, has signed with the Princeton Posse. Eric started at Edge in 23/24 with our U17 team, before playing with U17 Prep and U18 Prep.

In 72 CSSHL games with Edge, the forward compiled 73 points (21 G, 52 A).

Congratulations to Clayton, Brett and Eric on taking the next step in their hockey journeys, and best of luck this season!





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