

Linn County R-I Ledger



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Tri-County Conference Scholar Bowl All-Conference Team

Congratulations to Hunter Miller for making the all-conference scholar bowl team this year.



FFA Area 3 Officer Selection for 2021-2022

Congratulations to Kelsie Lorton on being selected to the 2021-2022 Area III officer team. She will serve as the Area III Historian. Way to go Kelsie!



FFA Division I Public Speaking

Jon Stucki advanced from area to districts and will be competing at state contests April 10!



Basketball Awards

Morgan Livingston 1st Team All-Conference Class 1 District 14 All-District

Alyssa Bukovac Conference Honorable Mention All Conference Defensive Team

Cody Murrell Conference Honorable Mention Class 1 District 14 All-District

Gage Seals All Conference Defensive Team





Senior Spotlight



Pablo Antonio Nufio
"Take a chance, because you never know how perfect something can turn out."

What activities are you involved in?

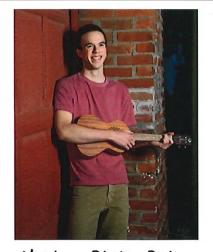
Spring Baseball and Basketball

Describe yourself using three adjectives.

Crippled, Outdoorsman, Athletic

What is your favorite thing about Linn County?

Sports and seeing my friends.



Nathan Phillip Palmer
"Love what you do and do what you

love. Don't listen to anyone who tells you not to do it. You do what you want, what you love.
Imagination should be the center of your life." -Ray Bradbury

What are your future plans?

I plan on attending a four-year university to become a counseling psychologist.

What activities are you involved in?

I'm involved in FCA, NHS, band, and academic bowl.

Describe yourself using three adjectives.

Ambitious, Creative, Selfless

What is your favorite thing about Linn County?

My favorite thing about Linn Co. is that the environment is a lot more welcoming and comfortable than that of a huge high school.

Who at Linn County has influenced you the most?

Mrs. Bolle was and still is one of the most influential teachers I've ever had. She fostered my love for music and helped me find a true appreciation for learning new instruments and types of music.

News from Mrs. Gray

The school year continues to move very quickly. Spring baseball and JH/HS Track have been working hard to be ready for their spring competitions.

With the end of school closely approaching, I would like to remind you that you can access the school calendar hyperlink from the Linn County R-1 homepage. This will allow you to look at the various activities taking place around school. The calendar is very full this time of year so check once in a while so you don't miss out. www.linnr1.k12.mo.us

End of year testing

That time of year is nearing. All students will be taking end of the year tests very soon. Please pay close attention to the testing dates that are on the school calendar and that your child's teachers put in their newsletters. It is very important that the students get plenty of rest each night and eat a good breakfast each morning. It is also important for the students to be here during the testing times. We urge our students to perform to the best of their potential while taking these tests.

Senior Awards/Scholarships

All Senior Awards/Scholarships will be given during Graduation this year. Graduation is May 16 th at 2:30 pm. MORE DETAILS ABOUT GUESTS AT GRADUATION WILL BE GIVEN OUT AT A LATER DATE.

Middle School/High School Academic Award Assembly

The Academic Award Assembly for Middle School and High School students will be Friday, May 21st . The assembly will begin at 8:30 am. MORE DETAILS ABOUT PARENT ATTENDANCE AT THE AWARD CEREMONY WILL BE GIVEN OUT A LATER DATE.

Elementary Track and Field

The Elementary Track and Field Day will be held on Tuesday, May 18th . The Elementary Classroom Award Ceremony will take place beginning at 8:15 am that day. MORE DETAILS ABOUT PARENT ATTENDANCE AT THE AWARD CEREMONY WILL BE GIVEN OUT A LATER DATE. The Track and Field Day will begin at 9:30 am and end at 1:20 pm. Track and Field Awards will be given beginning at 1:30 pm that day. The rain date for the Elementary Track and Field Day is Thursday, May 20th. The Award Assembly times will remain the same on the rain date day. PARENTS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THE OUTDOOR ACTIVITY.

End of the year activities

The FFA Awards Ceremony will be held on May 7th at 6:00 pm.
There will also be an auction of items at the FFA Awards
Ceremony, however, a meal will not be provided this year.
The Athletic Award Ceremony will be held May 12th at 6:30 pm.
Preschool Graduation will be Tuesday, May 20th at 6:30 pm.

The last day of school is May 21st and we will dismiss at 12:00 pm that day!!!

Busy Spring FFA Season

Congratulations to the following individuals/contest teams:

*Some contests are still competing as of this writing.

FFA Knowledge-Advanced from Area to District Contest

Katelyn Barillas

Megen Sharp

Anna Fordyce

Mikaela Rojas

Dairy Foods-Advanced to the second round of districts

Emerson Bell

Jon Stucki

Wyatt Neal

Ransom Wood

Meats Evaluation-Alt to second round of districts

Kelsie Lorton

Cody Murrell

Dylan Miller

Zephyr Palmer

Livestock Evaluation-Advanced to the second round of districts *

Katie Buswell

Connor Murrell

Jordan Grav

Mason Small

Creed Speaking-Advanced from area to district contests

Mikaela Rojas

Division I Public Speaking-Advanced from area to districts and

will be competing at state contests April 10! *

Jon Stucki

Hymax academy selection-

Mikaela Roias

Area 3 Officer Selection for 2021-2022

Kelsie Lorton

**Very proud of the successes of the FFA members to date. Let's stay green and keep working hard to get better!

Upcoming Events/Dates

4/9- FFA Petting Zoo (Outdoors)

5/7- FFA Awards Ceremony and Auction

5/20-FFA Barnwarming

Tri-County Conference Art Show Results 2021

Division I- Monochromatic/Black and White Drawing

(charcoal, pencil, pen & ink, etc.)

Honorable Mention: **Emerald Kay Jones**

Division II- Color Drawing (pastel, color pencil, oil pastel, etc.)

1st Place: Jaden Lester

Division III- Watercolor Painting

2nd Place: Jaden Lester

Division IV- Painting (tempera, oil, and acrylic)

1st Place: **Jaden Lester** <u>Division VI- Ceramics</u> 2nd Place: **Michela Ham**

Division VIII- Low relief sculpture (Bas relief, 2D)

1st Place: **Jaden Lester** <u>Division XI- Photography</u>

(original, cropping, only minimal lighting enhancement)

1st Place: Mikaela Rojas 3rd Place: Gracie Bell

Honorable Mention: Emerald Kay Jones

Best of Show: Painting

Jaden Lester

First Graders End Up Eating Their Math Lesson!

On St. Patrick's Day, the first graders used Lucky Charms cereal for a math activity on graphing. When they were finished, they were happy to get to eat the math materials!















Eighth Grade Book Creation

The eighth grade students in Mrs. O'Kane's Social Studies class have been creating digital books with information they have learned about from the time period in American History from the Declaration of Independence to the ratification of the Constitution, 1763 to 1788.





Highway Patrol Student Alliance Program

Junior, Michela Ham participated in the Missouri State Highway Patrol Student Alliance Program in March. The Student Alliance program allows students to learn more about the role within the Patrol's purpose and role within the law enforcement community. Michela participated in two Saturday sessions that included hands-on crime scene investigation, traffic stops, firearms, emergency vehicle operations and many other aspects of the Patrol. Michela was presented an award for her successful participation.



Yearbook Wins Walsworth Gallery of Excellence Award

The yearbook students were awarded the Gallery of Excellence Award from their publishing company, Walsworth, for exceptional coverage and design for the 2019-2020 yearbook.



School Spelling Bee Winners

Congratulations to the school spelling bee winners. The top two will move on to the county spelling bee on April 22 at 6 p.m. at Brookfield. Fourth grade winners were Rylee Rhoades and Isabelle Dodd. Fifth grade winners were Lydia Grant and June Barber. Sixth grade winners, also the overall winners, were Alex Coffman and Nathaniel Singleton.



The Junior Class Invites You To

Night Time in Greece

April 24, 2021 Grand March at 7:30 p.m. Dance 9:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Eldon W. Tietsort Gymnasium





2022 WorldStrides Boston Trip

Informational Parent Meeting
April 13, 2021 at 6:00 PM
Linn County School Cafeteria
For Information contact Kathryn O'Kane or
Sarah Jenkins



LINN CO. R-1 SCHOOL APRIL 2021 Breakfast and Lunch



DAILY CHIOCES: CEREAL
PEANUT BUTTER / JELLY OR CHEF SALAD
MILK and JUICE SERVED DAILY ALSO BREAD OF SOMEKIND

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Administration

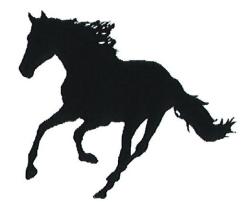
Ryan Livingston, Superintendent Candi Gray, Principal

LEARNING FOR TODAY,
PREPARING FOR TOMORROW

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Board of Education
Brenda Search, Pres. 9 years
Chad Gooch, V.P. 9 years
Racheal Neal, 9 years
Shannon Murrell, 7 years
Rodney Seals, 3 years
Daniel Singleton, 2 years
Jack Green

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Retirement Approaching

The Linn County R-I faculty and staff would like to congratulate Phyllis Wilson on her upcoming retirement at the end of the school year. A big thank you goes out to Phyllis for everything she has done and everyone she has helped over the past 34 years. She will be missed by all.

