



Linn County R-I Ledger



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FFA Christmas Gifts

The FFA officer team adopted 5 Linn County elementary students to purchase Christmas gifts. This was a very rewarding experience for all members involved. Spreading Christmas cheer is a goal for the 2021-2022 officer team.



FFA members prepared and delivered over 80 meals to the Linneus, Purdin, Browning, and Shelby communities. In the picture below, FFA members peeled 40 pounds of potatoes to make real mashed potatoes to go as a side to turkey and ham dinner. This has become a popular annual tradition for the Linn County FFA Chapter.



FFA officers gave each elementary school age student their choice of an apple, pear, grapefruit, or an orange. This fruit was part of the recent fall fundraiser.



Jennings Family Publish Book

Kay and Emily Jennings worked together to write and illustrate a book. The name of the story is "The Troll and the Kids". Emily did all of the art work and Kay wrote the book. They also added a "Goldilocks and the Three Bears" story.



4th Grade Project

Mrs. Rehbein's 4th grade group has been reading about the Mayan civilization. Raegan, Quincy, Aubriana, and Erich used Lego bricks to build and represent their version of Mayan pyramids. They each made a Google Slide presentation about the Mayans that they shared with the rest of their 4th grade class.



Senior Spotlight



Ty Anthony Murrell

“You got to keep on keeping on:
Life’s a garden, just got to dig it.”

What are your future plans?

Graduate high school and go straight to work.

What activities are you involved in?

Trapshooting team and FFA

Describe yourself using three adjectives.

Annoying, Eager, Loud

What is your favorite thing about Linn County?

My favorite thing about Linn Co. is that the school is so small and I know almost every person in the building.

Who at Linn County has influenced you the most?

Mr. Livingston is the most influential person to me. He is someone I can go to whenever I need help, it doesn't matter if it's school related or not. He always has a good attitude and great personality.



Joel Christofer Ford

“Don’t live in someone else’s
dream, find your own.”

What activities are you involved in?

Vo-Tech

Who at Linn County has influenced you the most?

Ms. Wiles because she makes sure I get my homework done and stay in school.

News from Mrs. Gray

Christmas Program

The elementary Christmas program was held on Thursday, December 16th. Miss Phinney and the elementary students worked very hard to prepare for the program. Their hard work paid off. The program was a huge success! Congratulations to all of them. Thank you to everyone that was able to come out and support the program. We appreciate your attendance.

Christmas Parties

This year the elementary students went to the movie theater in Brookfield and watched Encanto. The MS/HS school students participated in activities and watched movies.

Wow, the first semester went by fast and now we are looking at starting the second semester. Grade cards will be mailed out sometime during the week of January 3rd.

The Middle School/High School Christmas program was very successful. I was very pleased with the concert that the band and the choir put on. It is obvious that Miss Phinney has been working hard with the students.

The basketball teams are finished for the 2021 school year. They will open up the 2022 season with an away game against Brunswick on January 4th. Homecoming will be Friday, January 21st against Keytesville.

I wish everyone a great Christmas Holiday. Be extra careful when traveling and we will see all of the students back to school on January 4th.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

Winter weather is right around the corner. The school will post school closings, late starts, and other school information on the Textcaster alert that can be signed up for on our school's homepage. If you are having issues or need help signing up, please let me know. I will be happy to help. Also, it will be broadcast on 99.1 KDWD and 96.9 KZBK radio stations. In the event of a weather related dismissal, the school will implement AMI instruction whenever possible. AMI is an Alternative Method of Instruction that is used when in seat instruction cannot take place. We will use virtual learning in a modified schedule whenever bad weather days are predicted and we can prepare students with the tools needed for instruction. Preschool through First grades will have packets to complete, Second through Twelfth grades will have chromebooks for google meets, google classroom, etc. and will be expected to log on based on the modified schedule. When using an AMI day, we are considered in school and would not have to make up the day.

BOARD ELECTION

The Linn Co. R-I School District encourages qualified persons interested in running for a position on the School Board to file to be a candidate in the April 5th, 2022, election.

Interested persons may file at the superintendent's office. Filing began on Tuesday, December 7 2021, at 8:00 a.m. and will continue during the district's regular business hours, which are Tuesday through Friday from 7:45 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Except for the first and last day of filing, filing will not occur on days that the school district's central offices are closed due to inclement weather. Filing will also not occur on the following holidays and breaks when the school district's central offices are closed: December 22, 23, 24, and 27.

Filing will end on Tuesday, December 28 2021, at 5:00 p.m.

There are two positions available with three-year terms currently held by Daniel Singleton and Shannon Murrell.

Thank you,
Mr. Livingston

Holiday Dinners

Thank you to the cooks and everyone that helped serve all the delicious food for the Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners.





FTA Valentine's Day Fundraiser

See Mrs. O'Kane or an FTA member to order
a Crush (soda) for your CRUSH today!

Price: 50 cents each

Orders End: Friday, January 28



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Candi Gray, Principal

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PREPARING FOR TOMORROW

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Board of Education

Brenda Search, Pres. 10 years
Chad Gooch, V.P. 10 years
Racheal Neal, 10 years
Shannon Murrell, 8 years
Rodney Seals, 4 years
Daniel Singleton, 3 years
Jack Green

Textcaster Information If you were a former Chariton Valley cell phone customer and were signed up for Linn Co. School text casters you will need to return this paper to Mrs. Hoyt after you switch carriers or you will not receive school text alerts anymore.

Name: _____

Phone number: _____

New Carrier: _____

If you changed carriers and got a new phone number, you will need to go to the school homepage and sign up for Mustang Alerts on the homepage:

www.linnr1.k12.mo.us

Click **Quick Links** on the right side of the homepage

Click on **Mustang Alerts** and fill out the information

JANUARY 2022

LINN CO. R-1 SCHOOL

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
NO 3	FRENCH TOAST FRESH FRUIT	BISCUITS and GRAVY FRESH FRUIT	BACON and TOAST FRESH FRUIT	MUFFIN / YOGURT FRESH FRUIT
SCHOOL	CHICKEN PATTIE MASHED POTATOES / GRAVY GREEN BEANS FRUIT	TACO SOUP w/ TORILLA CHIPS CHEESE STIX / CRACKERS FRUIT / COOKIE	HAMBURGER on BUN FRIES BAKED BEANS FRUIT	SWEET and SOUR CHICKEN Over RICE ORIENTAL VEGGIES FRUIT
NO 10	BREAKFAST PIZZA FRESH FRUIT	BISCUIT and GRAVY FRESH FRUIT	EGG SANDWICH FRESH FRUIT	PANCAKES FRESH FRUIT
SCHOOL	HOT BEEF PLATE COTTAGE CHEESE GREEN BEANS / FRUIT	CHICKEN and NOODLES MASHED POTATOES / GRAVY GREEN BEANS FRUIT	MEATLOAF LOADED MASHED POTATOES PEAS FRUIT	NACHO SUPREME MIXED VEGATABLES FRUIT / COOKIE
NO 17	OATMEAL / TOAST FRESH FRUIT	BISCUIT / GRAVY FRESH FRUIT	CHERRY TURNOVERS FRESH FRUIT	SAUSAGE and EGGS FRESH FRUIT
SCHOOL	TACO'S Lettuce, tomatoes, cheese REFRIED BEANS ROASTED CORN / FRUIT	B.B.Q. RIBS SCALLOPED POTATOES GREEN BEANS FRUIT	CHICKEN ETTI PEAS/CARROTS BREAD STIX / FRUIT	TATER TOT CASSEROLE PEAS BAKED APPLES
NO 24	DONUTS FRESH FRUIT	BISCUIT and GRAVY FRESH FRUIT	BREAKFAST PIZZA FRESH FRUIT	FRENCH TOAST FRESH FRUIT
SCHOOL	HOT TURKEY WRAP BAKED BEANS CHIPS / FRUIT	SALISBURY STEAK MASHED POTATOES / GRAVY CARROTS / FRUIT	GOULASH BROCCOLI BREAD STIX / PEACHES CHOC. CAKE	COOK'S CHOICE
NO 31				
SCHOOL				

DAILY CHOICES: CEREAL, PEANUT BUTTER and JELLY / CHEF SALAD
MILK, JUICE, and SOMEKIND OF BREAD SERVED DAILY



Calendar Events January 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
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2	3 Teacher Professional Development	4 Classes Resume 6:00pm: HSBB @ Brunswick	5 9:30am: FFA Greenhand Motivational Conference	6 HS Sports Photos 6:00pm: HSBB @ Grundy Co.	7 FCA - Homeroom 6:00pm: HSBB @ LaPlata	8
9	10 Milan HS Invitational Tournament	11 Milan HS Invitational Tournament	12 Milan HS Invitational Tournament	13 Milan HS Invitational Tournament	14 Milan HS Invitational Tournament	15 Milan HS Invitational Tournament
16	17 Possible Snow Make-Up Day	18 6:00pm: HSBB @ Novinger	19	20	21 6:00pm: HSBB vs Keytesville	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31 Teacher Professional Development					