

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

Dec. 23-Jan. 2 Christmas Break  
Jan. 3 Teacher Workshop  
Jan. 6 School Resumes  
Jan. 15 Early Dismissal  
Jan. 20 MLK Day-No School  
Feb. 17 President's Day-No School  
Feb. 19 Early Dismissal  
Mar. 7 End of Third Quarter  
Mar. 13 Early Dismissal  
P/T Conferences  
Mar. 14 No School  
April 17 Early Dismissal  
April 18-21 Spring Break  
May 14 End of Fourth Quarter  
End of Second Semester  
Early Dismissal  
May 15-16 Teacher Workshop

Snow Make Up Days  
May 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22



## From the Library

Students who are working toward Honors Reading trophies (Grades 2-12) or Honors Math trophies (Grades 2-5) should be about halfway finished with those goals. These requirements must be met by early May.

We encourage parents to make students take responsibility for their own library issues. Books can be checked out for 21 school days and can be renewed by the student anytime at the check-out computers (up to 10 renewals).

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## Northwestern Tournament



Congratulations to both the girls and boys teams on a third place finish in the Northwestern Tournament.

## New Arrivals at Linn County



Mr. and Mrs. Livingston welcomed their son, Karson Shane, on Friday, December 6 at 6:13 pm. He weighed 8 lbs. 1 oz and was 21 in. long. Karson was also welcomed by his sisters Madison and Morgan, and his BIG brother, Kolby.



Mr. and Mrs. Kehr welcomed their son, Hayden William, on Wednesday, November 27 at 7:54 pm. He weighed 7 lbs. 6 oz and was 19.5 in. long. Hayden joins three sisters; Rylee, Maddie and Shayne.

### 13-14 Yearbook Order Form

Name of Student \_\_\_\_\_

Namestamp to appear on book (if purchased) \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Yearbooks \_\_\_\_\_

Total Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

**\$30**  
w/o a namestamp

**\$35**  
w/ a namestamp

### Tshirt Order Corrections

Student Council would like to apologize for the delay in the Fan Cloth orders. The company made multiple mistakes in filling the orders correctly and completely. We have tried to catch all mistakes and the company is in the process of reprinting those errors now. Please notify Mrs. Parn of any errors to your order. We will work to get those mistakes in your orders fixed as soon as possible. Sorry for the delay. I assure you we will not be doing business with this company again.

Thanks,  
Mrs. Parn

# News From Mrs. Gray

## Christmas Program

The elementary Christmas program was held on Thursday, December 12th. Mrs. Bolle 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 appreciated your attendance.

## Christmas Parties

This year the students traveled to Brookfield to watch the movie Frozen. We had a great time at the movie. The students also participated in a variety of activities on the last day of school before break. They enjoyed the day and were excited for break.

## Christmas Raffle

The elementary students, faculty, and staff would like to thank everyone that supported our Christmas Raffle by buying raffle tickets and/or by donating an item for the raffle. This money goes toward different activities and rewards for the elementary students throughout the year. We really appreciate your support.

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 6th.

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

The basketball teams are finished for the 2013 school year. They will open up the 2014 season with an away game against LaPlata on January 10th starting at 6 p.m. I would encourage everyone to come out and support our teams. 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 6th.

## School Cancellations/Early Dismissals

Winter is right around the corner, and with that in mind, it is in our best interest to keep our staff and students safe. If we receive a fair amount of snow please listen to the radio for school cancellations. We will still call the radio stations as soon as we know school will not be in session, and will try to do so by 6:30 a.m. If it starts snowing or getting slick during the day, list to the radio to see if we are letting out early. Remember, this is a big district with long bus routes and we have the safety of all of the students as our primary interest. Please have plans in place as to where you want your children to go in case we do let out early and you are at work. Do they know what to do? Does the school know what they are supposed to do? Do they need to ride a different bus, go to a different house, or stay with a friend? In the excitement of letting out early, it is hard to get to all of the phone calls that come in, so please make your plans now. In the case of small children, please let us know what the plans are so that we can insure that the students go where they are supposed to. It is much easier to have these plans ahead of time so the phone lines are not being used to make arrangements during the early dismissals.

The radio stations that we will be announcing on are:

KTVO Kirksville - Channel 3	KZBK Brookfield AM 1470 FM 96.9
KIRX Kirksville AM 1450	KRXL Kirksville FM 94.5
KRES Moberly FM 104.7	KCHI Chillicothe AM 1010 FM 103.9
KMZU Carrollton FM 100.7	KTTN Trenton AM 1600 FM 92.1
KDWD Marceline 99.1	
Linn Co. R-I Info Line (660) 895-1234	

**If you are signed up for Mustang Alert text messages you will receive a text as well.**

**If you would like to sign up for text and/or email alerts, please visit the homepage at [www.linnr1.k12.mo.us](http://www.linnr1.k12.mo.us) and click on the Mustang Alerts button on the right side of the page.**

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**Administration:**

Ryan Livingston - Superintendent  
Candi Gray - Elem./HS Principal

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PREPARING FOR TOMORROW

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**Board of Education**

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Steve Hardy, 9 yrs  
Racheal Neal, 3 yrs  
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## Board Election

The Linn County Board of Education has its annual election on April 8, 2014. The election this year will be for three board seats. The seats are presently held by Chad Gooch, Brenda Search, and Racheal Neal.

Membership to the board is open to residents of the Linn County R-I District who have resided in the state for one year prior to the election, and are at least twenty-four years of age. Candidates must be citizens of the United States and resident taxpayers of the District.

To run for a seat on the board an individual must file for office. The Board filing dates are between Dec. 17, 2013 and Jan. 21, 2014. Filing is in the superintendent's office between 8:00 AM and 4:00 PM Monday through Friday and until 5:00 PM on January 21, 2014.

**The district's offices will be closed starting at 12:00 . on  
December 20, 2013 through January 5, 2014.**



# January 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4 Breakfast menu is in bold
5	6 NO School	7 NO School	8 <b>Biscuit and Gravy</b> Hot Ham & Cheese, Fries, Cookie, Peaches	9 <b>Glazed Donut, Banana</b> Tater Tot Casserole, Peas, Cottage Cheese, Pineapple	10 <b>Breakfast Burrito, Apples</b> Cheeseburger, Curley Fries, Pork & Beans, Pears	11 Chocolate and white milk and orange and apple juice served with breakfast.
12	13 <b>Cereal, Pears</b> Chicken Nuggets, Scal- loped Potatoes, Man- darin Oranges, Green Beans	14 <b>French Toast, Apple Slices</b> Pizza, Tossed Salad, Mixed Fruit, Cookie Beans	15 <b>Biscuit and Gravy</b> BBQ Pork on Bun, Fries, Peas, Applesauce	16 <b>Blueberry Muffin, Banana</b> Nachos, Brown Beans, Cottage Cheese, Peaches, Raw Veggies	17 <b>Poptart, Apple Slices</b> Tenderloin, Onion Rings, Peach Crisp, Coleslaw	18 Chocolate and white milk served with lunch.
19	20 No School	21 <b>Danish, Banana</b> Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Peas, Carrots, Mandarin Oranges	22 <b>Biscuit and Gravy</b> Hot Dog, Mac & Cheese, Green Beans, Pineapple	23 <b>Toast, Eggs, Oranges</b> BBQ Chicken, Buttered Potatoes, Black-eyed Peas, Pears	24 <b>Biscuit Sandwich, Apple Slices</b> Sub Sandwich, Chips, Cauliflower/Cheese, Applesauce, Cake	25 Chef Salad or a Peanut Butter Sandwich are Daily Choices
26	27 <b>Yogurt, Muffins, Raisins</b> Chicken/Noodles, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Green Beans, Pears	28 <b>Cinnamon Roll, Strawberries</b> Chili or Broccoli Cheese Soup, Raw Veggies, Mixed Fruit, Cookie Beans	29 <b>Biscuit and Gravy</b> Spaghetti, Tossed Salad, Applesauce, Breadsticks	30 <b>Waffles, Cantaloupe</b> Toasted Ham and Cheese, Mixed Veg- gies, Corn Chips, Pine- apple	31 <b>Toast, Cereal, Oranges</b> Tacos, Spanish Rice, Refried Beans, Brownie, Peaches	

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			1 No School Christmas Break	2 No School Christmas Break	3 No School Christmas Break Teacher Workday	4
5	6 School Resumes	7 6 pm Bball @ LC vs. Atlanta (Make-up game)	8	9	10 6 pm Bball @ LaPlata	11 9-12 District Band Re- hearsal and Concert
12	13 Milan Basketball Tournament	14	15  12:20 pm Early Dismissal	16	17	18  JH Honor Band Audition (7th/8th Grade)
19	20 No School MLK Day	21 6 pm Bball @ Novinger	22	23	24	25
26	27 Meadville Basketball Tournament	28	29	30	31	