



Linn County R-I Ledger

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4th at STATE!!!

Congratulations to the high school scholar bowl on placing 4th at State. Post season honors include- Conner Giebe, All Conference; and JoJack King, All District.



Pictured from left to right- Emily Jennings, Brayden Giebe, JoJack King, Hunter Miller, Conner Giebe, Ms. Angela Wiles, and Kasady Lorton.

FFA State Officer Selection

Mikaela Rojas was named the 1st Vice President as a Missouri State FFA Officer for 2024-2025. Since the charter in 1992, Linn County FFA has never had a Missouri State FFA Officer. We are so very proud of Mikaela and the ton of work she has done to get to this level. Way to go Mikaela!



Honor Roll & STUCO Field Trip

On May 13th students who qualified to go on the Honor Roll Field Trip and Student Council members visited to the Kansas City Zoo. Honor Roll students had to be on the Honor Roll or Principal's Honor Roll for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd quarters to be able to attend.



Prom Royalty



Wyatt Neal and Emilee Heaney were voted as King and Queen. First Runner-up was Remington Gooch and Anika Shoemaker-Miller. Second Runner-up was Emerson Bell and Mikaela Rojas.

FFA Accomplishments

State FFA Convention was held April 17-19 at the University of Missouri- Columbia campus. Here are the highlights of the Convention:

Livestock Evaluation- (Mikaela Rojas, Isabela Rojas, Gracie Small, Carson Coram)- 8th place in the State-Group I Rating

FFA Knowledge- (Carson Coram, Alex Coffman, Nathaniel Singleton, Kenadi Head)- 24th place in the State- Group II Rating

Advanced Public Speaking- Mikaela Rojas-2nd in State

State Degree Recipients: Anna Lovett, Megen Sharp, Mikaela Rojas

Mikaela was also named the 1st Vice President as a Missouri State FFA Officer!

Congratulations to this great group of students. They have worked hard to accomplish their goals.

Catch Me If You Can

Penelope Banta finished 7th Place in the 200M sprint at the state track meet held in Jefferson City on May 16th -17th. Before entering the 2024 track season, Penelope was the current record holder for the 200M sprint at Linn County. She broke her own record this season four times, her fastest sprint being a time of 26.75. Congratulations on a great season Penelope!



Band & Choir

Band and Choir students celebrated the end of the year accomplishments with a trip to Worlds of Fun!



Retirement Celebration

Linn County staff celebrated Mrs. Kathryn O’Kane on her retirement at the end of the school year. Mrs. O’Kane retires after 28 years of service. Thank you all for everything you have done for the Linn County R-I family!



The school website is updated daily. Check the school calendar and homepage for current events and news.

www.linnr1.k12.mo.us

End of Year Awards

I-Ready: We use i-ready as our universal screener for all students. Below are the students that have showed the most growth, in reading and math, throughout the whole year.

K Reading – Easton Powgnas
K Math – Aleeah Moore
1st Grade Reading – Van
1st Grade Math – Connor
2nd Grade Reading – Ariel Alvarado
2nd Grade Math – Hadlee Lowman
3rd Grade Reading – Lealan Lane
3rd Grade Math – Harper Small
4th Grade Reading – Remi McCoy
4th Grade Math – Remi McCoy
5th Grade Reading – Chloe Walton
5th Grade Math – Westyn Neal

The following students have scored 100% on all their I-ready lessons.

READING

Van Guyer
Ezabella Lovell
Kaida McConkey
Noah Michaud
Troy Gunter

MATH

Van Guyer
Ezabella Lovell
Cohen Hedges
Wade Brown
Gabriela Rojas
Harper Small
Alanah Gaudet
Fallon Lane

The following students just missed one lesson on I-ready

MATH

Lealan Lane
Hadlee Lowman
Novah Strebe
Weslynn Allnut
Moxen Liebhart
Layton Flummer
Karson Livingston
Addison Hollon

Cohen Hedges completed 91 lessons in Math.

Zane Hedges completed 93 lessons in Math.

Music Awards:

Elementary Music Excellence

Kindergarten: Ember Knifong/Ryker
Cashatt
1st Grade: Harper Young/Conner
Brazel
2nd Grade: Zane Hedges/Trenton
Bertsche
3rd Grade: Jayla Strebe/Wade Brown
4th Grade: Graceyn Floyd/Addison
Hollon/Hayden Kehr/Remi McCoy/
Jaycee Robinson
5th Grade: Abigail Brazel/Elijah
Michaud

5th Grade Band Participation

Alanah Gaudet
Troy Gunter
Wesley Gunter
Fallon Lane
Westyn Neal

5th Grade Band Achievement

Alanah Gaudet
Troy Gunter
Wesley Gunter
Fallon Lane
Westyn Neal

5th Grade Band Most Minutes

Alanah Gaudet

MS/HS Band Letters

Levi Dyer
Brantley Armstrong
Jaxson Bowen
Waden Gray
Erich Mittelstaedt
Chayse Reyes
Xylus Rottman
Isabella Stillwell
Aubriana Wood

Color Guard Letters

Riley Dyer
Anna Lovett
Trisha Peterson
Myla Rottman
Anika Shoemaker

District Choir

Emily Jennings

Conference Choir

Conner Giebe
Emily Jennings

Conference Band

Isabella Stillwell

Choir Letters

Conner Giebe
Emily Jennings
Ariana Klein
Nolan Phillips

Principal's Honor Roll 4.0 and Above

Megen Sharp
Mikaela Rojas
Isabela Rojas
Alex Coffman
Carson Coram

Regular Honor Roll 3.5-3.99 GPA

Gracie Small
Chelsea Morris
Isaiah Alverado
Charlotte Banta
Penelope Banta
Emma Browder
Mayscie Crowe
Riley Dyer
Makayla Eppy
Mallorie Gibson
Kenadi Head
Courtney Heaney
Taylor Jasinski
Ellen Jennings
Anna Lovett
Hunter Miller
Daniel Palmer
Chayse Reyes
Lizbeth Reyes
Myla Rottman
Rylee Rhoades
Xylus Rottman
Susan Ruiz
Nathaniel Singleton
Isabella Stillwell
Quincy Tornow
Aubriana Wood

Perfect Attendance

JH/HS

Carson Coram
Charles Hayes Jr.
Rylee Rhoades
Susan Ruiz

Elementary

Westyn Neal
Hattie Gardner

Perfect Attendance Continued

Adlyn Palmer
Harper Small

Citizenship Award

These student is responsible and self-reliant, follows rules willingly, is a good example for others, respects rights and property of others and is courteous and considerate.

3rd Grade: Harper Small & Ely Rhoades

6th Grade: Aubriana Wood & Waden Gray

Daughters of the American Revolution Youth Citizen Award

Carson Coram

National Honor Society New Initiates

Penelope Banta
Isaac Hollon
Taylor Jasinski
Gracie Small
Isabella Rojas

TSU Art on the Spot Participants

Katelynn Eppy
Anna Lovett
Emily Jennings
Ariana Klein
Penelope Banta

TSU- Award Winners

Penelope Banta– 2nd place – Div. watercolor landscape/Prompt
Emily Jennings – 3rd place in Illustration/Prompt

Tri-County Conference Art Show Certificates of Participation

Emily Jennings
Katelynn Eppy
Ariana Klein
Anika Shoemaker
Anna Lovett
Penelope Banta
Isaiah Alvarado
Lizabeth Reyes
Daniel Palmer

Tri-county Conference Art Show Winners Awards

Katelynn Eppy

- 1st place – Div. 1 Black & White
- 2nd place – Div. 3 Watercolor
- 2nd place – Div. 6 Ceramics
- 1st place – Div. 7 Sculpture
- HM – Div. 13 Miscellaneous

Emily Jennings

- 3rd place – Div. 2 Color Drawing
- 3rd place – Div. 7 Sculpture
- 3rd place – Div. 11 Photography

Ariana Klein

- HM- Div. 3 Watercolor

Art Achievement Certificate

Modified Art – Willow Brazel & Kelzi Head

6th – Quincy Tornow & Isabella Stillwell

7th – Rylee Rhoads & Harlow Miller

8th – Susan Ruiz & Leland Grismore

Art I – Carson Coram & Lizabeth Reyes

Art II –Anna Lovett & Penelope Banta

Art III –Anika Shoemaker

ART IV – Emily Jennings & Katelynn Eppy

Painting – Emily Jennings & Katelynn Eppy

Drawing – Emily Jennings & Katelynn Eppy

The Elementary Art Award

Kindergarten- Ember Knifong & Ryker Cashatt

1st Grade- Harper Young & Carter Jungles

2nd Grade- Hadlee Lowman & Zane Hedges

3rd Grade- Lydia Sparks & Ely Rhoades

4th Grade- Jaycee Robinson & Rydge Stillwell

5th Grade- Khloe Wiese & Elijah Michaud

Homecoming Poster Winners

Pre K- Tennyson Floyd 1st, Mason Wayman 2nd, Lilly Lowman 3rd
Kindergarten- Weslynn Allnutt 1st, Moxen Liebhart 2nd, Henry Powgnas 3rd

1st Grade- Jones Morris 1st, Novah Strebe 2nd, Harper Young 3rd

2nd Grade- Hattie Gardner 1st, Hadlee Lowman 2nd, Oliver Hoskins 3rd

3rd Grade- Harper Small 1st, Evertt Powgnas 2nd, Jayla Strebe 3rd

4th Grade- Addison Hollon 1st, Jaycee Robinson 2nd, Karson Livingston 3rd

5th Grade- Alanah Gaudet 1st, Westyn Neal 2nd, Khloe Wiese 3rd

After School Art Program Certificate of Participation

4th Grade

Addison Hollon
Layton Flummer
Bennett Gardner
Remilee McCoy
Graceyn Floyd
Karson Livingston
Hayden Kehr
Jake Barber
Jaycee Robinson

5th Grade

Chloe Walton

Kindergarten Certificates

Weslynn Allnutt
Jose' Bell
Lalo Bell
Ryker Cashett
Jagger Clark
Ruby Guyer
Jude Hargrove
Ember Knifong
Moxen Liebhart
Ivan Marriott
Max Martin
Aleeah Moore
Easton Powgnas
Henry Powgnas
Xander Sizemore
Tymber Stillwell

Kindergarten Special Awards

Max Martin-Nerds for his intelligence and hard work in all areas.

Ryker Cashett- Sweetarts for being such a sweet friend to everyone in class.

Ruby Guyer- Milky Way-for setting an example for others by having quality work that was out of this world.

Ivan Marriott- M&M's- for being a marvelous and magnificent student.

Aleeah Moore- Skittles for having colorful ideas.

Tymer Stillwell- Twizzlers for dancing through the year with a great attitude and a flair for learning.

Easton Powgnas- Smarties for his intelligence and improving in all areas.

Jude Hargrove- Laffy Taffy for having the most fun while learning.

Ember Knifong- Lifesavers for always lending a hand to help others in class.

Jagger Clark- Whoppers for being a great storyteller.

Lalo Bell, Xander Sizemore and Jose Bell- 3 Musketeers for always being together.

Moxen Liebhart- Gummy Bear for being a caring and huggable class mate.

Henry Powgnas- Starburst for a star student who worked hard in all areas.

Weslynn Allnutt- Kit Kat- For always being there when the teacher needed a break.

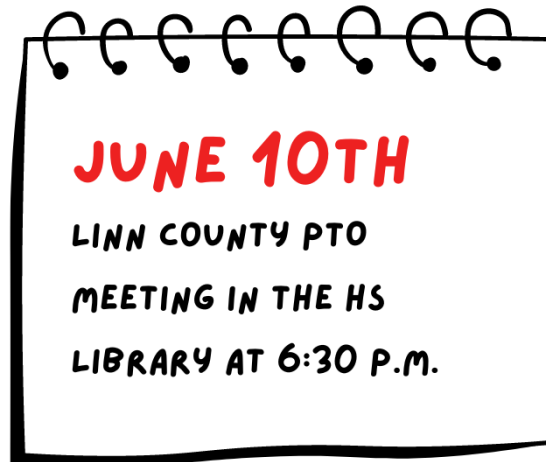
News from Mr. Shrum

I'd like to say thank you to everyone who supported Linn County R-1 this year. I know we will be seeing some of our students for an extra 15 days, but for the rest of you, we look forward to seeing you in the fall.

Open House will be on August 19th and will be open to parents and students from 3:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. Our first day of school will be August 20th!

Enjoy the Summer!

SAVE THE DATE



SUMMER I-READY INCENTIVE



This summer students will have the opportunity to complete i-Ready lessons at home. By completing lessons, students will earn a fun-filled field trip! The trip will be taken in the fall once students return to school. To qualify for the field trip students must complete at least 20 i-Ready reading AND 20 i-Ready math lessons.

Please encourage your child to participate in this opportunity to continue their learning and get rewarded for it!

THE FIELD TRIP WILL BE WORTH IT!

The incentive will run from the day we get out of school until July 31.

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Surplus Items

The Linn Co. R-1 School District will be accepting sealed bids on a variety of items. Anyone interested must pick up a form and submit it to the Superintendent's office by 3:00 P.M. on Friday, June 7th. The following items will be available for viewing from 8 A.M. - 3:30 P.M. Tues.-Fri, prior to June 7th. Items include: kitchen mats, galvanized posts (various sizes), projector, bus tires (11R 22.5), file cabinets (4), folding lunch table, 2 color printers, 16"x45" glass, 220 air conditioner window unit, along with a few other items. Pictures of these items can be found on the website under Surplus Items,

<https://www.linnr1.k12.mo.us/vnews/display.v/ART/664c0e0de04e8> . For questions call (660) 244-5045.



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Linn County R-1 Graduates



Congratulations to all of the 2024 graduates. Congratulations also to salutatorian Megen Sharp and valedictorian Mikaela Rojas.

Scholarships and Awards, Spring 2024

Valedictorian: Mikaela Rojas

Salutatorian: Megen Sharp

George Washington Carver Award: Mikaela Rojas

DAR Good Citizen Award: Mikaela Rojas

KMZU Academic Dream Team Award: Mikaela Rojas

A+: Conner Giebe, Emilee Heaney, Emily Jennings, Anna Lovett, Billy Richards, Mikaela Rojas, Megen Sharp, Anika Shoemaker-Miller

Emerson LaRoy Bell ~Employment

Katelynn Nichole Eppy ~Employment

Conner Michael Giebe ~North Central Missouri College- Trenton, MO

Blanche Maxwell Melvin Memorial Scholarship

\$1,000

Jeanette Hoffman Robison Scholarship

\$500

Remington Marshal Gooch ~Iron Eagle Welding Academy- Stockton, MO

Linn County R-I Non-Certified Staff Scholarship

\$250

<i>Linn County R-I PTO Scholarship</i>	\$250
<i>Linn County R-I Aggie Booster Award</i>	\$100

Emilee Marie Heaney ~Employment

Chapter AM PEO Scholarship in Memory of Karen Drake ~ Alternate

Emily Christine Jennings ~North Central Missouri College- Trenton, MO

<i>MFA Foundation Scholarship</i>	\$2,000
<i>Blanche Maxwell Melvin Memorial Scholarship</i>	\$1,000
<i>Perseverance - McMillin & Head Family Scholarship</i>	\$1,000
<i>Jack N. Young, Mildred M. Young, Noble J. Young and Myra A. Young Scholarship</i>	\$500
<i>Linneus School Alumni Scholarship</i>	\$300
<i>The Ben Burnett Memorial Democrat Scholarship</i>	\$300
<i>The Head/Miller Family Scholarship</i>	\$300
<i>Chapter AM PEO Scholarship in Memory of Karen Drake</i>	\$250
<i>Linn County R-I Future Teachers of America Scholarship</i>	\$200
<i>Dorothy L. Head Memorial Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	
<i>Gilbert D. Head Memorial Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	
<i>Pepsi Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	

Ariana Rae Klein ~Employment

Anna May Lovett ~North Central Missouri College- Trenton, MO

<i>Dorothy L. Head Memorial Scholarship</i>	\$750
<i>Pepsi Scholarship</i>	\$250
<i>Linn County R-I Aggie Booster Award</i>	\$100
<i>Hoover & Clark Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	
<i>Linn County R-I Non-Certified Staff Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	
<i>Linn County R-I National Honor Society Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	

Jon Wyatt Neal ~Air National Guard

Billy Charles Richards ~State Technical College of Missouri- Linn, MO

<i>Hoover & Clark Scholarship</i>	\$500
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Mikaela Elise Rojas ~Moberly Area Community College- Moberly, MO

<i>Agriculture Future of America Scholarship</i>	\$3,200
<i>Smithfield Family Scholarship</i>	\$2,500
<i>Missouri Beef Queen Scholarship</i>	\$1,500
<i>Youth in Agriculture Scholarship</i>	\$1,500
<i>Blanche Maxwell Melvin Memorial Scholarship</i>	\$1,000
<i>Linn County Cattlemen's Association Scholarship</i>	\$1,000

<i>Linn County Farm Bureau Scholarship</i>	\$1,000
<i>Missouri Cattlemen's Association Scholarship</i>	\$1,000
<i>Mrogenski Educational Trust Scholarship</i>	\$1,000
<i>Perseverance - McMillin & Head Family Scholarship</i>	\$1,000
<i>Gilbert D. Head Memorial Scholarship</i>	\$750
<i>Jerry Miller Memorial Vocational Scholarship</i>	\$750
<i>Linn County R-I Aggie Booster Scholarship</i>	\$750
<i>Bank of Brookfield-Purdin Scholarship</i>	\$500
<i>Eldon W. Tietsort Memorial Scholarship</i>	\$500
<i>Farmers Mutual Insurance Company of Linn County Scholarship</i>	\$500
<i>MACC Board of Trustees Scholarship</i>	\$500
<i>Moms Breaking the Silence Scholarship</i>	\$500
<i>Frances G. Thorne Scholarship</i>	\$370
<i>Linn County R-I CTA Scholarship</i>	\$350
<i>Hubert & Leta Lyons Scholarship</i>	\$300
<i>Dallas Kaschmieder Memorial Scholarship</i>	\$250
<i>Linn County Republican Women's Scholarship</i>	\$200
<i>Linn County R-I Student Council Scholarship</i>	\$200
<i>Linn County R-I Future Teachers of America Scholarship</i>	\$200
<i>Chapter R P.E.O. Scholarship</i>	\$125
<i>Linn County R-I National Honor Society Scholarship</i>	\$100
<i>Linn County R-I Non-Certified Staff Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	

Megen Leeann Sharp ~North Central Missouri College- Trenton, MO

<i>Blanche Maxwell Melvin Memorial Scholarship</i>	\$1,000
<i>Mollie J. and Nelson G. Allen Scholarship</i>	\$1,000
<i>Amanda Fordyce Scholarship</i>	\$500
<i>Hoover & Clark Scholarship</i>	\$500
<i>Linneus School Alumni Scholarship</i>	\$300
<i>Dallas Kaschmieder Memorial Scholarship</i>	\$250
<i>Linn County R-I Non-Certified Staff Scholarship</i>	\$250
<i>Linn County R-I Student Council Scholarship</i>	\$200
<i>Linn County R-I National Honor Society Scholarship</i>	\$100
<i>Bank of Brookfield-Purdin Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	
<i>Eldon W. Tietsort Memorial Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	
<i>Frances G. Thorne Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	
<i>Hubert & Leta Lyons Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	
<i>Jerry Miller Memorial Vocational Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	
<i>Linn County R-I CTA Scholarship ~ Alternate</i>	


Anika Riley Shoemaker-Miller ~Avila University- Kansas City, MO

<i>Avila University Presidential Scholarship</i>	\$120,000
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MAY 2024

LINN COUNTY R-1

SUMMER SCHOOL

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	PANCAKE on a STICK FRESH FRUIT	BISCUIT and GRAVY FRESH FRUIT	CINNI MINIS FRESH FRUIT
		CHICKEN NUGGETS GREEN BEANS APPLESAUCE BREAD and BUTTER	SPAGHETTI CORN FRUIT GARLIC TOAST	HAM SANDWICH CHIPS CARROTS APPLE SLICES
27	BREAKFAST PIZZA FRESH FRUIT	FRENCH TOAST FRESH FRUIT	MUFFIN / YOGURT FRESH FRUIT	CEREAL and TOAST FRESH FRUIT
	HAMBURGER on BUN BROCCOLI w/ CHEESE FRUIT	BEEF STEW COTTAGE CHEESE FRUIT CORNBREAD	CORN DOG MAC/CHEESE PEAS FRUIT	TURKEY and CHEESE SANDWICH CHIPS / RAW VEGGIES FRUIT SNACK

MILK and JUICE SERVED EACH DAY
MENUS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO AVAILABILITY

JUNE 2024

SUMMER SCHOOL

LINN COUNTY R-1 SCHOOL

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>BREAKFAST SANDWICH FRESH FRUIT 3</p> <p>TENDERLOIN on BUN FRIES / RAW VEGGIES DILL PICKLE SPEAR FRUIT</p>	<p>LONG JOHN FRESH FRUIT 4</p> <p>NACHO SUPREME MIXED VEGETABLES FRUIT</p>	<p>POPART / YOGURT FRESH FRUIT 5</p> <p>RAVIOLI CORN ON COB FRUIT BREAD STICKS</p>	<p>BISCUIT and GRAVY FRESH FRUIT 6</p> <p>HOT DOG on BUN CORN CHIPS MIXED VEGETABLES FRUIT</p>	<p>BREAKFAST PIZZA FRESH FRUIT 7</p> <p>SACK LUNCH</p> <p>Field trip</p>
<p>PANCAKE on a STICH FRESH FRUIT 10</p> <p>CHEESE or PEPPERONI PIZZA GREEN BEANS PEACHES / COOKIE</p>	<p>COOK'S CLEANUP CHOICE 11</p>	<p>COOK'S CLEANUP CHOICE 12</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>
<p>ENJOY YOUR SUMMER BREAK 17</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>
<p>24</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>



MILK and JUICE SERVED DAILY
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CHURCH OF BROWNING

ROMANS
12:2

BREAKER ROCK BEACH

**GOD'S ROCK-SOLID, TRUTH IN A WORLD
OF SHIFTING SANDS.**

3:30PM-6:30PM

**MEAL SERVED DAILY, BIBLE STUDY,
MUSIC, ARTS/CRAFT, GAMES
AND MORE!**



Age
4-12
years



MAY
20-24

**SUMMER SCHOOL BUS ROUTS
WILL BE DROPPING KIDS OFF AT THE CHURCH
IF INTERESTED !**

**DESIGN YOUR OWN PINE CAR & RACE
AT THE CONCLUSION OF VBS!**



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Superintendent
Devin Shrum, Principal



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LEARNING FOR TODAY,
PREPARING FOR
TOMORROW

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Board of Education

Racheal Neal, Pres. 12 years
Chad Gooch, V.P. 12 years
Shannon Murrell, 10 years
Daniel Singleton, 4 years
Jack Green, 3 years
Bryon Rojas, 1 year
Tod Sparks, April 2024