

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Sept. 17-Oct. 5 FFA Fundraiser
Oct. 10 Early Dismissal
Oct. 11 PAT, Preschool, Title One Night
Oct. 12 End of Quarter
Oct. 18 Early Dismissal
P/T Conferences 1-7 p.m.
FAFSA Completion Night
Yearbooks for \$20 TODAY
Oct. 19 No School
Nov. 14 Early Dismissal
Nov. 16 Mid Quarter
Nov. 20 Early Dismissal
Barnwarming
Nov. 21-23 Thanksgiving Break
Dec. 5 Early Dismissal
Dec. 20 Early Dismissal
Dec. 21-Jan. 4 Christmas Break
Jan. 4 In-Service (1st Possible Make-Up Day)
Feb. 1 Mid Quarter
Feb. 13 Early Dismissal
Feb. 18 Presidents Day
March 8 End of Quarter
March 14 Early Dismissal
P/T Conferences 1-7 p.m.
March 15 No School
April 3 Early Dismissal
Mustang Relays
April 18 Early Dismissal
April 19-22 No School
Spring Break
May 15 Early Dismissal
Last Day of School

May 16, 17, 20, 21, 22 Possible Snow Make-Up Days

Financial Aid-FAFSA Completion Night

October 18, 2018 5:00-7:00 in the high school computer lab. This is for all students that plan to attend college, technical school, or use A+ in the 2019-2020 school year. Each student and one parent must create an FSA ID before completing the FAFSA. In addition to the FSA ID, to fully complete the FAFSA students and parents must bring all 2017 tax documents, 2017 and 2017 bank records. If you have any questions please see Mrs. Black.

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Forage Systems Research Center Field Day 2018



On September 11, 26 members from the FFA chapter attended the MU research center field day located in Linneus. They learned about various Agriculture topics like: winter feeding options for cow-calf producers, evaluation of forage nutritive values of common pasture weeds, stretching winter stockpile resources, managing timber resources during drought, sunn hemp/tall fescue graduate research project, economic impact of drought on livestock operations, and USDA programs to help farmers. FFA members enjoyed great weather, education, and food!

Preschool Visit From the Nurse



The Preschool class would like to thank our School Nurse, June, for teaching us about healthy dental habits. We enjoyed seeing Mr. Clean Mouth and Mr. Bad Mouth and learning about the importance of brushing our teeth and going to the dentist! We now brush our teeth after we eat breakfast and after snack time!

Senior Spotlight



Chadley Jordan Waltz

“When I put on my uniform, I feel I am the proudest man on Earth.”

-Roberto Clemente

What are your future plans?

College

What activities are you involved in?

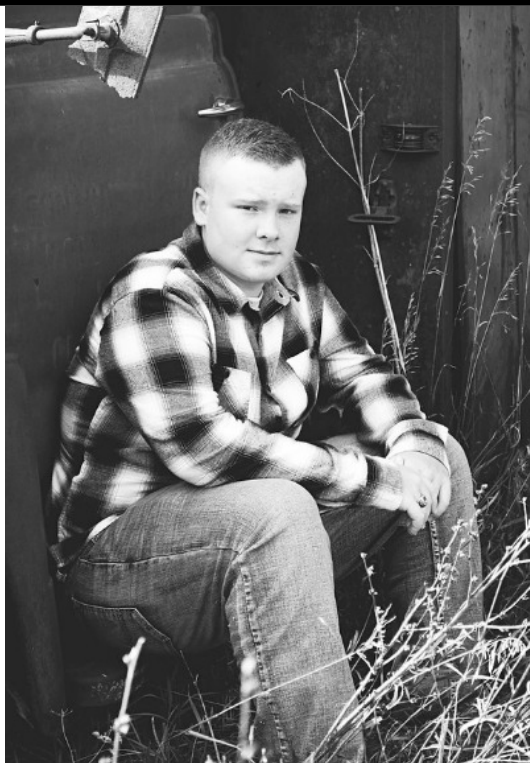
Baseball, Basketball, FFA

Describe yourself using three adjectives.

Athletic, Consistent, Rage

What is your favorite thing about Linn County?

How everyone is friends.



Levi Andrew Barker

“If you can’t fly, then run. If you can’t run, then walk. If you can’t walk, then crawl, but by all means, keep moving.”

-Martin Luther King Jr.

What are your future plans?

Go to NCMC and transfer to Missouri Western to get a bachelor’s in Criminal Justice.

What activities are you involved in?

Baseball, NHS

Describe yourself using three adjectives.

Smart, Hard working, Procrastinator

What is your favorite thing about Linn County?

The custodians.

What is your most embarrassing moment?

Tripping on the playground and cutting my leg open on a gutter.

Who at Linn County has influenced you the most and why?

Mr. Burkholder because he always taught me the right way and would always talk baseball.



Cody James Coram

“Dreams don’t work unless you do.”

What are your future plans?

To go to NCMC for an Associate’s in Ag Business then transfer to Northwest.

What activities are you involved in?

Baseball, FFA

What is your favorite thing about Linn County?

Small classes help students because you can get more one on one time with teachers.

Who at Linn County has influenced you the most and why?

Mrs. Morelock, she always pushed me to succeed in Science Olympiad and to never give up on it because she believed in me.

For sale - \$1,000

Tilt bed utility trailer

6’ X 10’

Tires are 205/75R15

2” X 12” treated lumber floor

If interested contact Ag Shop 660-244-5045

Constructed by students in Ag shop classes



THE DAILY BULLETIN CAN NOW BE VIEWED IN YOUR STUDENT(S) PARENT PORTAL. LINK IS ON THE HOMEPAGE.

News from Mrs. Gray

Grandparents Day

Fun was had by all!! Wow, what a turn out! We invited Grandparents to come in on Friday, September 7th. We had a lot of Grandparents attend and participate in the activity. We really appreciate the time all of the Grandparents took out of their day to come spend it with us. Thank You!

Halloween Party

This year we will be having our Halloween party on Wednesday, October 31st. There is a big push to give kids healthy snacks. Please take this into consideration when planning treats for the party. Some examples of healthy snacks are fruit and dips, vegetables and dip, pizza rolls, crackers and cheese, and juices. Parents may arrive at the school at 1:00 pm to help students change and to begin getting ready for the parties. The parade in the gym will begin at 1:30. There will not be any costume judging. Every child that participates will receive a treat as they leave the gymnasium. The students will parade the high school hallways and then immediately following the parading of the high school hallways, the classroom parties will begin. A letter about the parties will be sent home with the elementary students during the first part of October. WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU!!

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher conferences will be held on Thursday, October 18th beginning at 1:00 p.m. You will be sent home a scheduled time to visit with your child's teacher. Each teacher is on a pretty tight schedule so please try to be on time for your

slot. Conferences will be held from 1 pm-7 pm this year. The teachers will not be taking a scheduled supper break.

Fall Meeting And Activity Night

A beginning of the year meeting and activity night was held on Monday, September 26th to inform parents about several different programs that are available at our school. Programs that were discussed were PAT, Preschool, Homeless, Foster Care and Title One. The Linneus Fire Department also gave a presentation on fire safety. Thanks to those of you that were able to attend the meeting. If you have any questions regarding any of the programs please contact Candi Gray at 244-5035. A parent information and resource center can be found at the following website: www.missouri-pirc.org/

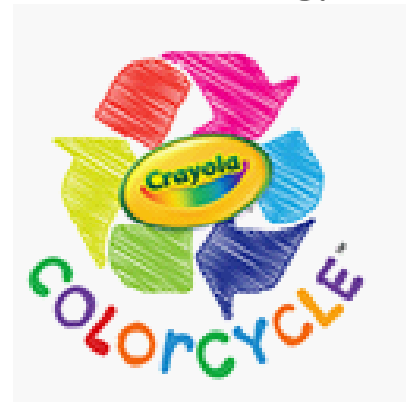
Middle School/High School

It is hard to believe that we are through the middle of the 1st quarter. The school year has been moving very quickly and has gotten off to a great start.

The softball and baseball seasons are going strong, with basketball season right around the corner. The Jr. High basketball teams will be starting their season with the Bucklin Tournament scheduled for October 6th-12th.

I would like to emphasize the importance of your student's attendance and getting their school work in on time. If you have any questions about your student's performance in a class or classes I urge you to contact their teacher. It is very important for parents to be involved in your student's achievements.

Turn Markers Into Energy



We're excited to tell you about a very special program we're again coordinating at our school in conjunction with Crayola. It's called Crayola ColorCycle – an amazing program devised to turn used markers into energy!

All around Linn Co. R-1 School students and teachers will be collecting used markers that are ready to be discarded. The markers will be sent to a facility where they will be converted into clean fuel. This fuel can be used to power vehicles, heat homes, cook meals and more! Thanks to everyone's help last year we collected and turned in 14 pounds of markers!!

Please help support our efforts by sending your kids in with any used markers, highlighters, permanent markers, etc. you may have around the house – even non-Crayola brands. Drop-off boxes will be located around the school for your child to deposit the markers.

Thank you in advance for participating! With the help of people like you across the country, the Crayola ColorCycle program can keep tons of plastic out of landfills each year. You can learn more at <http://www.crayola.com/colorcycle>.

Remember, don't throw out that used marker—ColorCycle it!



Toonfest

The Art II, Art III & Multimedia classes traveled to Marceline on Friday, September 14th to enjoy the 20th Annual Toonfest Student Day Symposium held at the Walsworth Community Building in Marceline. The students took part in the cartoon artists' workshop where they had the opportunity to meet some of the creative leaders in the cartoon field.

Paul Fell ~ former art professor and editorial cartoonist, now a freelance cartoonist.

Ken Alvin ~ created his company, Creative Comics, to develop and create cartoon properties such as comic strips, educational books, videos and the cartoon properties.

Liza Donnelly ~ is a writer and award-winning cartoonist with The New Yorker Magazine, where she has been drawing cartoons about culture and politics for over thirty years.

Kent Melton ~ is a sculptor who has worked for Warner Brother, Universal Studios, MGM Studios, Pixar Studios, Disney Films and the Disney Classic Collection.

Paul Trap ~ is the artist and writer of the comic strip "THATABABY", appearing online at gocomics.com and syndicated in print by Andrews McMeel Universal

At the conclusion of the event the students had the opportunity to pick up copies of the artists' work and ask for an autograph.



News From Mr. Livingston

Each year seems to move faster and faster and it is hard to believe that we are nearing the end of the first quarter of school. It is very important to stay involved with your child's grades and progress throughout the year. You, as a parent, can easily access grades by logging in on the Parent Portal on the school's homepage.

The softball/baseball teams' seasons are coming to a close with softball districts starting October 10th-13th and being held at Danner Park in Chillicothe. The school play is this Saturday, September

29th at 7pm. The students participating in the play have been working very hard on their performance. The junior high basketball teams have begun practice and will start their season off in the Bucklin Jr. High Tournament. The format is a little different this year; all of the first round games are being played on Saturday, October 6th. The full bracket will be put on the homepage when it is completed.

We have many activities that will be taking place around the school in the weeks ahead. The best way to stay up to date on upcoming events and changes is through our website and our **TEXT ALERT** system. The school cal-

endar can be accessed by clicking on the calendar link at the bottom of our homepage: www.linnr1.k12.mo.us. In order to sign up for the TEXT ALERT system, visit the homepage and click on Mustang Alerts. Follow the instructions that appear in order to receive school text messages. This is the fastest and most effective way to be informed of school cancellations, postponed events and upcoming events, etc. If you need further assistance, please call the school and I would be happy to help you get signed up.

I appreciate your continued support and I hope to see you at upcoming events.

8th Grade Observatory Field Trip

This year, the eighth grade class has started off the year with an astronomy unit in science class. On Friday, September 21st, we had the opportunity to go visit an actual working observatory at Truman State University, hosted by the Stargazers Club.

Although the weather did not cooperate enough to view much of the night sky, students were able to gain knowledge and first-hand experience with setting up and taking down a telescope, looking through a telescope and overall just understanding what an observatory is and how they work. Students rotated through three stations – the warm room, the main telescope and the outside viewing area.

In the warm room, students were able to learn more about the constellations, where and how to find them and even see what the night sky would look like if they were standing on different planets!

Most students agreed that the warm room was their favorite part because they were able to see the different constellations and learn about the mythology behind them. The main thing that people identify with the observatory is the dome, which houses their main telescope, a seventeen inch Celestron. Although we weren't able to use the large scope,

Finally, outside on the main viewing area students were able to practice setting up a telescope, pointing the scope to celestial objects and then taking the scope off of the pedestal properly. The clouds thinned just enough to see the light

of the moon and Vega, one of the seasons brightest stars.

To wrap up the night, the members of the Stargazers Club talked to everyone about the research that they work on at the observatory. Their research covers anything from astrophotography to searching

for exoplanets. The Stargazers Club also hosts frequent open house nights for the general public at the observatory. For more information and directions to the observatory, please visit their website: <http://observatory.truman.edu/>



Thank you to Wright Funeral Home for donating hygiene supplies and clothing to the school for student use.

Linn County R-1 Homeless Enrollment Form

1. Are you sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason? Explain if it is a similar reason. yes no Explain: _____

2. Are you currently residing at a motel, hotel, in a car, or at a campsite because your home has been damaged or because of economic reasons? yes no
3. Are you currently residing in a shelter? yes no
4. Are you currently living in a temporary housing arrangement due to economic hardship?
yes no

Signature

Dates

If you have questions, please call Ryan Livingston, Homeless Coordinator, at 660-244-5035

Homeless Liaison

Ryan Livingston, Superintendent

Parents/Guardians --- If anything has changed in your housing situation over the past few months please fill out the Homeless Enrollment form included in this mailing and return it to Ryan Livingston. The mailing address is 15533 Hwy KK PO Box 130 Purdin, MO 64674. The enrollment form is also included on our website: www.linnr1.k12.mo.us Go to the District Information tab and then click on Homeless.

Foster Care Liaison

(Foster Care Point of Contact)
Ryan Livingston, Superintendent

The Foster Care Policies are listed on our website: www.linnr1.k12.mo.us Go to the District information tab and then click on Foster Care.

Happy Birthday, Dear Grandpa

Linn County students have been working hard on preparing for the fall play, Happy Birthday, Dear Grandpa. The play will be held Saturday, September 29 at 7 p.m. in the Linn County Gymnasium.



**Linn County R-1
Home of the Mustangs**

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**Sign up for text alerts at
www.linnr1.k12.mo.us**

**Look for the Mustang Alerts
button on the right side of the
homepage.**

Administration:

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

LEARNING FOR TODAY,
PREPARING FOR TOMORROW

www.linnr1.k12.mo.us

Board of Education

Janis Guyer, Pres., 6 yrs
Chad Gooch, V.P., 7 yrs
Racheal Neal, 8 yrs
Brenda Search, 8 yrs
Shannon Murrell 5 yrs
Tim Coram 2 yrs
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Buy these things for \$20 and they will be gone in
less than a week:

- 2 extra value meals
- 1 movie night
- 1 night of bowling
- 1/2 tank of gas
- 1 bag of Halloween candy
- 1 mega roll pack of toilet paper

Buying a yearbook for **\$20** will last a lifetime.

**Yearbooks on sale one day only for \$20
Thursday, October 18
See Mrs. Hoyt in Room 8**

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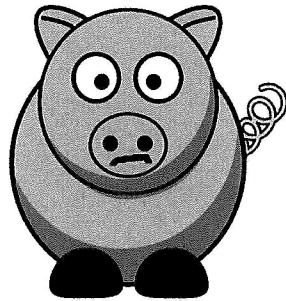
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 FFA Fundraiser SB/BB @ LC vs Tri-County 5 pm	2 FFA Fundraiser SB @ Milan 5 pm	3 FFA Fundraiser	4 FFA Fundraiser	5 FFA Fundraiser SB @ Northwestern 5 pm	6 NE District Trapshoot JH Bucklin Tournament
7	8 JH Bucklin Tournament	9 JH Bucklin Tournament	10 District Softball @ Danner Park, Chillicothe Food For America Early Dismissal 12:20 pm	11 JH Bucklin Tournament District Softball PAT, Preschool, Title One Night 6 pm	12 JH Bucklin Tournament District Softball Preschool Field Trip End of 1st Quarter	13 Truman Homecoming Parade
14 Conference Choir Rehearsal	15 Conference Choir Tour JHBB @ LaPlata 6 pm	16 JHBB @ LC vs Green City 6 pm	17 Board Meeting 7 pm	18 Early Dismissal 12:20 pm P/T Conferences 1 pm FAFSA Completion Night 5 pm	19 No School	20 Trenton Parade/Guard
21	22 JHBB @ Bevier 6 pm	23 JHBB @ LC vs Grundy Co 6 pm Flu Shot Clinic	24 National FFA Convention	25 National FFA Convention	26 National FFA Convention	27 National FFA Convention
28	29 JHBB @ LC vs BMC 6 pm	30	31	1 JHBB @ LC vs Brashear 6 pm	2 JHBB @ Novinger 6 pm	3

Friday, October 26

at 4:30 p.m.

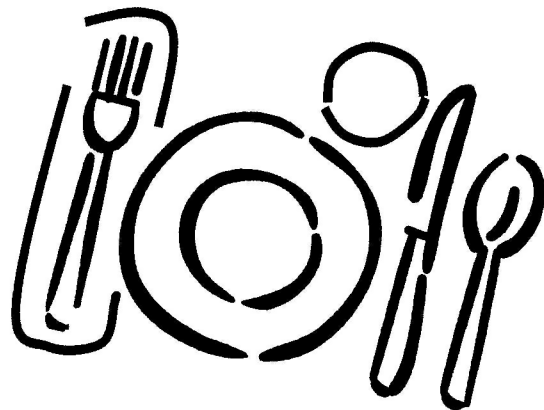
Junior Class Pulled Pork Dinner

Junior High Homecoming Game



Come for pulled pork and choice of two sides (coleslaw, potato salad, and baked beans) plus dessert and a drink!

**Free
Will
Donation**



**Proceeds to benefit Linn County R-1
Junior/Senior Prom!**

LUNCH

**OCTOBER 2018
LINN CO. R-1 SCHOOL**

DAILY CHOICES: CEREAL
CHEF SALAD OR PEANUT BUTTER SANDWICH

Monday

1
OATMEAL and TOAST
FRESH FRUIT

CHICKEN PATTIE
MASHED POTATOES and GRAVY
PEAS
FRUIT

pancake on stick
FRESH FRUIT

BEEF and BEAN BURRITO
CHEESE STICK
SPANISH RICE
FRUIT / COOKIE

15
EGG, CHEESE, & SAUSAGE
BISCUIT
FRESH FRUIT

B.B.Q. RIB on BUN
FRIES
CORN / FRUIT

22
FRENCH TOAST with SYRUP
FRESH FRUIT

CHICKEN STRIPS
RANCH POTATOES
SPINACH
FRUIT

29
EGG SANDWICH
FRESH FRUIT

CHICKEN FRIED STEAK
MASHED POTATOES / GRAVY
CARROTS / FRUIT

Tuesday

2
DANISH
FRESH FRUIT

RAVIOLI OR BEEF STEW
COLE SLAW
CORNBREAD
FRUIT

9
EGG CASSEROLE with TOAST
FRESH FRUIT

MEATLOAF
SCALLOPED POTATOES
GREEN BEANS
FRUIT

16
BREAKFAST BURRITO
FRESH FRUIT

CHICKEN and NOODLES
GREEN BEANS
APPLE SLICES
HOT ROLL

23
SCRAMBLED EGGS with HAM
FRESH FRUIT

BEEF STROGANOFF
STEAMED CARROTS
FRUIT
HOT ROLL

30
YOGURT PARFAIT / FRUIT
MINI MUFFIN

CHICKEN and CHEESE
QUESADILLA
CHIPS w SALSA
BAKED BEANS
FRUIT

Wednesday

3
BISCUIT and GRAVY
FRESH FRUIT

CHILI or POTATO SOUP
CHEESE STICKS
CRACKERS
FRUIT / CINNAMON ROLLS

10
BISCUIT and GRAVY
FRESH FRUIT

B.B.Q. PORK on BUN
TOTS
BAKED BEANS
FRUIT

17
BISCUIT and GRAVY
FRESH FRUIT

TACO'S
Lettuce/cheese/onions/tomatoes
RICE / REFRIED BEANS
STRAWBERRY CHEESECAKE

24
BISCUIT and GRAVY
FRESH FRUIT

SLOPPY JOE on BUN
CURLY FRIES
HOMINY
FRUIT

31
BISCUIT and GRAVY
FRESH FRUIT

HALLOWEEN MENU

Thursday

4
DANISH / YOGURT
FRESH FRUIT

CHICKEN SUIZA with RICE
ROASTED CORN
FRUIT

11
HAM and CHEESE BISCUIT
FRESH FRUIT

TURKEY POT PIE or MINI
CORNDOGS
MIXED VEGETABLES
FRUIT

18
WAFFLES with SYRUP
FRESH FRUIT

TENDERLOIN on BUN
FRIES
BROCCOLI
ICE CREAM BAR

25
OATMEAL / MINI MUFFIN
FRESH FRUIT

SALIBURY STEAK
MASHED POTATOES and GRAVY
GREEN BEANS
FRUIT

Friday

5
BREAKFAST PIZZA
FRESH FRUIT

TOASTED HAM and CHEESE
FRIES
V-8 JUICE
FRUIT

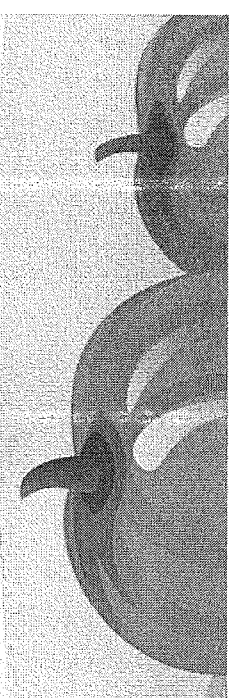
12
PANCAKES (2) SYRUP
FRESH FRUIT

TATER TOT CASSEROLE
PEAS
COTTAGE CHEESE
FRUIT

19
NO
SCHOOL

26
BACON/LETTUCE/TOMATO
FRESH FRUIT

SWEET and SOUR CHICKEN
SAVORY RICE
CALIFORNIA BLEND
FRUIT / FORTUNE COOKIES



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BREAD OF SOMEKIND IS ALSO AVAILABLE DAILY.

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