



Linn County R-I Ledger

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News from Mr. Shrum

March has come and gone and we only have a handful of weeks left in our school year. I'd like to thank everyone for their continued support of Linn County R-1. MAP/EOC testing is coming up in just a couple weeks. Please make sure your students are getting a good night's sleep in preparation for that.

As the year continues to move quickly, please get signed up for our Linn County R-1 Textcaster, follow Linn County R-1 on Facebook, and be sure to check your email regularly as we have begun and will continue to utilize Infinite Campus to send out information about events, grades, and other student information via email.

Masonic Lodge

The Masonic Home of Missouri made a donation to the Linn Co. R-1 school in the amount of \$1,500.00. We want to thank the Masonic Lodge for this gracious donation. The Masons that were here to present the check are from L-R: David Ingraham, Ed Street, Ryan Livingston and Dennis McQueen.



MAKE UP DAY

Monday, April 28th

School will be IN session!

Band and Choir News

Morgan Scheib participated in the Tri-County Conference Band this year. She had auditions in the morning on Saturday, March 8, and then rehearsed for the rest of the day. Morgan Scheib and Brantley Armstrong participated in the Tri-County Conference Choir this year. They had a few hours of rehearsal on Monday, March 10th. Both of these groups performed 3 concerts on Tuesday, March 11th: these concerts were at Green City, Novinger, and Brashear.



Summer Job Opportunities

We are now accepting applications for summer custodians. The position will start on Monday, May 26 th and continue through the first of August. Interested candidates may pick up an application at the Superintendent's office or on the district website: www.linnr1.k12.mo.us and is located under "Non-Certified Application". Please contact Ryan Livingston at 660-244-5045 with any questions you might have.

Applications will be accepted until Friday, April 11th with an anticipated hiring date of Wednesday, April 16th.

The Linn Co. R-I School District is an equal opportunity employer.

The Linn Co. R-1 School District is requesting bids for mowing and trimming the school premises for the 2025 mowing season. Bids should be submitted no later than April 11 th at 5:00 p.m. to Ryan Livingston, Superintendent. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Certificate of Insurance is required. Contact the school at 660-244-5045 for more information.

Ryan Livingston, Superintendent
Linn Co. R-I School
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All bids should be clearly marked on envelope "BID". All bids are due to the Superintendent's Office by 5 p.m. on April 11th, 2025.

Upcoming Events

4-9 8:30 a.m. JH/HS Track @ SW Ludlow/Chillicothe

4-10 D.A.R.E Graduation

Student of the Month

Congratulations to our March Students of the Month!

Junior High

Tripp Leonard and Chayse Reyes

High School

Charlotte Banta and Isaac Hollon

Spelling Bee



Our Spelling Bee was so much fun!! We have some amazing spellers and it was a long, hard fought battle to declare a winner.

Congratulations to all of the participants! Our top 2 spellers from each class will advance to the Linn County Spelling Bee, in Marcelline, on April 29th.

Top 2 for 6th Grade:	Top 2 for 5th Grade:
Westyn Neal	Hayden Kehr
Alanah Gaudet	Karson Livingston

Top 2 for 4th Grade:
Ely Rhoades
Harper Small



3rd Grade

1st Place- Hattie Gardner
2nd Place- Kayleen Brosdahl
3rd Place- Harlow Liebhart

Homecoming Poster Winners



Preschool

1st place- Emberly Allnutt
2nd place- Ada Wilkerson
3rd place- Thomas Gardner



Kindergarten

1st Place- Nick Kiel
2nd Place- Mason Wayman
3rd Place- Hudson Brown



1st Grade

1st Place- Weslynn Allnutt
2nd Place- Henry Powgnas
3rd Place- Jagger Clark



2nd Grade

1st Place- Harper Petre
2nd Place- Novah Strebe
3rd Place- Kai Parker

12 p.m. JH Track @ Brookfield

6 p.m. Spring Title Night

4-11 Mid Quarter

Next Generations Assembly

5 p.m. HS Baseball @ Brashear

4-12 District Scholar Bowl

4-14 SCHOOL IN SESSION

1:30 p.m. JH Track @ LaPlata

5 p.m. HS Baseball @ BMC

4-15 2:30 pm HS Track @ Salisbury

5 p.m. HS Baseball vs. Green City @ Home

4-16 8 a.m. JH/HS Track @ Carrollton

4-17 5 p.m. HS Baseball vs. Glasgow @ Home

4-18 SPRING BREAK- NO SCHOOL

4-22 7th Grade Career Expo

5 p.m. HS Baseball vs. Trenton

4-23 1 p.m. HS Track @ Milan

4-24 2:00 pm JH Track @ Salisbury

6 p.m., Spring Concert

4-28 SCHOOL IN SESSION- MAKE UP DAY

K-1st Grade Field Trip

9 a.m. JH/HS Track Conference Meet @ LaPlata

4-29 5 p.m. HS Baseball vs. Salisbury @ Home

5:30 p.m. Linn County Spelling Bee in Marcelline

Homecoming Poster Winners



4th Grade

1st Place: Wade Brown
2nd Place: Ely Rhoades
3rd Place: Beckett Shrum



5th Grade

1st Place- Addison Hollon
2nd Place- Remilee McCoy
3rd Place- Jake Barber

FFA News

Morgan Schieb completed State Officer interviews this evening at the area level. She will represent Area III and interview at the state level in April.

Congratulations to Morgan Scheib!

Congratulations to Morgan Scheib on being selected to participate in the State FFA Chorus! She will participate along with other students during the state convention in April.

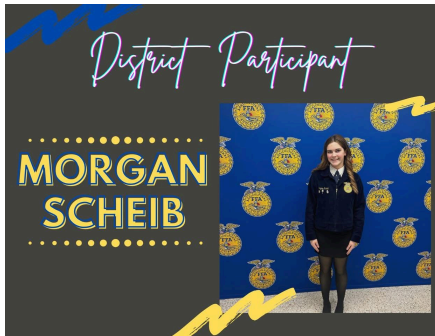
We are proud to announce that Isabela Rojas will be serving as the '25-'26 Area III 2nd Vice President. Carson Coram and Kenadi Head attended as delegates.

Gracie Small interviewed candidates with the other members of the 24-'25 officer team. Congrats Isabela!

Our FFA chapter has been working hard to prepare for the upcoming CDEs. With dedication and teamwork, we're sharpening our skills in events like Poultry, meat, dairy foods, and floriculture. Everyone's putting in the effort, and we're excited to show what we've learned with districts coming up!

Congratulations to our three State Degree recipients! They will be recognized on stage during the state convention on April 25th!

Cody Buswell - Myles Johnson - Morgan Scheib



FFA Dates to Remember

4/7: District CDE - Day 2 (ALL other teams)

4/23-25: State Contest

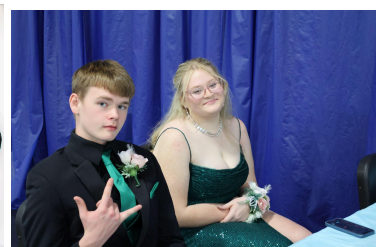


Once Upon a Prom

Prom was a huge success! The students looked amazing and danced the night away. Thank you to the Junior Class for fundraising for an amazing night and to our Freshmen servers, Susan Ruiz and June Barber. Last but not least, thank you to the amazing sponsors who took on this daunting task and made it look easy!

Mrs. Sayre and Mrs. Wiles, THANK YOU!

Prom Royalty: 2nd Runners Up: Jon Batista and Kasady Lorton, 1st Runners Up: Waylon Neal and Makenzie Hill, Prom King and Queen: Myles Johnson and Chelsea Morris



LINN COUNTY R-1 AGGIE BOOSTERS

FISH FRY

Saturday

19
APRIL

6-8 PM

Purdin Community Center



To-Go
Meals
Available



*Please come help support us through a “**free will**” donation meal with proceeds supporting local youth scholarships in agriculture and our communities.*

Linn County R-1 PTO
Invites you to the

Denim

& Diamonds

Family Dance

May 3, 2025

6pm-8pm

**Professional Photos available
(Small Moments Photography) @5:30pm**

Grand March @6pm

Linn County R-1 gym

**Free Event
Open to all
Linn County
R-1 students
0-5th grade**

**Daddy/Daughter
Mother/Son
joined event**

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Ryan Livingston, Superintendent

Devin Shrum, Principal

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PREPARING FOR TOMORROW

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Board of Education

Jack Green, Pres. 4 years

Daniel Singleton, V.P. 5 years

Racheal Neal, 13 years

Chad Gooch, 13 years

Shannon Murrell, 11 years

Bryon Rojas, 2 years

Tod Sparks, April 2024

