

## SCHOOL CALENDAR

April 29 Baccalaureate  
April 30-May 3 Senior Trip  
May 4 FFA Banquet  
May 5 District Track  
May 6 Graduation  
May 7 Preschool Graduation  
May 9 Athletic Awards Night  
May 12 Sectional Track  
May 12-19 District Baseball  
May 14-18 Washington D.C. Trip  
May 14 Elementary Track & Field  
May 16 Elementary Track & Field  
Raindate  
May 17 MS/HS Awards Assembly  
May 18 Early Dismissal  
End of Fourth Quarter  
End of Second Semester  
May 21 & 22 Teacher Workdays  
May 23-June 12 Summer School  
May 18 Memorial Day

## Thank You

Thank you from the junior class and sponsors to everyone that helped make Prom 2018 a success.



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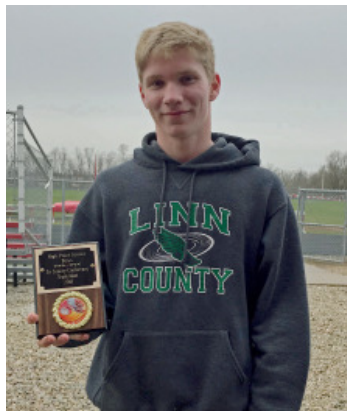
May 2018

## Academic Bowl



The Academic Bowl team of April Wood, Katie Smith, Caleb Schreiner (captain), William Wood, Zephyr Palmer, Brendan Ratliff, Trae Hoermann, Nathan Palmer, Cody Murrell, and Amelia Creason (manager) took on Bevier, BMC, Meadville, and Northwestern to earn 2nd place at the District Tournament on Saturday, April 14th. The team was seeded first for the tournament winning all 3 preliminary games. After beating out BMC in the semi-finals, the team advanced to face Meadville in the championship game. In addition to winning the 2nd place district plaque, Caleb was named as the MVP of the All-District team. The team finished their season with a 13-5 record and placed in districts for the first time since 1996. Congrats guys!

## Conference Track



Congratulations to Caleb Schreiner for winning the Golden Shoe Award at Conference Track on Wednesday, April 25. Caleb scored 40 points as he placed first in the 100m, 200m, 400m, and the 110m hurdles. Congratulations to all the junior high athletes on a successful season. In the upcoming week the high school track team competes in the Northwestern Relays on Monday, April 30 and District Track on Saturday, May 5.

# senior spotlight



*"Sometimes you gotta fall before you fly." - Unknown*

**What are your future plans?**

To go to Missouri Western for Nursing

**What activities are you involved in?**

Yearbook, FTA, Art Club

**Describe yourself using three adjectives.**

Carefree, Nonchalant, and Honest

**What is your favorite thing about Linn Co.?**

Seeing friends every day.

**What is your most embarrassing moment?**

When I was running out to the bus for school and I tripped and fell down the porch.

**Who at Linn Co. has influenced you the most and why?**

Mrs. Jennings because she has always believed in me.

**Kayleigh Renee LaFaver**

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*"To be old and wise you must first be young and stupid."*  
*- Earl Dibbles JR*

**What are your future plans?**

Join the workforce

**What activities are you involved in?**

GRTS

**Describe yourself using three adjectives.**

Hard-headed, Hard-working, and Gregarious

**What is your favorite thing about Linn Co.?**

Going to GRTS

**Who at Linn Co. has influenced you the most and why?**

Lenita has influenced me the most by making school fun and when I help her there is never a dull moment.

**Dalton Louis Liebhart**



*"This is the beginning of anything you want."*

**What are your future plans?**

I plan to work with my grandpa after I graduate.

**What activities are you involved in?**

FFA

**Describe yourself using 3 adjectives.**

Caring, Trustworthy, and Nice

**What is your favorite thing about Linn Co?**

My favorite thing about Linn Co. is Ms. Wiles. She helped me graduate.

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

Mrs. Wiles because she has taught me that honesty and good grades are important.

## Cole Edward Liebhart

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### Substitute Bus Drivers Needed

Linn County R-I is in need of substitute bus drivers. If you are aware of anyone that would be of interest please have them contact Mr. Livingston at 244-5045.

Substitute drivers are paid based upon the number of times that they drive a bus. While the frequency of driving can vary, it is a nice additional source of income that works well for farmers, stay at home mom's, and self-employed individuals who are free to drive on a flexible schedule.

Substitute bus drivers are typically the first in line when a new permanent bus driver is hired. So being a substitute driver can lead to a more permanent position if desired.

Drivers must be 21 years of age, and be able to receive a CDL license with the Class "S" endorsement, and pass a physical examination. The district will reimburse individuals for the time related to taking the driving test, will pay for the costs of the driving test, the criminal background check and the physical, In addition the district will provide assistance in studying for the driving test .

A school bus driver has a unique relationship with the students. It is an important responsible position that can not be left to just anyone. We need strong community members to help in this important educational role. For application or more information call 244-5045.

### Field Trip Fun



Second and third grade enjoyed a field trip to Arrow Rock, Missouri where third grade learned about famous Missourians from the Arrow Rock area. Second grade learned about early life and roles in school and family life. They used quill pens and slate boards in a one room school house and participated in chores that children their age would have done in the mid 1800's. Both classes had a wonderful time.

## News from Mrs. Gray

It is hard to believe that we are nearing the end of the school year. We have been very busy here and the events on the calendar seem to multiply every day. The students have started some EOC and MAP testing. We will continue to test throughout the month of May. The spring baseball and track teams have had a shaky start to their season because of the weather. Hopefully, the weather will stay nice so the teams can finish strong. The conference track meet was held April 25th. The district baseball tournament will be held at Pattonsburg this year. District Baseball begins May 12th. State track will be held in Columbia on May 18th and 19th. I urge you to come out and support our athletes. The FFA banquet will be held on May 4th and the Athletic award ceremony will be on May 9th. The seniors finished with their high school classes on April 27th. They will be on their way to the Lake of the Ozarks for the senior trip April 30th-May 3rd. I have enjoyed working with the seniors this year and wish them success throughout their lives. It has been exciting to watch them grow. The Baccalaureate date is April 29th with Graduation being held on May 6th. Thank you for your continued support of our school and please mark your calendars for the middle school/high school awards assembly on May 17th at 1:00 pm.

### Track/Field Day

The elementary track/field day will be held on Monday, May 14th with a rain date of Wednesday, May 16th. This year for track/field day each grade

level will participate in many different activities. The students will also enjoy a sack lunch, which is provided by the school on that day. A letter with more details about the day will be sent home closer to the day of the event. We hope to see you on track/field day!!!! The elementary awards assembly will be held on the same day as track and field day. The awards assembly will begin at 1:30 pm.

### Elementary Spring Music Concert

The Elementary Spring music concert was held on Thursday, April 26th at 7:00 p.m. Mrs. Phinney and the students worked very hard to prepare for the concert and they did a great job.

### Last Day of School

Our last day of school is May 18th. We will dismiss at 12:20 p.m. that day. Please make sure your child has a backpack or some type of bag on that day. The students have a lot of end of the year things to bring home on that day and it is very helpful if they all have something to carry their things in. **THANK YOU AND HAVE A WONDERFUL SUMMER!!**

**DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP FOR SUMMER SCHOOL. PLEASE TURN IN YOUR SUMMER SCHOOL FORMS BY THE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL. SUMMER SCHOOL WILL BE MAY 23rd-JUNE 12TH.**

## Thank you for Helping with the 5th Grade's Recycling Efforts

Thank you to everyone that recycled markers. We sent almost 14 lbs. of used markers to the Crayola Color Cycle Program for recycling. The markers will be converted into clean fuel that can be used for energy to power vehicles, heat homes, cook meals, and more! Keep collecting over the summer because Mrs. Rehbein's 5th grade group will do this again next school year.

Thank you,

Mrs. Rehbein & her 5th grade group



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Home of the Mustangs**

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[www.linnr1.k12.mo.us](http://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](http://www.linnr1.k12.mo.us)

**Board of Education**

Janis Guyer, Pres., 6 yrs  
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Brenda Search, 8 yrs  
Shannon Murrell 5 yrs  
Tim Coram 2 yrs  
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## Congratulations Cole



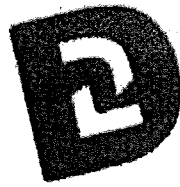
The Linn County Health Department sponsored a seat belt check activity during the month of April. A seat belt check was done as students were leaving school. Those students that were wearing their seat belts had their name entered in a drawing for a \$20 Casey's gift card. The winner of the gift card was Cole Liebhart. Congratulations Cole and thank you to the Linn County Health Department for sponsoring the event.

**FREE**  
**Training hosted by the**  
**9<sup>th</sup> Circuit Juvenile Office**

**Friday, June 8, 2018**  
**Brookfield Ambulance District**  
**1:00 – 3:00 p.m.**

**This session is intended for**  
**Parents, Guardians and Caregivers**

**Please RSVP**  
**Shaunna Stallo 660-895-5022**  
**Shaunna.Stallo@courts.mo.gov**



## **DARKNESS TO LIGHT**

**END CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE**

### **What is *Stewards of Children*?**

- *Stewards of Children* is the sexual abuse prevention curriculum being trained across Missouri by facilitators including Missouri KidsFirst and the Office of Child Advocate.
- A proactive answer to child sexual abuse prevention.
- A two hour facilitator led training program that incorporates a combination of survivor stories, expert advice, and practical guidance.
- An evidence-informed prevention solution that shows organization administrators, staff, and volunteers how to implement effective prevention policies, recognize the signs of sexual abuse in children, and react responsibly if abuse occurs.

### **Why choose *Stewards of Children* for your organization?**

- *Stewards of Children* was developed to meet the needs of a variety of audiences including parents, child serving organizations, educators, and community members.
- Participants will receive workbooks they can take home at no cost with funding from the Children's Trust Fund, Missouri Foundation for Health, and Office of Child Advocate.
- The training is all inclusive - covering how to minimize opportunity for sexual abuse both from a parent's perspective and an organization's perspective; how to spot the signs of grooming and abuse; how to react to a disclosure; and *Stewards* is one of the few to raise awareness that children can hurt other children – an area that many parents and organizations fail to prevent.
- All participants will walk away from *Stewards of Children* with not only raised awareness but concrete action items they can implement at a personal and organizational level.

### **What Outcomes Can Be Expected After Training?**

- Increased awareness of the prevalence, consequences and circumstances of child sexual abuse.
- Participants will be able to identify what situations create the risk for abuse as well as identify grooming behaviors and techniques used by perpetrators.
- Practical strategies for protecting children from sexual abuse.
- How to intervene and react responsibly if warning signs appear or abuse is discovered.
- Proactive, positive change to organizational policies and procedures.
- Individual commitment to action via a personal prevention plan.

**Presented by Kelly Schultz  
Missouri Office of Child Advocate**

# Pershing Health System

is pleased to announce

## Free Wellness Exams

for any student living within the  
School Districts of Linn County

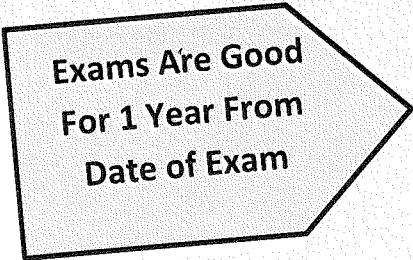
These exams will be available free of charge from **9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** on the following event dates only:

**Saturday, May 5, 2018**

**Saturday, May 12, 2018**

**Saturday, May 19, 2018**

**Saturday, June 9, 2018**



Exams Are Good  
For 1 Year From  
Date of Exam

Free Wellness Exams will be offered to any child of Linn County beginning at age 3 up to high school seniors. The exams will be offered at the Applegate Medical Group office, lower level of the Applegate Medical Building, 125 E. Lockling, Brookfield.

**If a student is in need of the MSHSAA Pre-Participation Physical Evaluation**, bring the completed MSHSAA form with you on the exam date and this physical will be provided free of charge. Also, if student wears glasses or contacts, he/she must wear to the exam.

**PLEASE NOTE:** We will not take appointments for these services and the free wellness exam is available only on the event dates listed above. Please allow time in your schedule to complete necessary paperwork and wait time for the exams. ***Paperwork is available for pickup prior to exam dates for your convenience.*** We anticipate a large response; therefore, we appreciate your patience and understanding during these events. For questions, please contact Lorna Woodside, Clinic Director, at 660-258-1041 or [cma\\_manager@phsmo.org](mailto:cma_manager@phsmo.org).

[www.phsmo.org](http://www.phsmo.org)

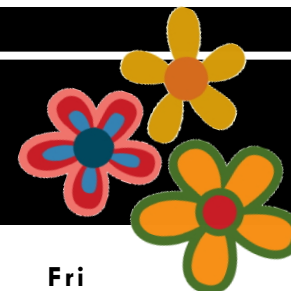


# May 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29 2:30pm: Baccalaureate	30 Senior Trip 1:30pm HS Track @ Brookfield (NW Meet) 5pm BB@ LC vs Novinger	1 Senior Trip 5th Grade Farm Safety Day	2 Senior Trip	3 Senior Trip 5pm: BB @ LC vs Bevier	4 6pm: FFA Banquet	5 District Track @ Bethany
6 2:30pm: Graduation	7 6:30pm: Preschool Graduation	8 5pm: BB @ Northwestern (Mendon)	9 6:30pm: Athletic Awards Night	10	11	12 District Baseball @ Pattonsburg  Sectional Track
13 District Baseball @ Pattonsburg	14 District Baseball @ Pattonsburg Washington D.C. Trip Elementary Track and Field Day	15 District Baseball @ Pattonsburg Washington D.C. Trip	16 District Baseball @ Pattonsburg Washington D.C Trip Elementary Tack and Field Day Raindate	17 District Baseball @ Pattonsburg Washington D.C. Trip PreK-5 Celebration @ Pershing Park 1pm: MS/HS Awards Assembly	18 District Baseball @ Pattonsburg Washington D.C. Trip Early Dismissal @ 12:20 Last Day of School State Track	19 District Baseball @ Pattonsburg  State Track
20	21 Teacher Workday	22 Teacher Workday	23 Summer School	24 Summer School	25 Summer School	26 Summer School
27	28 Memorial Day	29 Summer School	30 Summer School	31 Summer School	1 Summer School runs through June 12	

# May 2018



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>Breakfast Menu is Underlined</p> <p>Some items subject to change at the end of the year</p>	<p><u>Breakfast Burrito</u> Alfredo Chicken Tossed Salad Cheese Sticks Fruit</p>	<p>1 <u>Pancakes</u> BBQ Pulled Porkwrap Cole Slaw Baked Beans Fruit</p>	<p>2 <u>Biscuit &amp; Gravy</u> Smokey Chicken Nachos Black Beans Side Kicks</p>	<p>3 <u>Breakfast Sandwich</u> Sloppy Joe Fries Scalloped Corn Fruit</p>	<p>4 <u>French Toast</u> Tacos Bean Dip/ White Cheese Dip Black Bean/Corn Salsa</p>	<p>5 Chocolate and 1% white milk served with lunch</p>
6	<p>7 <u>Sausage/Toast</u> Baked Potato Bar Broccoli Strawberry Cheesecake</p>	<p>8 <u>Breakfast Slider</u> Hot Dogs Lima Beans Mac &amp; Cheese Fruit</p>	<p>9 <u>Biscuit &amp; Gravy</u> Smothered Steak Scalloped Potato Beans Fruit</p>	<p>10 <u>Ham &amp; Egg Casserole</u> Tater Tot Casserole Peas Fruit</p>	<p>11 <u>Poptarts</u> Biscuit &amp; Gravy Hash Rounds Oranges</p>	<p>12 Chef Salad or Peanut Butter Sandwich are daily choices for lunch</p>
13	<p>14 <u>Breakfast Pizza</u> Sack Lunch Sub Sandwich Chips Rice Krispie Treat</p>	<p>15 Cooks Choice</p>	<p>16 <u>Biscuit &amp; Gravy</u> Cooks Choice</p>	<p>17 <u>Cooks Choice</u> Ham Sandwich Chips Apple Slices Candy</p>	<p>18 <u>Cooks Choice</u> Pizza Corn Ice Cream Bar</p>	<p>19 Cereal choice daily for breakfast Variety of fruit &amp; 100% fruit juice</p>
20	21	22	23	24	25	<p>26 Chocolate and 1% white milk, orange, apple, cherry/apple, and grape served with breakfast</p>
27	28	29	30	31		