




Lewiston Consolidated School District Newsletter

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Tiger Reading Club:

“Ten Minutes A Day is all it Takes to Build Key Reading Skills”

These Tigers are getting their read on!!! Those that reached their reading goal and turned in their calendars read 17,566 minutes!!!! **OUTSTANDING** and a big shout out goes to the 1st Graders for having 60% of their class turn in their reading calendars. Top readers for the month were 2nd grader, Darrien Howe, with 730 minutes and 5th grader, Caleb Rule, with 3,005 minutes!



Important Dates to Remember

Tuesday, March 7

End of 3rd Quarter

Wednesday, March 8-10

NO SCHOOL

Monday, March 12

Daylight Saving Time Begins

Monday, March 13

4th Quarter Begins

Tuesday, March 21

NO SCHOOL - Lewiston is hosting MUDECAS Music



Congratulations to the Lewiston Spelling Bee winners!

3rd Grade: 2nd-Jayden Nickels, 3rd-Bo Parde
 4th Grade: 2nd-Elijah Bredemeier
 5th Grade: 1st-Jaxon Janssen, 3rd-Tristen Ray
 6th Grade: 1st-Ean Rule, 3rd-Lynn Blanchard
 7th Grade: 3rd-Kienen Creek
 8th Grade: 1st-Jonathan Janssen, 2nd-Masyn Arena, 3rd-Taylor Anderson



MARCH LUNCH MONEY AMOUNTS

Full Breakfast	PK-6 Lunch	7-12 Lunch	Reduced Breakfast	Reduced Lunch	Snack Milk
\$32.00	\$47.00	\$57.00	\$6.00	\$8.00	\$7.60

Please note: Snack milk is not included in free & reduced lunch program

Lewiston Consolidated School

Vision: “Every Lewiston Student Educated for Success!”

Mission: “Empowering students to become confident and creative builders of their future.”

2017 SPRING ACTIVITIES AND BANQUETS

Friday, April 7

PK-6 Spring Music Program
7:00 p.m.

Monday, April 10

Jr./Sr. High Spring Music Program
7:00 p.m.



Friday, April 28

Academic and Athletic Awards Evening
The Awards Program will include academic and athletic awards, NHS tapping, and 8th grade graduation.
Time TBA

Monday, May 1

FFA Banquet
6:30 p.m. – north gym



Tuesday, May 9

Elementary Olympics
12:00 p.m.



Thursday, May 11

Elementary Olympics – Rain Date
12:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 14

Lewiston Class of 2017 Graduation
2:00 p.m. – north gym



Elementary Awards Ceremony
TBA



**Lewiston performs at
MUDECAS Music contest
on March 21. Go Tigers!!**



PowerSchool Information:

As of March 9, 2017, the site for Lewiston's PowerSchool will change to <https://lewiston.nebps.org/public/>

Please update any bookmarks. If you have any questions or problems, please call Jeanine at the school.

Remember, PowerSchool also has an app that can be downloaded. Lewiston's district code is: ZGCT.

FFA Honors

Congratulations to the following FFA members for their fine showing at the District 1 FFA Leadership Skills Events on Tuesday, January 31.

State Qualifier 1st Natural Resources Speaking - Megan Wehrbein
State Qualifier 1st Cooperative Speaking - Cari Howell

1st Alternate to State Ag Demonstration Team:
Logan Anderson, Megan Wehrbein, Cari Howell & Kristin Meybrunn

1st Alternate to State Jr Public Speaking - Logan Anderson
1st Alternate to State Discovery Speaking - Taylor Anderson
1st Alternate to State Ag Literacy Speaking - Masyn Arena

Congratulations Speech Team!

Saturday, February 4th, the Speech team competed at the Big O Speech Tournament in Beatrice. We had some of our speakers receive ribbons for their outstanding performances: 3rd place in his Second round of Persuasive was Logan Anderson, 3rd place in their first round of Duet were Skyler Black and Teagan Gydesen, 2nd place in their second round of Duet were Karen Keyes and Cari Howell, and 2nd place ribbons for Reesa Wilcox in both her rounds of Serious Prose. Reesa made it to the finals in Serious Prose and took home a 5th place Medal overall. Congratulations to Danyelle Neumann and Skyler Black for their Speech performances in Persuasive and Poetry rounds. Keep working hard on those Speeches!!!!



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**Pre-School Roundup for 2017-18
(for new enrollment only)**

Thursday, April 13, 2017
Starts at 9:00 a.m. - finish by 10:00 a.m.
Held in Pre-K rooms
(enter SE corner of school)

**School Year
Class Schedule**
Monday-Friday
8:15 am – 3:30 pm

AGE REQUIREMENTS:
Pre-K 3: must be 3 years old by July 31, 2017
Pre-K 4: must be 4 years by July 31, 2017

ITEMS TO BRING TO ROUNDUP ARE:
 -Child's birth certificate
 -Child's Immunization Record

Parents will complete ALL necessary paperwork and visit with the classroom teacher while the children are involved in activities.

After reviewing application, you will be contacted by mail regarding your child's enrollment for the 2017-18 school year at Lewiston.



Left is a picture of Lewiston's visiting Author, N.L. Sharp. She is pictured reading a book to the 1st Grade class. Nancy shared her books and talked to the students about writing on January 23.

Wow! The "Happy Camper Book Fair" met our goal with \$2,779.78 in sales! We were able to spend the profits by giving \$800 in books to classroom libraries, \$170 for gift certificates to those students reaching their AR reading goal, and \$730 for library books. The lollipop "All for Books" brought in \$65. A huge thanks goes to the PTO for helping with the book fair! The elementary students will be watching the "Yogi Bear" movie March 7 during the afternoon as a reward for reaching our book fair goal.

Demario King and Aubrey Sisco were the winners of the "Guess the Amount of Worms" contest. They both guessed 102, so they received 51 gummy worms each.





Counselor's Currents

March 2017



Congratulations students on earning the FAIRNESS award!



Kindergarten: Ethan Peck, Madyson Hill, Mia Shinn, Adelai Meyer, Issabel Meyers, Chase Rule
First Grade: Jordan Turner, Grady Weyers, Bryleigh Crouse, Colter Steinacher, Kessa Phillips, Brock Janssen, Savannah Cutshall, Chloe Carel
Second Grade: Erika Buckingham, Darrien Howe, Cashton Steinacher, Libby Smith, Adelyn Sisco, Brennan Nickels, Brady Nelson, Tana Antons, Ethan Cerveny, Tyson Cerveny, Raustin Tracy, Evan Christen, Justice Currie



Third Grade: Bo Parde, Brooklynn Dunn, Jayden Nickels, Cooper Swendener
Fourth Grade: Jenna Anderson, Elijah Bredemeier, Haylee Howe
Fifth Grade: Brady Bledsaw, Ariana Fetherkile, Alex Rush, Aaliyah King
Sixth Grade: Lynn Blanchard, Persefenie Woutzke, Ryan Pallas, Ean Rule

Wrapping up your senior year Seniors...stay on track for college by completing these second-semester tasks:

- *Watch your grades. If you slack off and get poor grades, your college admission could be revoked.
- *Complete the financial aid process. By now, you should have filed your FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid). If you haven't, apply at fafsa.gov. Compare financial aid award notifications. The colleges you listed on your FAFSA will send you notifications detailing the financial aid they're offering. Compare the notifications to determine which school provides the best package.
- *Apply for scholarships. See ScholarshipQuest at EducationQuest.org to find Nebraska-based scholarships and a list of national scholarship sites. Make your final college selection. Notify the other colleges so they can take you off their mailing list.
- *Pay attention to deadlines. Be aware of deadlines to accept financial aid and college admission offers, housing deposit, and new-student orientation.

March "To Do" List

Seniors

- ___ If you haven't already, complete your FAFSA!
- ___ Expect financial aid award notifications during March and April.
- ___ Give a copy of any award notifications, college acceptance, etc. to Mrs. Houston
- ___ Continue applying for scholarships.

Juniors

- ___ Register by March 3 for the April 8 ACT.
- ___ Schedule campus visits.

Juniors...why you should narrow your college choices now ~ Narrow your college choices soon to prepare for these upcoming activities:

ACT college entrance exam. When you take the exam this spring, you'll be asked to provide a list of colleges that should receive your score.

Completion of the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid). You and your parents can complete the FAFSA beginning October 1 of your senior year. The colleges you list on the form will receive the results.

2016-2017 ACT TEST DATES

Test Date	Registration Deadline*	Late Registration Period* (Late Fee Required)	Photo Upload Deadline
April 8	Mar. 3	Mar. 4-17	Mar. 31
June 10	May 5	May 6-19	June 2





Valentine Balloons



Staff Breakfast



Finalist SPOONS tournament



Choice
Is Chocolate
Contest

LCS Week

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE, MARCH 8

March 8, 2:30-7:00
Red Cross Bloodmobile
Call 402-865-4675 for
appointment



From the Corner Room

Welcome Spring! The pace is picking up in the FACS room.

7th Grade Study Skills – The time for the 7th grade study skills class will be completed March 7th at the end of the third quarter. 8th grade boys and girls will be having classes in FACS alternating with chorus.

Embroidery/Textile class is taking orders and creating textile projects.

Junior High Study Hall has eleven students that use this time to complete assignments and study for their classes. Science Fair projects will take up some of their time as the March deadline approaches.

Foods 2 class consists of 5 students. The students have learned how to make quick breads and yeast breads. They will be crafting desserts and then moving into international recipes.

6 PBL and 8 PBL classes are using their class time to learn new skills and interests exploring and completing DIY projects.



Eight **Housing** students are excited about learning to landscape the area outside the FACS room. They researched soils, water, light, and plants. They presented their ideas at the February School Board meeting. They were excited to start the very next day after the Board meeting cleaning up the site.





Mr. Barnard shares wildlife bird facts with the Pre-K 4 class.

Lewiston eighth grade students enrolled in Mr. Barnard's Natural Resources class recently dissected owl pellets. The pellets are provided by the Nebr. Game & Parks Commission through Project Wild. Mr. Barnard is a Project Wild Instructor.

The activity was to explain predator-prey relationships.

Working the classroom activity was Hayden Christen & Jacob Condit (below left); Taylor Anderson and Zach Pittman (below middle) and Autumn Packett & Savannah Anderson. (below right)



FFA STATE OFFICER VISITS LEWISTON

The Lewiston FFA Chapter hosted State FFA Vice-President, Collin Swedberg at Lewiston School February 15th. Mr. Swedberg is a freshman Ag Education major at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. His hometown is Wallace, NE.

Collin spent the day visiting junior and senior high classes. His topics centered on careers, interviewing, being an advocate, Nebraska Foods and hot topics in agriculture.

Collin and his 2016-17 Nebraska State FFA Officer team will retire at the April 7th FFA Convention in Lincoln. There are seven Nebraska state officers. The statewide visits are funded in part by the Nebraska Corn Board.





Lewiston FFA Competes at District Contests

The Lewiston FFA Chapter qualified two speakers at the District 1 FFA Leadership Skills Events on Jan. 31st. The competition was held at the SCC-Beatrice campus. There are 16 Southeast Nebraska schools in the District. The contests were State Qualifying events for the April 5-7th, 2017 Nebraska FFA Contests in Lincoln. The top two teams or individuals qualify for state. The top three teams or individuals received medals. Thirteen contests held were conducted.

The Ag Demonstration team of Kristin Meybrunn, Logan Anderson, Cari Howell and Megan Wehrbein placed 3rd and were the first alternate to state. They received bronze medals and a team purple ribbon.

In Junior Public Speaking, Logan Anderson placed 3rd with a blue ribbon and earned the bronze medal. He is first alternate to state. Dana Christen received a red ribbon.

Megan Wehrbein brought home the gold medal and qualified for State in Natural Resources Speaking. She received first purple.

Chapter President Cari Howell won the Cooperative Speaking Contest. Cari earned first purple, a gold medal and the right to compete in Lincoln.

Junior High student Masyn Arena earned the top blue ribbon and a bronze medal in AG Literacy Speaking. She is first alternate to State.

Eighth graders Taylor Anderson and Ty Young competed in AG Discovery Speaking. Taylor earned the top blue and a bronze medal. She is the alternate to state. Ty received a red ribbon.

In the Job Interview competition senior Kristin Meybrunn won the top blue in her group. Sophomore Reesa Wilcox was the top blue in her group. Both girls just missed the finals. Twenty students were entered in this contest.

Chapter Secretary Miah Fulton earned a white ribbon in Senior Public Speaking.

The eighth grade team of Masyn Arena, Taylor Anderson, Jon Janssen and Cayd Wilgers competed in the Junior High Ag Quiz Bowl. Their team only lost to eventual champion Pawnee City in a tie-breaker. Johnathan Burgett, Hayden Christin, Wyatt Currie and Ty Young also competed as a team in ag quiz bowl.






Lewiston FFA Speech Team (Back Row, L to R) Megan Wehrbein, Kristin Meybrunn, Logan Anderson, Miah Fulton (Front Row) Reesa Wilcox, Dana Christen, Cari Howell



Lewiston FFA Junior High District Speech Presenters were: (L to R) Masyn Arena, Ty Young, and Taylor Anderson

LEWISTON CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS

MARCH 2017

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		1 CHEESE PIZZA SALAD MIX VEGETABLES/FRUIT	2 CHILI CHEESE DOG BAKED TATER TOTS VEGETABLES/FRUIT	3 BREAKFAST FOR LUNCH FRENCH TOAST EGG BAKE FRUIT MUFFIN
6 BEEF PHILLY PITA SANDWICH SALAD MIX VEGETABLES/FRUIT	7 HAMBURGER IN WG BUN SUN CHIPS VEGETABLES/FRUIT COOKIE	8 NO SCHOOL TEACHER INSERVICE	9 NO SCHOOL	10 NO SCHOOL 
13 CHICKEN SANDWICH TATER TOTS VEGETABLES/FRUIT	14 LITTLE SMOKIES STEAK FRIES BREAD/BUTTER FRUIT	15 MAC & CHEESE HOT DOG IN WG BUN BAKED BEANS VEGETABLES/FRUIT	16 WALKING TACO SPICE FRIES VEGETABLES/FRUIT BROWNIE	17 SPAGHETTI & SAUCE SALAD MIX GARLIC BREAD VEGETABLES/FRUIT
20 RIB SANDWICH BAKED FRIES BAKED BEANS VEGETABLES/FRUIT	21 NO SCHOOL 	22 KWIK DISH MASTACCIOLI PASTA SALAD MIX BREAD STICKS VEGETABLES/FRUIT	23 CORN DOGS CORN CHIPS VEGETABLES/FRUIT COOKIE	24 EARLY OUT PB&JELLY SUN CHIPS CHEESE STICKS VEGETABLES/FRUIT
27 CHICKEN NUGGETS POTATOES/GRAVY VEGETABLES/FRUIT	28 TATER TOT CASSEROLE BREAD/STICKS VEGETABLES/FRUIT	29 CHEESY TACO STICKS SALAD MIX VEGETABLES/FRUIT	30 CHICKEN GRAVY ON BISCUIT VEGETABLES/FRUIT CAKE	31 CHEESE PIZZA SALAD MIX VEGETABLES/FRUIT







BREAKFAST

MONDAY-FRIDAY
 CHOICE OF CEREALS, JUICES, YOGURT, FRUIT, AND HOT BREAKFAST
 ITEM

**Milk served with all meals

**Menus subject to change

March 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 --Celebrate Nebraska – 150 th Birthday!! 	2 --Girls State Basketball Tourney in Lincoln	3 --Girls State Basketball Tourney in Lincoln --Pre-K field trip to Dr. Seuss Celebration at Peru State College	4 --Girls State Basketball Tourney in Lincoln --District Spelling Contest at Fairbury – grades 5-8
5 	6 --Pioneer Conf. Speech at Diller-Odell 8 am	7 --District Ag Ed CDE's at SCC-Beatrice --End 3rd Quarter	8 --NO SCHOOL --Teacher In-service --Bloodmobile 2:30 – 7 pm 	9 --NO SCHOOL - vacation --Boys State Basketball Tourney in Lincoln	10 --NO SCHOOL - vacation --Boys State Basketball Tourney in Lincoln	11 --Boys State Basketball Tourney in Lincoln
12 --Daylight Saving Time Begins 	13 --Begin 4th Quarter --District Speech at HTRS --School Board Meeting 7pm			16 --HS Quiz Bowl at Pioneer Conference Quiz Bowl at Friend TBA	17 --St. Patrick's Day --Reading Classic competition at Pawnee City 9 am 	
	20 --JH Quiz Bowl at Pioneer Conference Quiz Bowl at Southern	21 --NO SCHOOL – due to hosting MUDECAS Music --MUDECAS Music at Lewiston and Tri County		23 --HS Track at Pioneer Conf. Indoor Meet at Doane 8:30 am --State Speech at UNK	24 --12:30 dismissal - NO PK --Teacher In-service 1-4pm	25 --State Reading Classic at Fairbury
	27 --Golf at Auburn 9 am --JH Quiz Bowl at Freeman Quiz Bowl 6 pm		29 --HS Quiz Bowl at MUDECAS Quiz Bowl at SCC 10 am	30 --NO PK – teachers & staff at workshop	31 --NO PK – teachers & staff at workshop	Notes:



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Note Calendar Change:
No School -- March 21
due to Lewiston hosting MUDECAS Music