

Linton-Stockton High School
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The Miner Message

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OCTOBER EVENTS

- 10/10 End of first 9 weeks grading period.
- 10/11 Fall Break, no school
- 10/12 Fall Break, no school
- 10/15 Begin second 9 weeks
- 10/16 National Honor Society Program / HS Auditoria
- 10/17 Middle School Fall Sports program – High School Auditoria / 6:00 PM
- 10/19 Wabash College representative visit / Library – during homeroom
- 10/27 Spookfest Parade / 6:00 PM – meet in front of the High School
- 10/27 Band sponsored Tenderloin Dinner – Linton Fire Station 4:00 to 8:00 PM
- 10/28 College Goal Sunday
- 10/29 U of I College representative visit / Library – during homeroom
- 10/29 Band Boosters meeting in the Media Center 7:00 PM

BIRTHDAY WISHES

We would like to wish a Happy Birthday to the following teachers, staff, and students who celebrate their birthday during the month of October: 1 Morgan Raybern & Autumn Shipley; 2 Brianna Hudson & Mrs. Chandra Breneman (Teacher); 3 Mr. Andrew Wring (Math Teacher); 4 Luke Lannan; 5 Rhonda Tharp (Food Service); 9 Jacob Bryan, Madeline Cullison, Levi Grounds & Abigail Jarman; 10 Madison Waggoner, Connor Armstrong, Kaylin Ewers & Austin Bohnert; 11 Kyle Anderson & Ezra Davis; 12 Cody Neff; 16 Kaden Robison & Harley Hintz; 17 Janessa Lanham & Mr. Tom Baker (Bus Driver & Maintenance); 18 Alexia Dyer; 19 Sarah Cox; 20 Shanae Jerrell; 21 Kaitlyn Frye & Morgan Green; 23 Pam Puckett (English Teacher), Olivia Bohnert & Stormy Fulk; 24 Romeo Miller, Briana Lester & Crystal Templeton; 25 Kodie Ceol, Josey Wright, Emma Mifflin; 26 Emma Brinson, Gentry Warrick; 28 Anna Grac, Logon Rose, Grant Meek & Dominick McDonald; 29 Kendra Bedwell & Ronald Ferree (Custodian); 30 Tucker Hayes, Vedder Rogers, Connor Wiesmann & Mrs. Jennifer Burdette (Food Service); 31 Alec Mckee & Bailey Near. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY everyone!!!**

M.A.R.S. – STUDENT INCENTATIVE PROGRAM

Miners Are Responsible Students

This is an incentive program aimed at improving student responsibility & respect. Winners for September are: Student Parking Pass for October = Alexis Mumma (Jenny Burdette); Miner Gear = Zachariah Gilbert (Mrs. Kim Haldeman); College Incentive Items = Mark Scott (Mrs. Breneman); Subway Gift Certificate = Kloe Stafford (Mrs. Wickliffe); and a Student Miner Pride Pass = Abigail Jarman (Mrs. Amber Sapp). I would also like to list, as “Honorable Mention,” the students who earned tickets, but whose tickets were not drawn for a prize: Jayden Miller, Ian Puckett, Jordan Stahl, Zayne Hall, Cole Hollingsworth, Kendra Bedwell, Justin Riggelman, Alden Swaby, and Carson Brown. Congratulations & keep up the good work.

JR. CIVITAN UPDATE

Jr. Civitan will be opening the year with the annual Ice Cream Social this month. Date and time will be announced as soon as our new sponsor is authorized. Those who signed up for Jr. Civitan should be thinking about new officers. There is a busy season ahead of us.

OCTOBER KEEPS BAND MEMBERS BUSY

A date has not yet been set for the Annual Fall Trash Bag Sale, however, the prices are listed below and if you need trash bags. Please feel free to email Mr. Williams at jwilliams@lssc.k12.in.us

Trash Bag Prices are:

33 Gallon/ Roll of 100- \$18

39 Gallon/ Roll of 20- \$9

18 Gallon/ Roll of 60- \$9

Special Rates:

Five 33 Gallon rolls \$75

One 33 & One 18 or 39 Gallon roll \$25

Three 18 or 39 Gallon rolls \$25

The Linton-Stockton Band will participate in the Spookfest Parade on Saturday, Oct. 27th. The parade will begin at 6:00 PM in front of the high school and continue up main street to the judges stand. At the conclusion of the parade, band members will scurry over to the Linton Fire Station to serenade all who attend the 4th Annual Tenderloin Dinner. This band fundraiser will be held at the Linton Fire Station from 4 - 8 PM. Adult tickets (\$8) and child (12 and under) tickets (\$5). Meals are available for carry out or dine in and will include tenderloin and sides along with a cookie and drink.

Band Boosters would like to remind all parents that the monthly meeting is the last Monday of each month in the high school media center.

PSAT 2018

Every year 10th and 11th grade students participate in the PSAT testing program. The PSAT is a preliminary test to the SAT and helps students identify which math and English skills they know well and which skills they need to improve. The state of Indiana covers the cost of the test and all our 10th and 11th graders will take the test this year.

This year's test is scheduled for **Wednesday, October 10th from 8:00 am until noon**. This date is set up by the College Board and there is no make-up date for the test. If a student is unable to be here on that date, he or she will not be able to take the test. It is also important that students be on time as students may not be admitted to the test once testing has begun. Students will take the test here at school and will be assigned to a classroom for PSAT testing. On October 10th, students should report directly to that classroom rather than to their normal 1st period class. Contact Mrs. Mansfield or Mrs. Cornelius with questions.

COLLEGE GOAL SUNDAY 2018

2 p.m. (local time)

Sunday, October 28th, 2018

Filling out financial aid paperwork can be perceived as being complicated and time-consuming, but College Goal SundaySM makes it easy.

College Goal Sunday is a program that helps college-bound Indiana students, who qualify for undergraduate admission to a college or technical school in 2018 and their families to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). College Goal Sunday provides on-site help from financial aid experts, primarily from Indiana colleges and universities.

Why It's Important

Most colleges, universities and vocational/technical schools in the nation require students seeking federal financial aid, including grants and loans, to complete the FAFSA. Your FAFSA form must be received by the federal processor on or before April 15 to be considered "on-time" for Indiana state grant funding.

Evan Bayh 21st Century Scholars are required to complete and submit a FAFSA form to claim their Evan Bayh 21st Century Scholarships. College Goal Sunday will help all college-bound students, including EVan Bayh 21st Century Scholars, complete the FAFSA properly.

College Goal Sunday 2018 will take place at 2 p.m. (local time), Sunday, October 28th, 2018. The program will begin promptly at 2 p.m., and most sites will close by 4 p.m.

Students who attend College Goal Sunday and fill out the appropriate form when signing in will be eligible to win one of five \$1,000 educational prizes from Indiana College Goal Sunday. Be sure to ask about the educational prize when you arrive at your site! [Click Here to find the workshop nearest you!](#)

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Hopefully, seniors have started thinking about college and planning how to pay for their continuing education. Several colleges have already visited our high school campus to fill these young minds with all kinds of useful information. Deadlines seem to creep up a little earlier each year, so check your email and the list outside the guidance office door for updated information. The guidance office is currently offering the following information on scholarships:

- 1) **IU** has a variety of scholarships available to students who will enroll as freshmen in the fall of 2019, including the IU Achievement Scholarship. To be considered for these scholarships, submit a complete application for admission by November 1, 2018. No separate application is required. For more information about IU scholarships visit scholarships.indiana.edu.
- 2) **The Hagan Scholarship** – The purpose of the Hagan Scholarship is to provide each recipient with the opportunity to obtain a four-year college education and graduate debt free. The applicant must authenticate financial need in order to attend college. Scholarship recipients are selected based upon character, academic ability achievement in and out of school and future promise. The Scholarship Application can be accessed from the following website: www.hsfmo.org. This application has a November 15, 2018, 5:00 PM CST, deadline (NO EXCEPTIONS).
- 3) **The Linton ELK's Lodge** is once again offering a onetime \$1,000 Most Valuable Student Scholarship. The application process has changed and is available online at www.enf.elks.org/mvs and must be submitted online on or before November 27, 2018.
The 2019 Legacy Award Scholarships are open to children and grandchildren of a living Elk who joined the order on or before April 1, 2015 and must be a high school senior who takes the SAT or ACT by December 31, 2018. Applicants do not print out the application and deliver it to the Linton ELK's Lodge as they have in the past! Questions should be directed to Mr. Tim Wright, Scholarship Chairman, Linton Elk's Lodge #866 during regular business hours at 812-875-2031.
- 4) **Next Generation Hoosier Educators Scholarship** – The application for the 2018-19 academic year will close on November 30, 2018. This scholarship provides 200 high-achieving high school and college students interested in pursuing a career in education the opportunity to earn a renewable scholarship of up to \$7,500 each year for four academic years. In exchange, students agree to teach for five years at an eligible Indiana school or **repay** the corresponding, prorated amount of the scholarship. For additional information go to <http://www.in.gov/che/4680.htm>.
- 5) **Indiana State University** and the ISU Foundation offer a variety of scholarships to help make the college experience possible to deserving students. Deadlines vary. However, to receive 1st consideration for many scholarships, students must be admitted to ISU by Dec. 1st for the 2019 fall semester. Go to www2.indstate.edu/scholarships.
- 6) **National Wild Turkey Federation's Dr. James Earl Kennamer Academic Scholarship** – Awards range from \$250 to \$10,000. Must be a senior with a GPA of 3.0 or better and actively participate in hunting activities. Deadline is **January 1, 2019**, to a local NWTF chapter. Go to www.nwtf.org for additional information.

- 7) **Vincennes University Scholarship Applications – Deadline January 15, 2019.** VU and the Vincennes University Foundation award more than \$1 million in scholarships each year. While the VU Foundation has a priority deadline for some scholarships of January 15 each year, it is never too late to apply. VU and the VU Foundation continue to award scholarships on a rolling basis. Visit vinu.edu, find the Financial Aid tab and use the drop-down arrow to see Scholarships.
- 8) **VFW Auxiliary Continuing Education Scholarship** – Must be a member, spouse, son or daughter to apply. Complete the application and mail or email to the VFW Auxiliary National Headquarters. Applications available in the guidance office. Deadline Feb. 15, 2019.
- 9) **We the Students Essay Contest – Effective Sept. 17, 2018** – Students ages 14 to 19 are eligible to enter this contest. Deadline is Feb. 14, 2019 at 11:59 pm PT. Click on the website below: https://billofrightsintstitute.org/engage/students-programs-events/scholarship/?utm_source=NEWSLETTER&utm_medium=EMAIL&utm_campaign=GENERAL&utm_term=TEACHERS&utm_content=CTA
- 10) **The KJ Green Scholarship** was started by KJ Green, who is graduate of Bloomfield High School and completed an internship at L-SHS with Mr. Mike Perigo. This scholarship is now offered to all Greene County, Indiana public high schools (i.e., Bloomfield, Eastern, Linton-Stockton, Shakamak WRV), and is for a graduating senior who is interested in pursuing an education and career in a health profession. Deadline is March 15, 2019 and details can be found at the following web page: <http://kjgreen.com/scholarship.html>
- 11) **“B. Davis Scholarship”** The creators of the **“*Student Award Search Aid*”** website are offering a scholarship for 2019. Visit the website at <http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm> to read view the information and apply for the scholarship. While you’re there, please browse through the rest of the site to learn more about applying for scholarships. This website was developed solely for the purpose of helping students locate and apply for scholarships. We are trying to improve the students’ chances for success. The site is free and we charge nothing for the information or the application. **The deadline for applications is May 24, 2019. Amount of Scholarship: \$1,000**
If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at awards@studentawardsearch.com
- 12) **The Horatio Alger Association** announces the Horatio Alger Scholarship. To qualify, you must have a GPA 2.0 or higher and require financial assistance to attend college. To learn more and apply, visit [this website](#). Application is due October 25th.
- 12) **Raise.me-Get Scholarships From Colleges Today** – Go to <https://www.raise.me/> or just type raise.me scholarships in the search line. Find a tremendous amount of information on how to raise money for college.

**** Also, check out the following websites:** ScholarshipOwl.com & StudentScholarships.org . These sites are an endless source of information.

Make sure to stop by the guidance office periodically to check out the scholarships currently available.

Although applying for scholarships is time consuming and wearisome, it can be quite rewarding when you end up reaping the benefits for your efforts. There are thousands of scholarships out there for high school seniors, all with different eligibility requirements, deadlines, and award amounts. Do your own research and do not expect money to drop into your lap. Complete as many applications as you can and hope for the best!!!

PROFESSIONAL CAREER INTERNSHIP

Linton-Stockton High School offers an Internship program that is designed for senior students who want to explore specific, targeted career objectives through workplace experience. Students attend class on Monday and gain experience at their worksites Tuesday through Friday two hours per day. The Miner Message will feature at least one student each month as “Employee of the Month” and include a small article about his/her on-the-job experiences at the internship location. There are two employees of the month for October.

Ashlyn Ferree

“My name is Ashlyn Ferree, and I am seventeen years old. I am a senior, and I play on the softball team. I have one younger brother. I plan on going to USI and to hopefully become a dental hygienist.

I intern at Powers Orthodontics in Scott’s office. In Scott’s office, I watch the dental hygienist and get to learn a lot about this career field. The office is located in Lyons, Indiana.

Reghan Moody

“My name is Reghan Moody. I am a senior at Linton-Stockton High School. I’ve attended Linton-Stockton K-12. I play volleyball, basketball, and tennis. I’ve played volleyball all four years of high school. I’ve played basketball 3 years of high school and I’ve played tennis since my sophomore year of high school.

I intern at Linton-Stockton Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber of Commerce is responsible for community outreach and they organize festivals around local counties along with other organizations.

After high school, I plan to attend University of Southern Indiana in Evansville. I will be going to their Romain College of Business. I plan to major in accounting and international business. After USI, I plan on going to law school to become a corporate lawyer.”

It is good to hear plans of our future community members. Both of these students have goals in mind and are working toward careers. Our Internship Program allows students to experience a small portion of their future dreams and careers while still attending school. Local businesses offer a great service to the community by letting our students experience a career before entering the workforce. **“THANK YOU”** to all who participate in the Internship Program.