

# Newspaper



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Issue 2

#### **New Students and Teachers**

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We have had many new students and teachers this school year. A few were featured in last month's issue, and the remaining are featured this month. Welcome to Lindsay Middle School!

#### Tara Royal:



Ms. Royal came to Lindsay because she was already in Oklahoma. She also decided it was a good time to come and the perfect opportunity. Before Lindsay she taught at Texas for six years. She has three kids, one boy and two girls. Her favorite color is turquoise and she loves horses. Her reason for

teaching S.T.E.M, and her favorite thing about it, is all the different opportunities. There is always something to learn. Her favorite food is Mexican, and her favorite drink is lemonade. In school, she enjoyed science. Her favorite class to teach is forensic science. If she had a Gini, these would be her wishes: 1. No illnesses. 2. Money isn't a problem for anyone. Lastly, if she could go anywhere in the world she would go to either Ireland or Scotland.

#### Johnny Dodd:

Coach Dodd started coaching at Lindsay because



basketball was his favorite sport. He has lived here for four years, so when the chance to coach came up, he took it. However, he isn't only coaching basketball because it's his favorite sport, he also wants to teach kids fundamentals and watch them succeed. Coach Dodd has two kids. Jack, who is 18 and a senior here at Lindsay, and Karson, who is 23. He loves Mexican food, and his favorite drink is Coke. Before coaching here, he worked in the fire department for twenty-five years. His two favorite colors are black and orange, and his favorite animal is a deer. He loves to watch *Golden Girls*. He enjoys hunting, spending time with family, and going to Jack's sporting events. Lastly, if he had a million dollars, he would donate some to the church, take his wife on vacation, and then save the rest.

#### Ranae Summar:

Ranae is an eighth grade student at Lindsay Middle School. Before Lindsay, Ranae went to school in Dibble. She plays basketball and runs track. When we asked if she liked school, she simply stated, sure. She has been to three different schools. She has two pets. Their names are Sadie and Caya. Lastly, she is an only child, and her favorite school before Lindsay was Dibble.

#### **Leticia Marquez:**

Leticia is a seventh grade student here at Lindsay. Before Lindsay she went to Washington Elementary in Norman. She plays softball, and she enjoys school here. She has been to seven schools. She has two dogs. One is a pitbull and one is a German Shepard. Their names are Tubs and Stetson. She didn't like her other schools very much, and she has ten siblings!

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#### **Mason Perkins:**

Mason is a twelve year old boy that attends sixth grade at Lindsay Middle School. His favorite food is pizza, and his favorite color is pink. He moved here because of a car accident that happened. He says he likes his new school and thinks it is very fun and easy. He is very smart too.



#### **Eric Dourrough:**

Eric is a seventh grade student at Lindsay Middle School. He loves the color red, and his favorite school subject is geography. He has three siblings. He enjoys cats and orange juice.

#### **Carson Rackley:**



Carson is a sixth grade student at Lindsay Middle School. Before Lindsay, he went to Pioneer and East Side. He likes Lindsay, but he said it is very big. He has six siblings, and he doesn't know why he moved to Lindsay. He enjoys music and candy! He doesn't really have a favorite food. He loves milk and smoothies. He likes watching Sonic the Hedgehog and the color

purple. His favorite class is geography with Coach Coffman, and he loves cheetahs and squirrels! If he had to have a superpower it would be speed or invisibility. His favorite type of ice cream is vanilla. Lastly, his favorite app is Youtube. On it he watches *Unspeakable* and *Preston Plays*.

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#### William Coffman:

Coach Coffman coaches
Football for the high school
and middle school. Before
Lindsay, he was in college at
S.N.U. playing golf. He
moved here because it
reminds him of where he

grew up and has a good community and culture. He doesn't have any kids, and his favorite color is baby blue. His favorite animal is a leopard. He enjoys Italian food and Dr. Pepper. Lastly, his favorite subject to teach is geography.

#### **Makayla Cotoio:**



This is Makayla. She is a thirteen year old student here at Lindsay Middle School. Her biggest dream is to be an interior designer, and her favorite subject is art. Makayla has quite a few animals including: a dog, two fish, and a cat. She said that she likes Lindsay so far,

but if she could change something about this school she asks that people just stop the bullying. "A kind word takes nothing, but is worth everything."

#### **Jasmine Roberts:**

This is Jasmine. She went to Stratford, "the land of the peaches," before coming to Lindsay. She came to Lindsay because she wanted to live with



her dad. So far she likes the people here and has made a few friends. Jasmine is glad she is not at her old school since there were a lot of mean teachers. Her favorite one in Lindsay so far is Mr. Davis. This is because he is the vocal teacher and she

always wanted to be in vocal class.

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#### **Elton Stingley:**

This is Elton. Before coming to Lindsay he went to Blanchard Schools. He likes Lindsay Middle School and doesn't play any sports. So far he has been to five schools. He has a golden retriever and a blue heeler/Australian shepherd mix. He has two siblings, Lilian and Brian.

#### **Jackson Wilkins:**



Jackson is a seventh grade student here at Lindsay. He thinks school here is fine. He used to go to Sulphur, and it's still his favorite school. He plays airsoft archery, and he has three siblings Kyle, Lindsay, and Tyler. He has one dog. It is a mini Australian

shepherd named Scout.

#### **Aubrey Ramos:**

Before Lindsay, Aubrey went to school in Colorado. She doesn't play any sports, but she does sing! She enjoys Lindsay, and she has four siblings. She is fourteen and her favorite animal is a snake! Her favorite food is cheese pizza, and her favorite movie is *Twilight*. Her biggest fear is clowns, and she doesn't really have a favorite class. She loves vanilla ice cream and the color black! Lastly, her favorite thing to eat for breakfast is pancakes on a stick.

#### **Andrea Harris:**

Mrs. Harris is a seventh grade math



teacher. In addition to math, she teaches health. Before teaching in middle school, she taught Pre-k. She thinks teaching middle school is going great! She has two kids. Here are some fun facts about Mrs. Harris: she enjoys family, exercising, and sports. Her favorite food is pepperoni pizza, and if she could have a superpower it would be to cure cancer!

#### **Monica Kleinsasser:**



Ms. K teaches middle school here at Lindsay. Before middle school, she taught elementary physical education. She has taught at Lindsay for seventeen years and has never taught anywhere else. Her favorite color is orange, and her favorite food is any Seafood.

She loves sweet tea and dachshunds, aka weenie dogs. Lastly, her dream vacation is Peru!

#### **Maycee England:**

Maycee is an eighth grade student that has recently moved to Lindsay Public Schools. She came from Dibble, but she says she likes Lindsay a bit better. Maycee has one brother that she loves. She enjoys playing basketball and cheering. Those are her two favorite sports. Lastly, her favorite food is chicken!

#### Rae' Anna Johnson:



Rae' Anna is a sixth grade student here at Lindsay. Before attending school at Lindsay, she went to Alex. She enjoys Lindsay. Lindsay has a better education than her last school, so her parents decided to move her here. She has two siblings.

She loves lasagna and Sprite. Her favorite color is blue, and her favorite subject is reading. She enjoys summer and cats. If she had a superpower it would be to fly, and she loves homemade vanilla ice cream. Lastly, her dream job is to be a vet.

## Middle School Clubs and Events



Written by: Hannah Ince

Oct. 5, at Maysville, scores:

6th: (L)70-(M)20 7th: (L)110-(M)30 8th: (L)90-(M)30

Oct. 12, at Paul's Valley, scores:

6th: (L)6o-(PV)30 7th: (L)6o-(PV)110 8th: (L)5o-(PV)100

Oct. 18, at Wynnewood, scores:

6th:(L)30-(W)90 7th: (L)70-(W)110 8th: (L)80-(W)90

### The Pride of Lindsay

Written by: Charlotte King, Hailyn Kelly, and Ava Murphy

This month Lindsay's marching band went to compete in the Holdenville Special and in The Annual Pauls Valley Marching Band Championship, placing third at both. They also competed in the 111th OSSAA Regional Marching competition on October 18th. They made three 2's which is said to be an excellent

score.



On October 7th, the band marched "E.T." and "Can you Feel the Love Tonight" at Little Axe. They also played on October 13th against Washington and marched their entire show including "Jedi Steps" and "Finale." They ate dinner with the Washington band before the game.



They are excited to attend the Veteran's Day assembly and for their upcoming Christmas concert.



Written by: Kai Holland

This year, See You at The Pole was held on Wednesday, September 28th, 2022. Sophomore, Jaycee Martin, started off praying over the students and explaining why students do SYATP.

After that, everybody split up into groups and took time to read over a sheet of paper that



certain things to pray for such as family, friends,

#### **SYATP** (continued from page 4)

the government, the school staff, and extracurricular activities. In closing, senior Jack Dodd prayed over everybody and over the food and drinks provided.

The Sunday before, September 25th, there was a rally with other churches in Pauls Valley at Wacker Park. There was worship, food, games, and a sermon led by Todd Sanders.

After the sermon, we hung out for a little bit and helped clean up. Students say it was such a fun experience and they are excited to go back next year.

### 4-4 and FFA Events:

Written by: Cade Williams

The top 5 kids in the Tulsa State Fair Livestock Judging Contest are:

- 1. Emerson Pool~ Mulhall-Orlando
- 2. Hayes Anderson~ Purcell
- 3. Cruzer Gibe~ Delaware County
- 4. Jessica Hobaugh~ Kay County
- 5. Madilyn Norvell~Ampo

The winning team went to Mulhall-Orlando!
Local, Cade Williams, placed 21st out of 192 contestants. Other competitors in the elementary and middle school were Reid Dorman, Braylee Sapp, Clay Dorman, Colton McGowan, Jorge Padilla, Connor Somers, Braylee Wood, and Jackson Wilkins. Good job to



all of the hard working competitors in Livestock Judging. Livestock Judging is an awesome opportunity to get a back-up

career. It is much easier for you to get a scholarship for Livestock Judging than for any sport. It is very difficult to be first, but it is possible with the right passion, determination, grit, and skill. You have to be the best of the best to win. Are you game?



# Students of the month

Written by: Abigayle Fuller



Doc Lively (6th Gr.)

> Kenley Jones (6th Gr.)





Cade Williams (7th Gr.)

Jewell Bridwell (7th Gr.)





Will Lawrence (8th Gr.)

> Gracey Bray (8th Gr.)





#### LMS CHEER

Written by Kai Holland

This year, our middle school cheerleading team is going to the *Jeff and Craig Game Day Competition*. They will be competing the 29th of October at Washington High School. If you can, they would be very appreciative if you could come out and support them. We are sure they will do very well, and we are looking forward to watching them compete.



For the cheer article this month, Kristen Holland, the middle school cheer coach, was kind enough to answer a few questions:

**Q: Do You enjoy being the cheer coach? A:** Yes, very much!

Q: How long have you been coaching middle school cheer?

**A:** This is my third year.

Q: What is your favorite thing about coaching cheer?

A: Spending time with the girls.

Q: Would you ever coach high school cheer if given the opportunity?
A: Yes!

### LMS Winners and Losers from Week 5 and 7

Written by: Quaid Robbins

The Lindsay Leopards going into Week 5 of the season beat the Purcell Dragons. The seventh grade team won 38-0, and the eighth grade team won 12-7. The coaches said the teams did well; however, there's more the players need to work on. Last year, Purcell beat the Leopards, so all in all, the Leopards have improved.

During Week 7, both teams were coming off a loss to Washington, so both teams were pretty angry and had some motivation to win against Bridge Creek. Both teams won their games. Seventh and eighth graders played together in the first game. They won 14-0. The eighth and ninth grades played together for the second game. They also won with a score of 28-0. The coaches said that this is the next Lindsay Leopards, and we have a chance to be a good team in high school. There were a couple highlights, but a really good one was Issac Cameron had a fifty-six yard punt return for a touchdown. Another great play was a twenty to thirty yard touchdown

pass by Luke Parker. He *mossed* the defender for a great play. Then, the next play on the two point conversion, he made a beautiful block, so Cameron could just walk in.



### October Featured Staff and Teacher

#### Debbie Mollinger:

Mrs. Debbie is originally from Kansas but moved to Lindsay because her husband wanted to come home.

She has been working at Lindsay Public Schools for thirty-three years. She has two children



and four grandchildren, one granddaughter and three grandsons.

Her favorite color is yellow. She loves her mini horses and any kind of pasta. Her favorite subject in school was reading. If she could have three wishes from a genie, this is what she would want: 1. Her grandson, who is in the military, to be stationed closer. 2. A great grandchild 3. She wants it to be Christmas all year. Some fun facts about Mrs. Debbie include the following: she has been married for forty-nine years, and she teaches a youth group at Banner Baptist Church. If she had a million dollars, the first thing she would do is give her portion to the Lord. Her favorite part about working at the school is the kids.

All of these facts about Mrs. Debbie are amazing, but there is one more remarkable fact about her. She is a cancer survivor!



#### Ms. Newey:

Ms. Newey is the featured teacher of the month. She thinks her spirit animal would be a koala because they are very calm. She believes that teaching at this school is great. She has lived in Lindsay her whole life, so teaching here and

living here is like home to her.

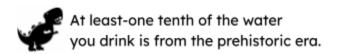
Ms. Newey loves to write, so teaching language arts comes naturally to her while speech just kind of fell in her hands. The last school she taught at was Bray-Doyle. Because of Bray's small size, she likes teaching here



better. Lindsay gives her more of an opportunity to meet new people, teach more people, and help more students learn.

#### October Fun Fact

Written by: Shi Wren







Written by: Taegan Butcher

Influenza, more commonly known as the Flu, is a common viral infection. The Flu can be contracted year round, but cases start in October and end towards May. There are four types of Flu: Flu A, Flu B, Flu C, and Flu D. The Flu can not only be found in humans, but it can also be found in animals. Flu A can be found in ducks, chickens, pigs, whales, and seals. There can be many variations of the virus, the Spanish flu was one of the biggest and deadliest variations of the flu.

High risk people include: 65 years and older, pregnant women, young children (5 and younger), people who have asthma, people who have had heart disease, people who have had a stroke, Diabetics, cancer patients, children with neurological conditions, and people who have/ had chronic kidney disease.

Some symptoms are fever or feelings of chills, cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, muscle or body aches, headache, fatigue, and vomiting is most common in young children. People can get Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Asthma flare-ups, ear infections, and acute respiratory distress syndrome.

\*1 Not everyone with the flu will have a fever \*2 fluid collects in the lung's air sacs, depriving organs of oxygen.

Other than getting the flu shot, people can take precautions such as the following: avoid close contact with people who are sick, stay home if they are sick, so they don't spread what they have, cover their mouth and nose, wash and clean their hands, avoid touching their face, and practice healthy habits.

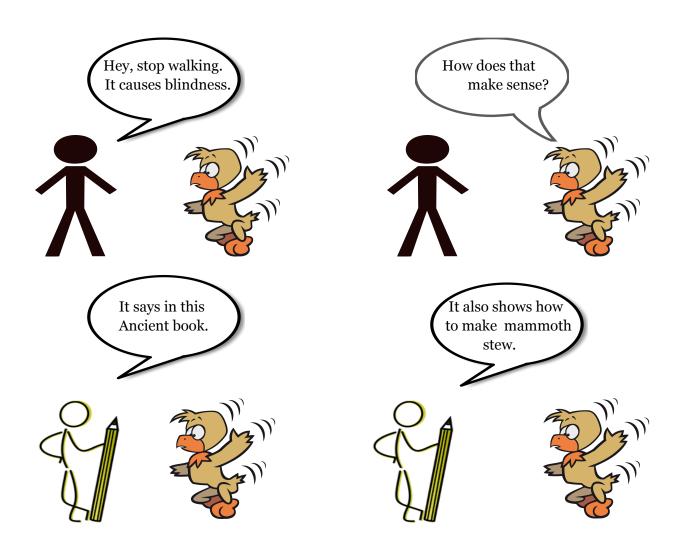


Remember that the flu can be spread year round but most cases do start rising in October. The flu survives better in low humidity and lower temperatures. Older kids and teenagers normally don't have to worry about the flu, but still need to keep it in mind that other people can be infected.

Sources: Center for Disease Control(CDC), Mayo clinic



Written by: Kaydance Brown and Charlotte King





Written by: Cade Williams and Shi Wren

The Berkley Big Bass of the Month is a whopping 8 LBS, and it is caught by Mrs. Offolter.



The winners of the Future Bass Trails at Lake Texoma were Mr. and Mrs. Burkett.

Congratulations to the winners!

Locals Randy and Shi Wren placed 36th overall out of 83 teams.



Knock knock Who's there? Boo Boo who? Don't cry. It's just a joke.

Knock knock Who's there? Tank Tank who? You're welcome.



What do you call a

boomerang that won't

Answer: A stick

come back?

Knock knock Who's there? Iris Iris who?

Iris you were here.

Knock knock Who's there? dishes

Dishes who?

Dishes the police! Open up! Knock knock

Who's there? Interrupting cow. *Interrupting c*-moooooo



| Sunday                | Monday   | Tuesday   | Wednesday                      | y Thursday   | Friday   | Saturday                          |
|-----------------------|--|---|--------------------------------|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| 30                    | 31   | 1   | Academic<br>Meet at<br>Sulphur | 3  | 4<br>HS Football<br>game at<br>Crooked<br>Oak 7:00 | ECOBDA/<br>All state<br>Auditions |
| Daylight Savings Time | 7  | 8<br>Election<br>Day                            | Academic<br>Meet vs<br>Davis.  | 10   | Veterans<br>Day/ WWI<br>ended                      | 12                                |
| 13                    | 14<br>JH Basketball<br>Girls Home vs<br>Bridge Creek | 15<br>JH Basketball<br>Boys Home<br>vs. Purcell | 16                             | 17<br>JH Basketball<br>Girls Home<br>vs Marlow           | 18   | 19                                |
| 20                    | 21<br><<br>Thanksgiving<br>Break                     | 22  | 23                             | 24  Mappy Tandaphin  * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * | 25<br>   | 26<br>>                           |
| 27                    | 28<br>JH Basketball<br>Boys Home vs<br>Davis         | 29  | 30                             | 1  | 2  | 3                                 |

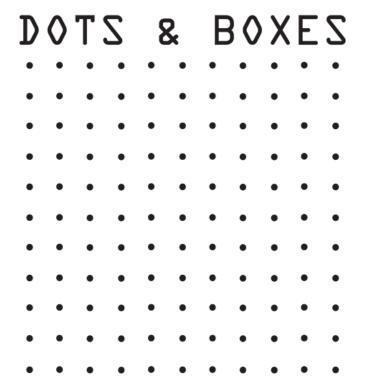
P.S.- November is Native American Heritage month!

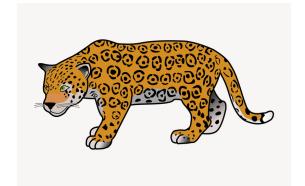
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