

Labette County Schools

GRIZZLY PEAKS NEWSLETTER

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After splitting two games during the regular season, the Lady Grizzlies showed their SEK League dominance, trouncing the Fort Scott Tigers 49-41 in the finals of the 4A Sub-State tournament on March 4th.

After a rough first quarter, the Grizzlies outscored the Tigers 15-4 in the second to end the first half leading 20-15.

It was all Labette County in the second half, and the Grizzlies punched their ticket to Salina and the KSHSAA 4A state tournament.

The Lady Grizzly basketball team went into the state tournament with high hopes of a win against Wamego. Unfortunately they fell one bucket short of that goal, losing to the Red Raiders 36-34. The Grizzlies took command in the first half, leading 21-14 at halftime. But a lone three pointer in the third quarter and earlier fouls lead to starters sitting and Wamego gaining ground, leading by one at the start of the fourth quarter.

With the game tied 34-34 with 20 seconds left, a turnover led to a pair of free throws that sealed the Grizzlies fate.

Madison Brannin led the Grizzlies with 13 points. The team finished with a record of 18-5. Way to go, Lady Grizzlies!



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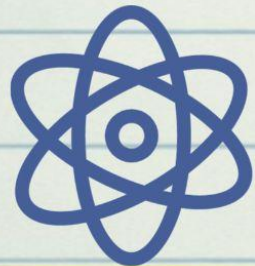


Altamont Grade School



2nd Graders learn that Matter matters

Mrs. Carnahan's 2nd graders traveled to Greenbush recently to participate in a day of learning activities centered around "Matter".



Han Named KBI Finalist

Daniel Han, a 5th grader in Mrs. Hanigan's class, is a top 12 finalist in the KBI poster contest. Below is an image of his amazing artwork. Best of luck to Daniel!



Bartlett Grade School



3rd Graders Build Skiers

Ms. Evans third grade class learned a lot about motion while building skiers out of aluminum foil.

During their STEAM time this week, the kids built people that would be able to balance down a hill. They also took time to study the Olympics and see the different types of sports that people compete in.



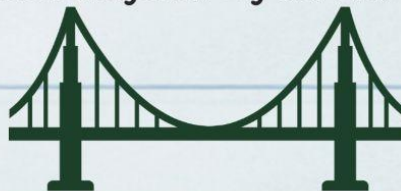
3rd Graders Practice Rhythm Creation

In music the 3rd grade has been working on rhythms. They created rhythms with popsicle sticks. This popsicle activity was a great way to incorporate hands-on learning into the music curriculum. The kids really enjoyed this lesson and were able to demonstrate mastery of the concepts.



7th Graders Build Bridges

Mr. Walker's seventh grade class is working on the engineering and design process. They are building bridges out of popsicle sticks that have to be 12 inches long and hold 5 pounds. The kids are also learning about what makes bridges strong and what creates weak points in a design.

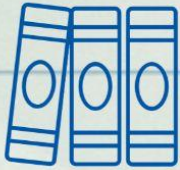


Edna Grade School



2nd Graders Celebrate Read Across America

To celebrate Read Across America 2nd graders spent the day doing reading activities. They had guest readers, they created bookmarks, they read in the dark and in tents.



7th Graders Learn about Shawnee Culture

Chief Ben Barnes, Head Chief of the Shawnee Tribe, and Chief Roy Baldridge, 2nd Chief, visited Mrs. Carrico's 7th Grade Class on Wednesday, March 2nd. Last fall, students studied the Native American tribes who live in or have lived in Kansas.

We reached out to Chief Barnes, a former Edna Wildcat, and he graciously accepted our invitation to share his expertise on Shawnee culture.



Grant helps Edna 3rd Graders with Phonics

The Edna 3rd graders were excited to use their new phonics kits purchased through the 506 Foundation Grant. They received 10 new kits to complete a class set. That allows each student to have their own boards to work on phonics and spelling each week rather than sharing in the past. We are so grateful to receive this grant.

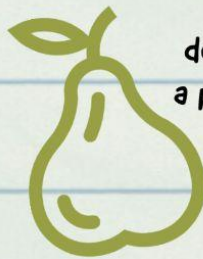


Meadow View Grade School



6th Graders Paint Solar Eclipses

6th grade students are finishing up our unit on The Earth-Sun-Moon System by painting a solar eclipse on t-shirts. They compared patterns of the apparent motion of the sun, moon & stars. Understanding this helps them predict lunar phases, eclipses of the sun and moon, and seasons.



Students Study Plant Breakdown

Students have been learning about producers, consumers, and decomposers. Ava holds two decomposing pears. They observed a pear decomposing in sand, soil, and water. Students concluded that the pear decomposed faster in the soil because the soil contained microorganisms which broke down the pear.

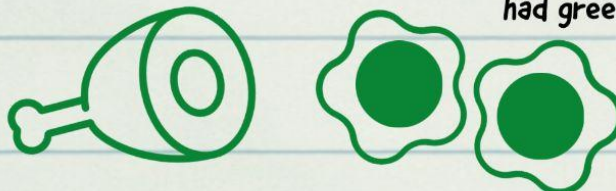
7th Graders learn with Potatoes

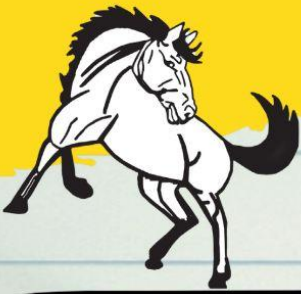
Seventh graders studied types of reproduction in their biology class. They grew potatoes in a cup to observe how the potato uses budding to reproduce asexually.



Kindergarteners Celebrate Dr. Seuss

Mrs. Fabrycky's kindergarten class celebrated Dr. Seuss Day. They spent the day reading Dr. Seuss books and even had green eggs and ham.





Mound Valley Grade School

3rd Graders Observe Average Walking Speeds

Mound Valley third graders are filling out a data table involving measuring 10 meters, then timing fast walking compared to slow walking and finding average slow and fast walking speeds. Wow! The amazing ways math and science go hand in hand!! Ms. Barb knows how to make learning interesting and fun.



Ms. Moses Earns Doug Barnett History Scholarship



Congratulations to Debra Moses on receiving the Doug Barnett History Student Scholarship award presented by Garry Sigle the executive director of the Kansas Association of American Educators. The award comes with a check of \$500.00. Debra is completing her student teaching at Mound Valley with Melinda Taylor our Special Education Teacher and Barb Edings our third grade teacher. Way to go Debra!

Winter Sports Come to an End

What an awesome end to the 2021-2022 Mustang cheer and basketball season! Congratulations to both B teams on a 1st place win at the 506 League Championship. Thank you to our fantastic coaches Tammy and Mike Hayward and Blake Lacey.



Labette County High School



LCHS FFA Competes in Communication

Labette County FFA placed 1st in the District Agricultural Communications Contest. Each member of the team was assigned one of four practicums. Labette County's teams consisted of Alice Carnahan and Anna Dean competing in web-design layout; Charli Alloway and Kaylee Dillow in feature story writing; Lakin Giager and Ellie Gudde in opinion writing and Haylie Benson and Savannah Hinman in video script writing. Contestants also take an editing quiz where they correct errors in a news article, as well as take a 25-question agricultural communications information test. Results are as follows: In the A-team competition Giager received 1st, Dean 6th, Benson 8th and Alloway 9th. The Labette County Agricultural Communications A-team placed 1st overall. In the B-team contest Dillow placed 1st, Gudde 2nd, Hinman 4th and Carnahan 5th. The Labette County Agricultural Communications B-team placed 1st overall.



Team A: From left – Lakin Giager, Charli Alloway, Anna Dean and Hailey Benson



Team B: From left – Alice Carnahan, Kaylee Dillow, Ellie Gudde, and Savannah Hinman

LCHS FFA Dominates in Ag Sales

Eight members of the Labette County FFA Chapter recently competed in Iola, Kansas, at the 2022 Southeast District FFA Agricultural Sales Career Development Event. The Agricultural Sales Career Development Event prepares students for careers in the sales industry. Students were required to research a product, develop a sales presentation, overcome buyer resistance, and close the sale. In addition, students participated in a face-to-face practicum. The customer relations practicum placed students in the role of a customer relations specialist. The students met with a customer who had an issue with a product sold by the company that the students represented. Students showed empathy and tried to resolve the issue with the product. In the end, students should have retained the customer for future business. Finally, the Agricultural Sales participants took a fifty-question test over the sales industry.



Front Row L to R: Mary George, Crosby Allen, Riley Bebb, Raegan Roberts
Back Row L to R: Blaine Smith, Dallas Hill, Tanner Templeton, Noah Wiley

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| A-Team Individuals: | B-Team Individuals: |
| Blaine Smith—9th | Crosby Allen—11th |
| Dallas Hill—7th | Riley Bebb—8th |
| Tanner Templeton—5th | Raegan Roberts—2nd |
| Noah Wiley—3rd | Mary George—1st |
| A-Team Overall: | B-Team Overall: |
| 1st Place Team | 1st Place Team |



Labette County High School

LCHS Upcoming Sporting Events

3/22 Baseball/Softball @ Girard 4:30pm

3/24 Tennis @ Parsons 3pm
JV Tennis @ Pittsburg 3pm
Baseball/Softball @ Coffeyville 4:30pm

3/28 Boys Golf @ Peoria Ridge 9am
Boys Tennis @ Independence 3pm
Baseball/Softball vs. Columbus 4:30pm

3/29 Baseball/Softball @ Baxter Springs 4:30pm

3/30 Girls Swimming @ Osawatomie 4pm

3/31 Track @ LCHS Invitational 2pm
Boys Tennis @ Independence 3pm
JV Golf @ Chanute 3pm
Baseball/Softball @ Columbus 4:30pm

4/1 JV Baseball Wooden Bat Tourney 2:30pm
Boys Tennis @ Independence 3pm

4/2 JV Baseball Wooden Bat Tourney 8:30am

