

January Live **RED** Report

District News

School Calendar Dates –

Monday-January 20th – No School – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

February 14th – MAKEUP DAY – SCHOOL WILL BE IN SESSION

February 17th – No School

March 13th – No School

April 6th – 10th – Spring Break

May 21st – MAKEUP DAY – SCHOOL WILL BE IN SESSION – LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR STUDENTS

Live RED Staff Award

Congratulations to Mrs. Twila Coleman for being the Live RED recipient for the month of January. Her nomination reads: When thinking about the Live RED motto, many staff members come quickly to mind. Twila Coleman is one of those people. Mrs. Twila, as she is known, works for the district as a Computer Maintenance Technician. She works at both South and North Livingston Elementary each day to keep all technology running smoothly. She deserves to be nominated for the wonderful job she does for the school district.

Mrs. Twila is always ready to jump in to troubleshoot whenever a technological problem occurs so that instruction continues seamlessly. She has a wealth of knowledge and training from her years in this position and has many resources to pull from if she encounters something she hasn't dealt with before. She certainly embodies the Live RED motto and Reaches Excellence Daily.

Mrs. Twila Coleman, as well as the entire technology team, complete their job duties with the goal in mind to provide reliable access to a variety of technological tools. We couldn't make it without her contributions to the instructional process at each school.

Family First & Cardinal Connection

Family First is excited to announce our new comprehensive family literacy program designed to strengthen families by helping them build protective factors within their family through exciting books, family learning activities, and loads of fun. A complete advertisement campaign for BEYOND BOOKS will soon be rolling out. Be sure to watch for this family literacy program linked to the Born To Read Book Club and the Livingston County Public Library.

Cardinal Connection, Family First and several community members teamed up to make Christmas for Kids a success serving 180 children. This month, we are happy to say Hope Unlimited is at the High School with their curriculum, Positive Potential. Transportation of the Healthcare Explorers to Livingston Hospital for medical career exploration activities is going well with a total of 18 high school students participating. We are currently reworking our Youth Service Center Continuation Program Plans to better serve our kids, families, and staff.

North Livingston

NLES December Student Leaders of the Month were:

KG: Sophia Tabor

1st: Collin Barnes

2nd: Bailee Walls

3rd: Gabriel Potts

4th: Chloe McGregor

5th: Hope Crenshaw and Cheyanne Allen



NLES has a few new faces around the school! We would like to welcome Mr. Jonathan Rogers as our new PE teacher and Courtney Snyder as our new custodian.

STAR and common assessment testing has wrapped up at NLES. Teachers are currently using the data to drive the next level of instruction.

Livingston County Middle School

In December, the LCMS Student Lighthouse Leadership Team put together over 175 treat bags for foster kids supported through NECCO of Paducah.

Congratulations to the LCMS Lady Cardinals eighth grade basketball team on winning the 5th District basketball championship! The girls won the district tournament as seventh and eighth graders!

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Congratulations to the LCMS December Student Leaders of the Month:

Sixth Grade

Aubrey Leahy and Ethan Cornwell

Seventh Grade

Cheyenne Turney and Drew Hosick

Eighth Grade

Jenna Swift and Preston Holman

South Livingston

December Students of the Month					
Kindergarten	1st Grade	2nd Grade	3rd Grade	4th Grade	5th Grade
Hadlee Dukes	Lexi Wheaton	Nyxxan Logsdon	Parker Hammons	Lilyanna Calabrese	Gabe Collins
Tuff O'Brien	Brayden Grogan	Carter Eison	Lillie Polk	Anthony Fulks	Stephanie Kitzman

SLES welcomes Kathy Williams as our new part-time custodian and Nickey Buijk as our new special education instructional assistant.



Students in grades K-3 learned about fire safety with a visit from the Ledbetter Fire Department on Dec. 8th.

The trash sculpture winners are as follows:

Upper Elementary

1st- Zac Collins - grade 4

2nd- Caylee Hermann - grade 5

3rd- Nevaeh Jennings - grade 5

Lower Elementary

1st- Raelynn Whetstone - grade K

2nd- Thomas Patton - grade 1

3rd- Christopher Ross - grade 2

Livingston Central High School

LCHS Students of the Month

Subject	Class	Reason for Student of the Month
Math	Algebra I: Faith Jewell Geometry: Day Allison, Gunner Powell Algebra 2: Addy Martin CCR Math: Kenzie Dennis	<p>Faith is a joy to have in class. She works hard every day, turns in all work, including anything extra I hand out, and has a very sweet personality.</p> <p>Day works very hard to get her work done. She tries and works through difficult problems. She is willing to help other students and is always pleasant in class.</p> <p>Gunner is always eager to participate in class and help other students when they are having trouble understanding a topic. His wonderfully cheery attitude makes him a treasure to have in class.</p> <p>Addy is vigilant to get her work done and get it done correctly. She is very active socially and she still maintains a solid A average in Honors Algebra 2.</p> <p>Kenzie is a hard worker and makes sure to turn in every assignment. She takes time to explain concepts to other students. She keeps an excellent notebook. She is a wonderful student.</p>
Arts and Humanities	<p>Music Theory: Choir: Band: Arts and Humanities:</p> <p>Visual Arts: Art 1: Day Allison Advanced Art : Drake Huffine 3D Art: Gage Cossey AP Art: NA</p>	<p><i>Day Allison goes above and beyond on a daily basis. She is always pushing herself creatively and trying to improve skills. Her clay works are amazing, as well as her creativity in all she does.</i></p> <p><i>Drake Huffine has an awesome work ethic. He is always working, very precise, and has high expectation levels of his work. He is never off task and always willing to do anything asked or try new things.</i></p> <p><i>Gage Cossey has absolutely blown me away with how his talents have exploded. He is taking his pottery to the next level with glazing as well as trying new forms and setting new goals. He has even admitted to watching pottery videos at home... over break, etc... It is official. He is addicted and it shows!</i></p>
Spanish	<p>Spanish I: Ethan Ramage Spanish II: Coby Hunter</p>	<p>Spanish I - Ethan Ramage always pays attention, is ready with the correct answer, is inquisitive and a joy to have in class.</p> <p>Spanish II - Coby Hunter is always on task, gives all the correct answers and performs with enthusiasm. Loved the humorous skit in Spanish!</p>
CTE:	<p>Agriculture : Brea Quertermous</p> <p>Family & Consumer Sciences : Carson McCall Jones</p> <p>Business: Brookelyn Rupcke</p>	<p>Brea spent her time in class helping with the freshman and has been studying for her Certification test while doing so.</p> <p>Brookelyn always has a positive attitude, a strong work ethic and frequently volunteers to answer questions or help in class. She is a great student and leader.</p>
Allied Health:	Carly Guess	Carly is a joy to have in class. She is always a step ahead with assignments and activities. She is positive and always ready to learn more and do more.

Our cross country team, band and choir provided Christmas cheer to local community members through caroling this holiday season.

FBLA has chosen mental health as the focus of their community service project. The members have started “Mental Health Mondays” during CCR with various informational activities. A “Take What You Need” bulletin board was created with motivational sayings on papers. Students may pick them up as needed. Sheyenna Sytz, Emma Rittenberry, and Olivia G. Ramage are leading this year’s community service project.

The concession stand is being run this year by our foods class here at LCHS. Ms. Rita Hosick is over this endeavor and they are rocking it. Our students are enjoying great snacks after school before practice keeping them at school instead of running to grab a quick snack down the road. We plan to have all CTE programs self-sustaining by the end of the year.

We have a school store and it is up and running for all to enjoy. The store is run by FBLA students with all kinds of offerings for our students. They have anything from snacks to clothing. They plan to have a web page soon. Watch as we continue to grow greatness here at LCHS.

LCHS Band & Choir News

Lily Lamb has sent in her audition for Governor's School for the Arts.

Congratulations to Lily Lamb for being selected to participate in WKU Honor Band Clinic.

Congratulations to Lily Lamb and Angel Michonski for being selected to be apart in Quad State Honor Band.

Congrats to Josh Johnson for being nominated for the future KMEA leadership award.

General Music 6-12 Chair-elect



JOSH JOHNSON teaches Arts and Humanities, Band and Choir at Livingston Central High School in Smithland, Kentucky; and General Music, Dance, and Drama, at North Livingston Elementary School in Burna, Kentucky. He has taught at the high school for 18 years (the entirety of his tenure), and has encouraged several colleagues to present at the KMEA conference. He has also participated on the selection committee for the past 2 years, and is familiar with the professional learning conference of KMEA.

Mr. Johnson is familiar with professional development presentations, especially in general music. He has been a part of the Kentucky Education Association Arts and Humanities Cadre, and has presented in schools in McCracken County and in Warren County. He has also participated in the KET Arts and Humanities Arts Assessment & Technology Academy 2019, where he gained many great resources to use in the classroom. He enjoys teaching General Music at Livingston Central High School and North Livingston Elementary School. His experience has been in grades PK–12 in performing ensembles, and grades K–6 and 9–12 in General Music. He has seen several students gain confidence in general music and arts and humanities, and then progress to performing ensembles, and ultimately become life-long musicians.

Mr. Johnson graduated from Scott County High School, where he was a student of Tom Brawner in instrumental music and June Williams in choral music. He then completed his education at Eastern Kentucky University, where he received his Bachelor's (01) and Master's in Music Education (10) while working with such people as Dr. Robert Hartwell, Dr. Karin Sehmman, and many others. He has been the General Music 6–12 chair for 3 years of First District.