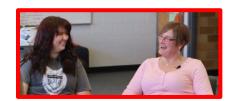


District Honors & Highlights - May 6, 2024

Teacher Highlight: Congratulations to Kathleen Kelley, Linn-Mar High School English Teacher, for being honored by Kelsey Leign, a LM graduate, in a feature on KCRG. <u>Click here for the story</u>





Girls Soccer Highlight: Congratulations to LM Girls Soccer for recently beating West High putting their season record at 9-3.

Student Highlight: Kudos to Addie Gralund, a Junior at Linn-Mar High School, for the work she is doing to raise awareness of heart disease. Abbie was featured on KGAN Iowa News Now as they interviewed the co-chair of the American Heart Association's Corridor Heart Walk being hosted at Kinnick Stadium on May 4th. Click here for the full story





Special Olympics Highlight: Kudos to all of the students that participated in the Day of Play (aka Junior Special Olympics) at Linn Grove on April 30th. Special Olympics Young Athletes is a sports and play program for children with and without special education services, ages 2-7. The students participated in 11 different activities, representing 11 different sports offered by the Special Olympics. The program helps increase strength and coordination for sports, while introducing them to group play, cooperation, and awareness of rules.

SODA/TRY Honors: Congratulations to all of the Linn-Mar High School SODA/TRY students that were honored at the Marion Rotary Club's 32nd annual celebration luncheon on April 30th. This

annual event promotes student leadership and healthy lifestyles. The officers from Student Opposed to Drugs and Alcohol (SODA) and Teens Reaching Youth (TRY) from Linn-Mar were recognized along with Marion High School leaders. Mayor Nick AbouAssaly, KCRG News Anchor Beth Malicki, and Tom Daubs, Marion Police Officer/LM SRO Officer, delivered messages of praise and inspiration to the award recipients, their families, district leaders, and the Rotary members.

