



LINK TO HOME for the Week of March 13, 2023

This Week

Monday, March 13	LCCS Board of Trustees Meeting, 6:30 pm (Click for details.)
Tuesday, March 14	Grades K,1 & 5: Author Visit, Jasmyn Wright
Wednesday, March 15	8 th Grade Graduation Photo Day (See below.)
Wednesday, March 15	6th Grade Parent Town Hall Meeting , virtual, 6 pm (Zoom link to be emailed the day before the event .
Thursday, March 16	Team Masih Trip to Mighty Writers
Friday, March 17	Regular Dismissal

Important Upcoming Dates

Wednesday, March 22	World Water Day (See below.)
Friday, March 24	Grade 5 No One Eats Alone Day
Friday, March 24	Quarter 3 Ends
Friday, March 24	Early Dismissal for students, 12:45 pm; Instructional Planning & Professional Development for Staff; 1:15 pm
Friday, March 24	7 th Grade Girls' Mentoring Group, 12: 45 pm
Friday, March 31	No School for students ; Professional Development for Staff

IMPORTANT REMINDERS FOR PARENTS:

By board policy, **Link students are not permitted solicit and collect money on school premises or at a school-sponsored event for the student's own benefit.** Instances of students selling items such as candy, jewelry, and other items have been noted recently. Please reinforce this school policy with your child. If a student is caught selling anything, the item(s) will be taken from the student and the parents called.

We have become aware of students coming to school with money and they are giving it to others. Most recently a child brought \$50 to school and gave it to another student, and there have been other instances of this. Please talk to you child to let them know they should not be giving money to anyone in the school. Money does not buy friends. Please check that your child does not carry money to school for it could be misplaced or stolen, and the school will take no responsibility for it.

COLLECTING GENTLY USED UNIFORMS!

Please send in school any Link uniforms that your child has outgrown but are still in good condition. The uniforms should be dropped off in the Main Office. The used garments will be shared with other Link families.

8th GRADE GRADUATION PHOTOS

Graduation photos will be taken on Wednesday, March 15th. To ensure a really nice photo, students should bring a white collared shirt or blouse (tie optional) to put on for the photo. Even though we provide a gown for the student to wear for the photo, wearing a tee shirt or having no collar under the gown looks very



awkward. A flyer was sent home to you next week for ordering photos. You can order and pay online at <https://my.lifetouch.com/mylifetouch/#/> and enter the Picture Day ID: EVTJD2XMT to order online. If you want your child to pay in person, they must bring CASH IN THE EXACT AMOUNT OF THE PURCHASE AND GIVE IT TO THE PHOTOGRAPHER. We cannot make change. 8th grade students may have nail polish/gel for the photos, but it must be removed by the time they return from Spring Break.

PURCHASE YOUR 8TH GRADER'S CAP AND GOWN NOW

It is the Link tradition that our scholars wear caps and gowns at their graduation ceremony in June. Parents are requested to purchase these items which cost \$30.00. A flyer will go home with your child this week, and we ask you to send in the money in cash or money order payable to "Link Community Charter School." If you haven't submitted your payment, please do so this week.

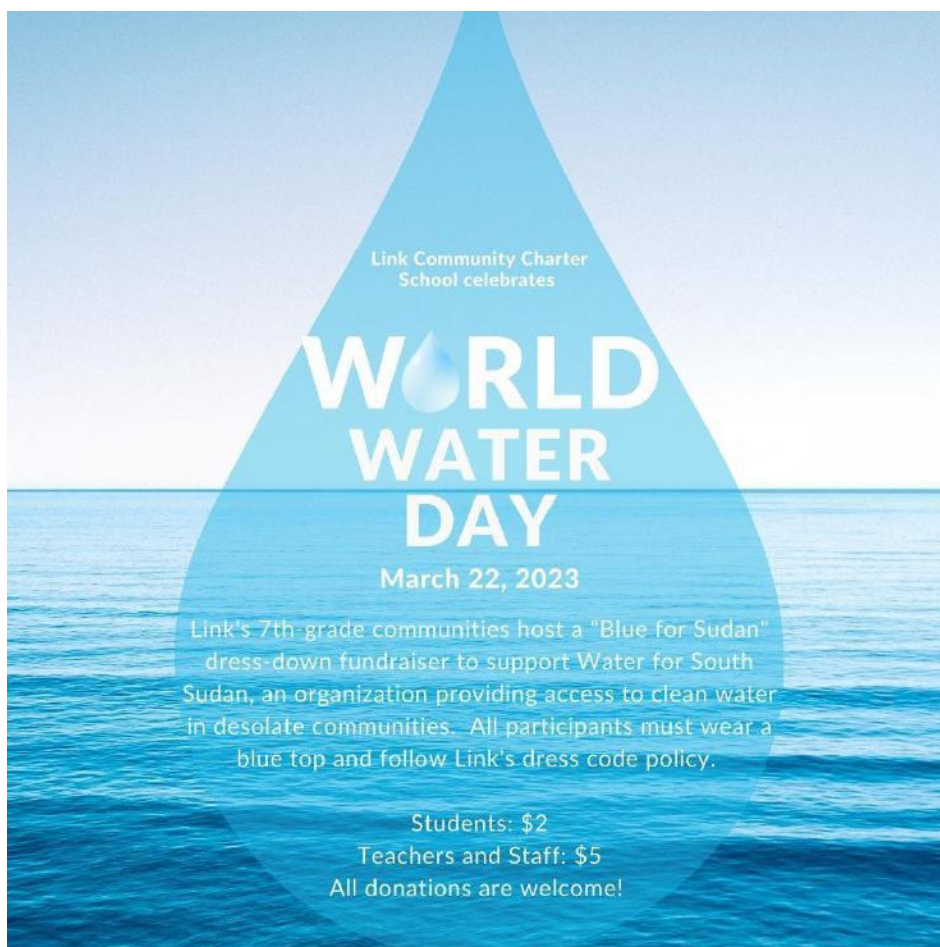


IN THE CLASSROOM

WORLD WATER DAY OBSERVED

Following the reading of [A Long Walk to Water](#), by Linda Sue Park, 7th graders will host a World Water Day on Wednesday, March 22. The day includes a fundraiser to support providing access to clean water for the southern part of the Sudan. Their goal is to donate \$1,000 for the cause! **Students may dress down by wearing a BLUE TOP (with sleeves) and then follow the school's dress code policy (including NO ripped jeans, leggings/jeggings, hoodies, hats, etc., IF THEY PAY THE \$2 DONATION FEE.** (Staff will pay \$5.) Students who do not wish to dress for this event will wear their school uniforms. We also encourage families to donate separately through the following site:

(https://secure.waterforsouthsudan.org/site/TR/Events/General?px=1017581&pg=personal&fr_id=1080).



Link Community Charter School celebrates

WORLD WATER DAY

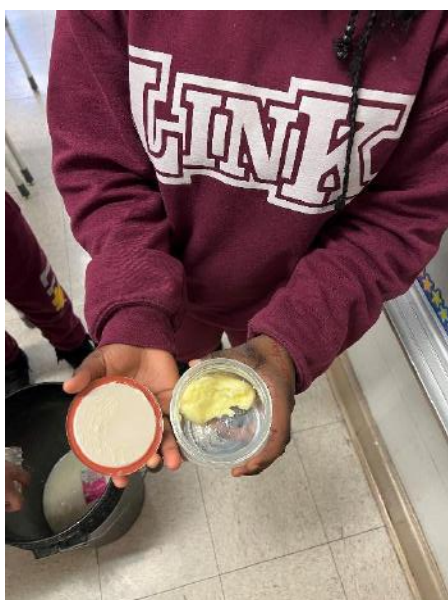
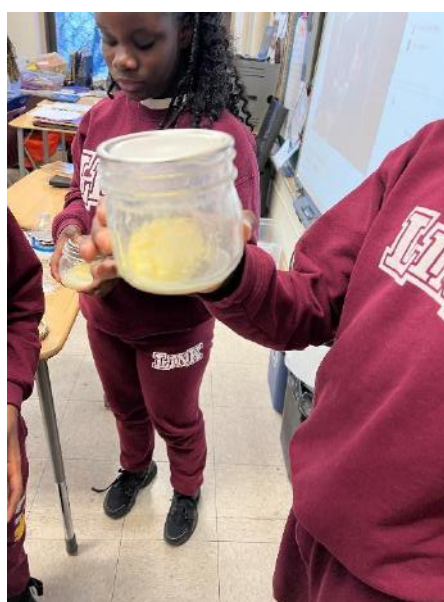
March 22, 2023

Link's 7th grade communities host a "Blue for Sudan" dress-down fundraiser to support Water for South Sudan, an organization providing access to clean water in desolate communities. All participants must wear a blue top and follow Link's dress code policy.

Students: \$2
Teachers and Staff: \$5
All donations are welcome!

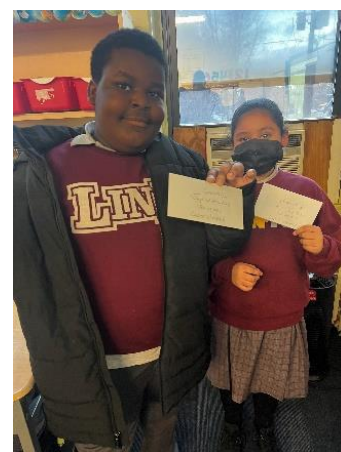
LEARNING TO MAKE BUTTER

7th grade ELA classes experienced the process of “churning butter” this week. The idea to do this came from a chapter in the book they are reading – Lyddie by Katherine Paterson, which book which is about a young farm girl in the 1840’s Vermont.



COMPETITION WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Congratulations to Team Chisholm Students Abigail Flores-Torres and Jayden Frimpong, for achieving high marks for Ms. Tammy’s Class Performance Competition. Also, a shout out to Imani Olawoore, IN team Paz, winning Ms. Tammy’s Class Participation Award!





To the recipients of the following awards:

Award	Student	Team	Grade
Scholar of the Week	Matthew Seraphin	Lewis	5
Core Values Award	Juanita Joseph	Chisholm	5
Scholar of the Week	Delilah Lovell	Link	6
Core Values Award	Diane Lovell	Malala	6

