



Linn County Juvenile Department

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Agency News "Welcome"

~Please help us welcome Hood Henderson~

Hood Henderson was selected for the swing shift DW II position and started full time on October 1st. Hood is from Oregon and holds an Associate's Degree in Criminal Justice from LBCC. Hood worked previously at the Linn Benton Detention Center as a DW I. Hood has a strong background in public service and law enforcement. He was part of the East Lincoln County First Response Team, he was a Benton County Sheriff's Office Reserve Deputy, a Patrol Sergeant for TCB Security and is certified through DPSST in the Field Training and Evaluation Program.



Agency News "Seeking Qualified Candidates"

We are currently seeking qualified applicants for the following position:

- Juvenile Detention Worker II
- *Female* position working at the Linn-Benton Juvenile Detention Center
- Full-time SWING SHIFT (2:30 – 10:30pm) Friday - Tuesday
- *English-Spanish BILINGUAL REQUIRED*
- *Open until filled.*

If you're interested or know someone who is, please see the Application Requirements and Process on our Linn County Juvenile Department website under "Employment".

www.co.linn.or.us/juvenile

Community News "New Youth Shelter in Albany"

Jackson Street Youth Shelter, Inc. invites you to join us for a Grand Opening Celebration of the new Albany Shelter. Please join Representative Andy Olson, JSYSI Staff and Board, and fellow community members as we celebrate the expansion of services for runaway, homeless, and at-risk youth throughout Linn County.

Save the date: Thursday, August 6th, 2015 12-2pm



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The Linn County Juvenile Department is dedicated to helping youth & families achieve positive change.

Our mission is to increase public safety by coaching youth and families to make positive choices through education, skill building and community partnerships.

****Upcoming****

LSCI Certification Training
www.linnlsci.wordpress.com



Community Partnerships **"Kids Helping Kids"**

One of Community Programs Supervisor's Rob Perkins favorite projects is "Free Fishing Day". Right around 400 people showed up at the Roaring River Fish Hatchery on June 6th to take part in this great community event. The event is put on by the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife as a way to get people outdoors, learn some techniques on fishing and provide a family activity. Besides that, it is a bunch of fun to watch all the kids excitement as they reel in a bright rainbow trout. The Linn County Juvenile Department Work Crew Program has been supporting this event for at least the last 6 years. Why does Rob like this event? "This gives youth in the work crew program the opportunity to work directly with the public, teach younger kids how to fish, bait hooks, take the fish off the line and place their prize in a plastic bag to take home" said Perkins. There are also arts and craft stations set up to make fish print t-shirts. Work crew leader Drew Crockett has been a mainstay with this project since the department started helping out. He spends many hours working with youth in all types of conditions; rain, snow and heat and works in some very isolated areas of Linn County as do our other work crew leaders. It is nice to be able to have such a great project working with the community.

Thank you to Rob and Drew for giving kids this opportunity to give back to the community through this event.

