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# Lincoln Login

## September 2020

### Round Up

The August Round Up amount of **\$200.76** went to the **Lincoln School.**

Thanks to all who contribute!

A little about Lincoln School...

Lincoln school was started around 1897.

In 1926, Alice Sherlock began teaching 1st through 8th grade in a one room school house. She had 32 students.

Through time, several rooms were added on.

The school house was destroyed by a fire in 1978.

The school board agreed to rebuild a K-12 school in December of 1981.

The first Lincoln High School graduating class was in 1983.

### UPDATE ON THE FIBER PROJECT

Our fiber is complete. If you have any damages in your yard or driveway from the fiber plow that need to be addressed, please call us. We will be doing yard repairs through the Summer of 2020.

All of us at Lincoln Telephone want to express our appreciation for your patience during this project!



**CALL 811**



### BEFORE YOU DIG!

We ask to have 2-4 days notice, if possible.

Give yourself enough time!!



It might feel like you need a computer science degree to manage all your network devices.... That's why we offer Tech Home packages. Starting at \$6.99/mo for 2 devices. FREE Supported Remote Installation if purchased by 8/30. Call 362-4216 for details!

## **BEFORE YOU CALL A TECHNICIAN...**

**IS YOUR PHONE HUNG UP?** Make sure all telephones in the house are hung up properly. If you have an Out of Building Extension, make sure that is hung up properly and also make sure your ringer switch on your phone(s) is set to "on".

**MORE THAN ONE PHONE?** Unplug all your telephones. Plug in each telephone, one at a time, and check for dial tone. One bad phone can affect all phones in the house. This would also include a fax-phone and anything else plugged into a phone jack.

**CHECK YOUR EQUIPMENT.** Check all equipment such as fax machines, computer modems, satellite, pay per view boxes, and all else that uses a phone jack. To do this, unplug the line they are connected to and plug a telephone set into that connection. If you get a dial tone at that jack, then the line is working, and it could be your equipment that is causing the problem.

**UNPLUG THE ONT:** Unplug the ONT from the power source, this will let the system reboot internally. Recheck the phone and see if the service has come back up.

**CHECK YOUR HANDSET AND LINE CORDS.** Check your equipment to make sure there is no wear or wires showing through. If you have heard static on the line while moving the cord around, or if it's visibly worn, you will need to replace it. We have all the wire you need at our office. If you are not able to find the problem, call us and we will check it out. If we find out that it is our equipment, there will be no charge to you. If it is your equipment there is a \$5 Service Order charge and a \$15 Premise Visit charge. There is also a \$60/hour labor charge which is prorated for the time spent at your location.

**FOR INTERNET TROUBLE:** Make sure all cords are plugged into the right ports. Unplug ONT and ROUTER from the power source for 20 seconds and wait up to 10 minutes for the system to reboot. If this doesn't fix the issue, make a note of the error message you are receiving, and which lights are on or blinking. This will be the information our tech support will need-you may reach them 24/7 at 368-5505, this is a free call.



**Lincoln  
Telephone Company  
will be closed  
*Monday, September 7th*  
for Labor Day.**

## **Labor Day Fun Facts**

- ◆ The first celebrated US Labor Day was on Tuesday, September 5, 1882 in New York City, planned by the Central Labor Union.
- ◆ 10,000 workers marched from City Hall all the way to 42nd Street and then met with their families in Wendel's Elm Park for a picnic, concert, and speeches.
- ◆ Oregon was the first state to celebrate Labor Day as a legal holiday in 1887 .
- ◆ The decision to make Labor Day the first Monday of September was approved on June 28, 1894.
- ◆ Americans worked 12-hour days seven days a week during the 19th century!
- ◆ There is still a Labor Day parade in New York City, which takes place throughout the 20 blocks north of the 1882 labor march.