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CELEBRATING THE GRADUATES: Spring Commencement honored 65 graduate and 445 undergraduate students. The last time many of these students were seniors, the COVID-19 pandemic cancelled or moved graduations remote. But this time, it took days to get through the celebrations. Congratulations to the Class of 2024!

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At Linfield, we recognize that the land that our physical campuses are located on were the traditional territories of the “Yam Hill” band of the Kalapuya people in McMinnville and the Chinookan peoples known as the Clackamas and Cascade Tribes in Portland. In January 1855, the people of these tribes were forcibly removed from the land after the signing of the Willamette Valley Treaty. They are now among 30 tribes and bands that make up the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde.

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