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Challenger Parent FAQs

Q: What are "Specials"?

Mrs. Jayne Williams (Physical Education) and Mr. Brad Northrup (Art) explain:

A: "Specials" are courses that are not taught by the students' general classroom teacher and not part of the "core" curriculum such as math, science and language arts. Each special has a specific focus such as art, music, technology and physical education. These important courses help to broaden the students' knowledge, understanding and experiences as well as introduce them to various opportunities and interests.

We CANNOT offer many events without VOLUNTEERS... Want to help, but don't know where to start? For volunteer opportunities, check us out at www.howellschools.com/Challenger or Facebook: Challenger Elementary PTO



Students are found to be far more successful when they have families who are actively involved!

Volunteer Spotlight is a new monthly recognition for individual dedication and volunteer efforts to our school. Each month, parents and teachers are encouraged to nominate outstanding Challenger parent volunteers at our PTO meeting.



Let's get to know...Lester Purdy



What Grades are your kids in? My wife and I have 2 children. One is in 1st and the other is in 6th.

What Challenger event are

you most looking forward to? Probably Family Fun Night. It is a sign that summer is almost here.

What kind of kid were you in elementary school? I was very quiet and

like to work on things.

You're stranded

on an

island, what 3 things do you need?/ would bring my wife and two kids the rest I would just figure out.



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Please support these hassle-free fundraisers

HALLENGE

CHAMPIONS



Santa's Secret Workshop is opening soon!



Each class will shop on a designated day from 12/11-12/15. Each item is only \$2 & we'll have a wide variety of gifts to choose from for everyone on your child's list...even pets!

Upcoming PTO Events

Santa's Secret Workshop

December 11–15 (Monday-Friday)

PTO Meeting

Thursday, January 18

Breakfast with Champions

Thursday, February 1 (BK-2nd) Thursday, February 8 (3rd-5th)

