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PTO NEWS

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SPRING BREAK! March 26 - April 2

Challenger Parent FAQs

Q: I love the student photo wall at the front of the school! How can I get a photo of my student up there?

A: Amy Wirt is our volunteer photographer. She takes photos of our students at school events and activities and posts them monthly to the board. If you have a great photo that you'd like to have posted there, please forward it to chpto11@gmail.com.

If you have interest in being our volunteer photographer next year, please let Mr. Cherry know.

Thank you, parents, students, teachers and



friends who have dined at Buffalo Wild Wings during our fundraising bracket challenge. <u>We have advanced to the</u> <u>Final and will compete for the big prize</u> <u>on Monday, March 12th!</u>

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



Let's get to know Erin & Jim Krywko



Erin and Jim have been pitching in at Challenger for over 10 years!. They have contributed to many events including Trunk or Treat and Breakfast with Champions. This family will be sorely missed next school year when their 3rd child goes to Middle School.

Where did you grow up? I (Erin) grew up in Troy, Mi and went to Martell Elementary and Jim grew up in Clawson and went to Schalm Elementary.

Favorite event at challenger? Our favorite events would be Trunk or Treat and Field Day!

What has been your favorite memory from Challenger so far? All the wonderful people that work there!

It's Pizza night– what's on your pie? *The Krywkos love jets barbecue chicken pizza.*

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Spring is just around the corner and our Family Fun Day event is being planned now. Our first committee meeting will be on Thursday, March 22nd immediately following the 6pm PTO Meeting. Please join us in the school library to share your ideas for this memorable event. Can't make it? -Contact the PTO at <u>chpto11(@gmail.com</u> if you can help.

Please help raise funds for our school with these great programs:



Shoparoo

Upcoming PTO Events

<u>Popcorn Friday</u>

Friday, March 16

BWW Bracket Final

Monday, March 12 ALL DAY

PTO Meeting

Thursday, March 22, 6pm (Family Fun Committee Meeting immediately follows)