



PERLEY FAMILY NEWS

Weekly Newsletter

Items of Interest

DID YOU KNOW?

A school in the Philippines is made entirely of recycled soda bottles. The school named Bottle School is one of its kind in Asia. It took about 9,000 bottles and dozens of volunteers to build the structure. Check it out [here](#).

NEWS FROM THE SCHOOL by Shannon Tenney

Hello Perley Families!

We have made it through our first full week of school and it truly went by in a flash! As expected, we continued to see a few tears this week as the reality of going to school and staying at school begins to sink in for everyone. You have all done a wonderful job of making the drop-offs quick and consistent, which will only help in the long-run.

This week, we will continue building routines in the classrooms as well as teaching students the expectations of going to school. This is such an important time in preschool! We are building trust and laying the foundation of friendships and school skills. Very exciting!

Have a great week!
Shannon

NEWSLETTERS AND FLYERS

- [PTA Aug/Sept Newsletter](#)
- [PTA Class Lists and Volunteer Google Form](#)
- [2024 Georgetown Flag Football](#)
- [Georgetown Performing Arts Mums Sale and Order Form](#)

PERLEY FOOD SERVICE

If you would like to order breakfast (morning Extended Day Only) or Lunch, please access the form here: [Perley Breakfast and Lunch Order Form](#). We cannot accept orders after Sunday, so please plan ahead by saving this link to your bookmarks. You are also able to enter the orders in advance for the remainder of September if you date them correctly.

PERLEY MENU

[September Breakfast](#)
[September Lunch](#)

PTA REMINDER

Each year the PTA works to provide volunteers for our classrooms through the completed forms below. They have not seen the return of these forms as they have in years past, so we encourage everyone to complete them. Even if you are not planning to volunteer, we need each family to indicate their permission for the PTA to share our class lists with Room Parents. Please help this important organization out by completing your form today!

[PTA Class Lists and Volunteer Google Form](#)



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

UPCOMING DATES

October 1-Early Release

11:30 AM Dismissal

October 14-No School-

Indigenous People's Day

October 16-Parent

Information Night

October 31-Costume Parade

IMPORTANT LINKS

- [Payments](#)
- [Breakfast/Lunch Order Form](#)
- [Absence Form](#)
- [Dismissal Change](#)
- [GPS School Year Calendar](#)
- [Perley Integrated Preschool Handbook](#)

NEW GEORGETOWN PUBLIC SCHOOL WEBSITE

We have a new website!

As we work to make updates (old info was carried over from the previous site), we still encourage everyone to check it out!

[GPS Website](#)

FROM MEL PEIRCE



As parents, we all know that reading to our children is important, but did you know that you can help your child learn other lessons and helpful skills through reading? Studies have shown that books can help your child learn lessons and skills. The key is how you read to them; I share how in this week's article.

<https://www.melpeirce.com/blog/books>

Because children grow up we think a child's purpose is to grow up. But a child's purpose is to be a child. – Tom Stoppard