



News from the Nest

Douglas MacArthur Kindergarten Academy

Nicole Jewell, Principal

Andy Conkle, Assistant Principal

September 2, 2022

<http://www.perryschools.org/dk>

Hello families!

It is amazing to see the growth that your children have made just in the short time that they have been in school. Can you believe that we have been in school for over a month now?

We are happy to welcome families to have lunch with their children, during lunch times, beginning Tuesday, September 6th. All visitors to Perry Township Schools will need to check in to the main office with a photo ID before entering the school. If you do come in to visit, please understand that you may not take photographs during your visit. We also do not have the capacity to have guests on the playground, so visitors will be asked to leave before students begin recess.

Thank you so much for your cooperation! Have a wonderful and safe holiday weekend. We will see our Little Owls back at school on Tuesday.

Thank you,
Mrs. Jewell



School Hours:

9:10am-3:55pm (M,T,Th,F)

9:10am-3:30pm (W) Early Release

Office Hours:

8:30 am-4:15pm

Office Phone:

317-782-2200

317-782-2202 (Attendance)

317-791-5634 (fax)

Address:

454 E Stop 11 Rd Indianapolis, IN 46227



NO SCHOOL
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5TH



South Indy Youth Hockey League Registration Now OPEN!

Who: Students ages 6-14

Where: Perry Park Ice Rink

When: Season runs from October to March

Registration Link: [South Indy Youth Hockey League](#)



MUSIC NOTES FROM MRS. HARLOFF

What have we been up to in music class so far this year? The kids have been working hard learning how to keep a steady beat on different instruments. We have learned how to use instruments correctly and follow a classroom routine. We have also learned how to echo-sing and have had lots of fun singing and dancing together. Has your child sung the "Hello Song" for you yet?

At the end of each class, we always have quiet listening time. We have been enjoying classical music by many different composers. We have listened to Beethoven, Mozart, Bach, Debussy, and Chaminade (a female classical composer!) Up next will be JAZZ! I'm excited to expose our students to the many different types of music our world has to offer.

If changes need to be made to
your child's
daily dismissal plan please call
the office by 3:00 PM
317-782-2200



ATTENDANCE MATTERS!!!!

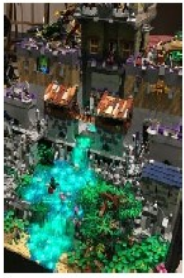
Please call the 24 hr. attendance line to report a student absence.

Add this number to your phone contacts & Leave the following information @ 317-782-2202

***Student's first and last name with spelling and date of birth**

***Student's teacher name**

***Information and symptoms stating why your child will be absent**



LEGO® Show

O.E.S.
Indiana
Service Dog Project



Saturday, Sept. 10
11:00am to 5:00pm

Show located at:
SAHARA GROTTO
7620 Madison Ave
Indianapolis, IN 46227



Fundraiser in support of **ICAN the Indiana Canine Assistance Network**
ICAN trains and places assistance dogs with individuals with disabilities and provides foundational life skills to inmates through their experience as trainers.

Suggested donation: \$2 per person up to \$10 per family

Come see displays by LEGO enthusiasts, purchase LEGO sets & minifigs from a local vendor

Sponsored by:



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 Perry Township Schools

Event Information

Date: Saturday September 17, 2022
Time: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Location: Jeremiah Gray Elementary
5225 Gray Road
Indianapolis, Indiana 46237
About: Speak with members of our transportation staff and test drive one of our buses. No registration required!

About the Job

Who: Bus Drivers
Training: One-on-one training available
Pay: Starting pay is \$23/hour, plus additional compensation for drivers with previous experience.
Testing: Perry Township Schools will cover the cost of your Indiana CDL School Bus Exam.

JOB APPLICATION: PERRY SCHOOLS.ORG
FOR QUESTIONS, CONTACT TRANSPORTATION AT 317-789-6225



For parents interested in the BSA Cub Scout program (Grades K-5), the Glens Valley Elementary based Pack 139 is open for boys and girls to join in our Scouting adventures. Throughout the previous school years, we have had many fun adventures such as picnics, hiking, camping, visits to museums, community service projects, Halloween party, Christmas party, Gingerbread house contest, Pinewood Derby, Raingutter Regatta, Rocket day, overnight and day Summer Camp, and much more. We meet on Mondays at 6:30 pm at the Glens Valley cafeteria for anyone interested in joining. If you are interested in the Cub Scout program but cannot attend on Mondays, there are other Perry Township packs that meet on other days of the week that we can refer you to.

If you are unable to attend any of these dates or would like additional information, please contact (call or text)

Russ Adamson, Pack 139 Cubmaster, at 317-828-9854 cell or raladamson@gmail.com or indypack139@gmail.com

<https://www.facebook.com/CubScoutsPack139GlensValley/>

GIRL SCOUT KINDERGARTEN BUDDIES



Girl Scout Kindergarten Buddies is designed specifically for pre-k (four years old) and kindergarten girls. It provides an opportunity to meet other girls in their area through a local event, a summer magazine (based on Indiana kindergarten readiness standards) mailed to her in June, July, and August, and a membership to join a Girl Scout troop in the fall! Girls will have a chance to explore the fun and excitement Girl Scouts can offer!

Fee: \$35

This also includes her membership for next school year!
Financial assistance is available.

Caregivers, you can join her on this journey too! Register with your girl to lead and take your training this summer, and Girl Scouts of Central Indiana will send you a free specially curated meeting-in-a-box for your first three meetings!

Registration runs from 2/15 - 5/15

For more information contact:

Vanessa Noyola
vnoyola@girlscoutsindiana.org
317.924.6882

**Register
now!**



girl scouts
of central indiana



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CANCER ORGANIZATION

As proclaimed by Governor Holcomb, September is Childhood Cancer Awareness month. Cancer is the number one disease-related cause of death in children. Over 16,000 children are diagnosed with cancer each year. This month, “Go Gold” with Perry Township Schools as we do a small part in raising awareness of childhood cancer and supporting students and families who are affected.

What can you do?

- Learn more about childhood cancer via the [American Childhood Cancer Organization](http://www.childhoodcancer.org)
- Paint social media gold to raise awareness! Check out the graphics attached.