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### Georgetown Elementary

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## Hornet Pick of the Week!



### Congratulations!

December 19—**Landon Hebert**, nominated by Mrs. MacLeod

January 4—**Cameron Reid**, nominated by Ms. Mills

January 11- **Henri Gotell**, rockstar listener during the 4/5/6 scary stories!

**Great Job Hornets on setting positive examples to your school mates! Check out the Hornet Pick of the Week Wall of Fame outside the office!**

## Dates to Remember:

**Jan. 17—Georgetown and Belfast basketball development day and game hosted by G.E.S.**

**Jan. 25—School Skate at Three Rivers Sportsplex**

**Feb. 7-Montague Intermediate Dance- Grade 7/8 GES students invited, \$4 + nonperishable food item**

**Feb. 18—No School, Islander Day**

**Feb.25—No School, Professional Learning Day**

**Indigo Shopping Party-** Big thanks to everyone who supported our Indigo Shopping party.\$500 was raised! Staff got a chance to use the money recently to buy some needed books for the school library. Thanks so much!

## School Lunch Program

**Subway continues to be a popular lunch choice for 2019- Wednesday is Subway day. See next page for a copy of the sandwich and milk order form that can be used any week for milk and subway ordering.**

## 7 Questions to get to know Georgetown Staff

Name: *Zack Gallison*

How long have you been teaching? *2 years*

Where did you teach before Georgetown? *Athena Consolidated*

Favorite food? *Sushi*

Music genre preferred? *Electro Swing*

When was the last time you climbed a tree? *This summer at Rise and Climb*

If you didn't have to sleep, what would you do with your extra time? *Play the saxophone*

## Upcoming events at GES

### Yums' Food Adventures Presentation-February 8

Yums' Food Adventures is an entertaining and unique in-class program created to educate students in healthy eating based on Canada's Food Guide. Created on PEI and for Island schools only, each Food Adventure is curriculum-based and tailored to engage all students. Presented by the PEI School Milk Foundation.

### Georgetown Elementary and Belfast Cons. School Basketball Development Day and Game- January 17, 2019

Georgetown and Belfast are meeting once again for an evening of basketball development and a game. The day of development and game held in Belfast was such a success it is happening again. Students in grade 6, 7 and 8 will meet Belfast students here following school to gain experience and have a rematch. It will be an exciting game, come out and cheer on your Hornets!



## PSB Kindergarten Registration for 2019/ 2020

Parents are asked to register their children for Kindergarten prior to or during the week of January 7-11, 2019.

Children must be 5 years old by December 31, 2019 in order to be eligible for Kindergarten.

Parents are asked to register their child at his/her local elementary school during school hours. If you are unsure of your school zone, please call the Stratford Office (902-368-6990) or Summerside Office (902-888-8400). Toll Free 1-800-280-7965.

A registration form will be completed at the time of registration. Parents are reminded to bring two pieces of information which verify proof of child's age:

Birth certificate

PEI health card +Verification of home address must also be provided, such as current utility bill.

Welcome to Kindergarten sessions for incoming students and their parents will be held in the Spring of 2019.

Canteen ORDER Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Student: \_\_\_\_\_

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	Total money included:
Milk						\$
Subway	X	X		X	X	\$

White Milk- .50 Chocolate Milk- .75 Subway \$4.25 (Fill in attached form with Sub toppings)

## Subway

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make bread selection:

6-inch Whole Wheat \_\_\_\_\_ 6-inch White \_\_\_\_\_

Sub type:

Turkey \_\_\_\_\_ Roast Beef \_\_\_\_\_ Ham \_\_\_\_\_

Veggie \_\_\_\_\_

Please choose sauce:

Mustard \_\_\_\_\_ Mayo \_\_\_\_\_

Ranch \_\_\_\_\_

Sweet Onion \_\_\_\_\_ Honey Mustard \_\_\_\_\_

Southwest chipotle \_\_\_\_\_

Choose the fixings you would like:

Cheese (white cheddar) \_\_\_\_\_

Lettuce \_\_\_\_\_ Grn Peppers \_\_\_\_\_

Tomato \_\_\_\_\_ Spinach \_\_\_\_\_

Cukes \_\_\_\_\_ Onion \_\_\_\_\_

## Sports and Intramurals 2019 Update:

Intramurals will begin again this new year starting the week of January 14<sup>th</sup>. Students in grades 5-8 will be playing basketball and students in grades K-4 will be playing the exciting new game of tower takedown. Sign up with Mr. Gallison if you haven't done so already!



Sledge Hockey presented by parasport will be going ahead later in February with instruction and a game for Grade 7 and 8...stay tuned for pictures and a rescheduled date!

## Science Fair

Elementary Students in grade 4, 5 & 6 have begun working on their Science Fair projects! Projects are to be done in school. Projects will be judged in March and the Community will be invited to come see the finished projects. Stay tuned for more details in the next newsletter. If you have any questions, please contact Sheryll O'Hanley at the school.



## Sensory Friendly Shopping at Sobeys on PEI

Sensory-friendly shopping hours will be held **every second Tuesday** starting on November 6th from 6-7 PM at all PEI Sobeys locations. The stores will be open to the general public during this time, but will have reduced lighting and background noise. Everyone is welcome!



**Christmas Fair Thanks-** Huge thanks to businesses and individuals who supported Georgetown Elementary School with our fundraising efforts in December:

**Kent Building Supplies**

**Esso**

**Daryl's General Store**

**Sheldon's Barber Shop**

**Tidewater**

**Lambretta Aesthetics & Boutique**

**Maritime Madness**

**Seafood 2000**

**G.E.S. Home and School**

**Zack Gallison**

## Georgetown Elementary School "Attendance"

Regular Attendance = Engagement, Motivation & Success!

Research is increasingly showing that school attendance at all ages is incredibly important and is directly correlated to student success and graduation rates. It is very important to attend school on a regular basis and make every attempt to eliminate unnecessary absences. When absences are unavoidable, efforts should be made to communicate with your child's teacher about missed work.

Your child's attendance is tracked and monitored daily and we require your support to help teachers keep an accurate record of why your child is absent. If your child is going to be absent for any part of the day, **you must contact the school before 9:30a.m.** If you do not contact the school, then the Administrative Assistant must call to find out why your child is not in school. This means that all phone numbers will be called (including emergency contact numbers) if necessary. Please make sure you have given the school accurate contact information

If you require further information about our attendance policy, please feel free to call us at any time.