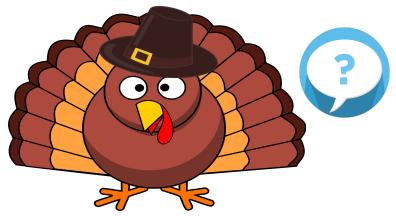


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You can get your picture on the front page of the newspaper. All you have to do is submit a picture of your best drawing of a turkey by November 17th, and put it in the newspaper folder outside of Mrs. Florer's room in the library. The top 5 turkeys will be in the HEN November issue on the front page. 1st place gets a 5 penny twist/skittles in Mrs. Florer's room.





Mayor Paula Dierenfield Interview

Made: Katelyn, Grace, Mukta, Brianna

#### Is there a quote that inspires you?

You know that the one that comes to mind is from the movie called Forrest Gump, he runs and he is handicapped as a child and the quote is I run because I can and what that means to do what you love because you can. Teach because you can, sing because you can, run because you can, so that is the quote that inspires me.

#### What is your favorite thing about being mayor?

My favorite thing about being the mayor is helping people, like if someone can't get water in the water pressure, or there neighbor's dogs or too loud or other things like that.

#### Where are you from?

I grew up on a farm in Northwest Iowa and I left to become mayor.

#### How long have you been mayor?

I have been mayor for 10 years.I might run for

reelection and that would be another 2 years.

#### Who is the most famous person you ever met?

I've been lucky to met a lot of people, I met George W. Bush, I met the president of Kosovo, President Yiyaag.She is a female president, and that was very interesting.

#### Do you have kids?

I have three children and they are all grown, they all have children of their own, so I have 13 grandkids and I spend a lot of time with my grandkids.

#### Do you have a pet?

You know I don't have any pets right now. I love dogs and love German Shepherds, so if I were ever to get a pet, I would get a German Shepherd.

#### Why did you want to be mayor?

You know almost all of my adult life I've been involved in public service working at the lowa Legislative branch for the Governor of lowa so when the opportunity came up to run for the Mayor of Johnston I thought would be a good step in my career.

#### Are you ever going to run for governor?

I don't know where my public service will take me next! I worked for a lot of electric offices. What I learned from them if that you should never say never.

#### What is your favorite candy?

I love anything with chocolate and peanut butter.

#### What are you going to be for Halloween?

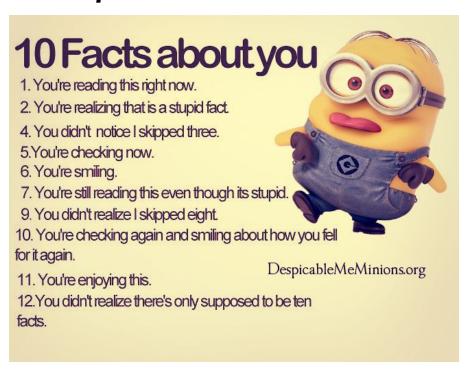
Something in the style of Wicked.

**Do you like Halloween?**Oh, I love Halloween, having the kids come to the door and tell me all their jokes

# Fun facts

- 1.Gorillas burp when they are happy
- 2.In New York it is illegal to sell a haunted house without telling the buyer
- 3. Human thighbones are stronger than concrete
- 4.In Japan crooked teeth are considered cute and attractive
- 5.In 2006 someone tried to sell New Zealand bu was was closed down when the price got to 3000 dollars 6.Heart attacks are more likely to happen on a Monday
- 7.In 2015 more people were killed from injuries caused from selfies than from shark attacks.

### Thanks to Top 100 Random Fun Facts: The Fact



#### Site

<u>Book Review</u> By:Harrison C Burkhardt



Percy Jackson is one of my favorite book series. It has a lot of action. It is romantic, funny, and full of amazing content Percy Jackson is a boy who lives in New York. He has gone (and been kicked out of) many schools because he has ADHD and dyslexia. He then discover that he is not an ordinary kid when he discovers his best friend Grover (who is "crippled") has goat legs and his teacher Chiron tells him his dad is a god. Follow Percy through the five books of heroic actions. Fighting greek monsters along the way of course. Read Percy Jackson and the Olympians by Rick Riordan today!

#### Photo credit to Rick Riordan

## Quotes

By: Connor Brinkmeyer and Grace Condon magic

"Whether you think you can or think you can't, you're absolutely right."
-Henry Ford

"If "Plan A" didn't work, the alphabet still has 25 more letters!"
-Unknown

"Not all who wander are lost."

-Unknown

"Ohana means family, and family means nobody gets left behind or forgotten."-Stitch "Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened!"

-Dr. Seuss

"It matters not what someone is born, but what they grow to be!"

-Dumbledore

"When given the choice between being right and being kind, choose kind."

-R.J. Palacio, Wonder

# The Majestic Blue Tiger

By.Sidney Peterson and Mukta Daripalli



The majestic blue tiger. No one knows if it is true or false. We surveyed 10 people if they thought it was true or false. This is are results 6 people said true and 4 people said false. Did you know a group of blue tigers is called an ambush or streak. Did you know that an adult blue tiger weighs up to 720 pounds. Blue tigers are just big cats. Remember that the blue tiger is maybe true and maybe false so if you see one don't hurt it. It may be the last one.

Source: Google

# **DAT GUY**

DAT GUY has only been spotted in seven continents he is said to wear a golden robe with flower drawings all over it, and he usually has a lemon in his mouth we have recently found that his natural habitat is on rainbows and he eats only a strict diet of Mountain Dew and Doritos with an occasional side of Jolly Ranchers. We were also lucky enough to get these pictures of him, thanks for reading this VERY TRUE INFORMATIONAL article.









