The story of my 2 dogs Luna and Chubby

In July 5th 2022, Ireally wanted a pet dog so months later I got one she is a girl and her name is Luna when we first got her she was really playful. she was looking lonely so we decided its time for a another one so we got one now he is a boy his name is Chubby and he is very active like luna but now he is a year old and still active but we have been realizing that luna is about to turn 2 this December and has been looking stressed and not like her so we are trying to see what is going on but for now they are happy just the way they are.

Activities they like to do; Luna is my oldest so shes my outdoor angle so she loves going into my backyard and caching lizards and playing with squeaky toys but chubby is different he is a inside dog and he loves to wrestle with luna or nap on the floor or his standing bed.

What they like to eat; luna loves to eat dog food or fries and nuggets for human food. But chubby likes to eat anything he sees us eat so when we feed our dogs we have to put in a treat or human food or they will not eat it.

Jessica Appleyard

## Plato’s Halloween Headlines!!!!

Plato Academy is going all out for Halloween! Trunk or Treat is a year round celebration of Halloween here at Plato.

To explain this yearly event, I have a personal account of this. Last year, Plato Academy students went outside in the back of the school only to find that there were many trunks waiting. They were more of exhibits. The students would form a line and walk by each trunk to simulate the event of Trick or Treating. Students would come to a trunk, get candy, and maybe look at the exhibit for a small period of time.

The year before that, students would not form a line and they would be free to roam around and explore all the trunks, as well as collect the candy from each one. Most years, students are allotted 20-30 minutes to go from trunk to trunk.

This annual occurrence is quite celebratory and fun. Students enjoy it and especially because it is in this time of year. Halloween is not the most important of holidays but students agree that it can be celebrated as an important holiday. Come next year to Plato Academy’s annual Trunk or Treat!!

Idan Baird

**Week 18 of the XFL**

The Nevada Turtles vs the Tampa Bay Sharks game is today at 8.00 Am. The game is on Xfl network . If we win this game we go to the ………Playoffs!!! And the other games that are today are the San Fransisco 39ers vs the New York Bobcats at 1.00 Pm on Monday night football the game is on CBS . Also the Miami Dolphins are vs the New Jeresy Bucks on Thursday night football is on at 8:30 Pm and the game is on Xfl network as well.Have a great week.And go sharks.

Jackson Billings from the Tampa Bay Times

***Michael Jordan is Too Good***

***Meyer Briggs***

Michael Jordan was born February 17, 1963. He made a partnership with Nike and it almost never happened. After Michael Jordan retired he started to play golf a lot. Michael Jordan most points scored was 69 points. Michael Jordan played a total of 15 seasons then retired. He won 6 championships with the Chicago Bulls. Jordan finished his career with the Washington Wizards. Michael Jordan got a total of 5 regular seasons MVP, 14 All-star teams, and 3 All-star MVPs. Jordan made 581 3-pointers in his career. Jordan had 24,537 shot attempts in his 15 total seasons playing. Michael Jordan had a lot of games in his career, he had 1,072 games. Jordan is number 5 in the most scoring points in NBA history with 32,292.

*Never give up on your*

*Dreams*

Fame

When I was younger I always wanted to be some kind of fame, but I had never figured out how. By the time I was eight years old I started to lose hope. “Being famous, it just isn’t possible.” I said to myself disappointed and wanting to give up. I was flustered, and to know that all those years I thought I was going to be famous.

But this year I got my chance, it was in the Summer my dad found a theater class me and my brother could take. And yes my brother also wanted that same fame I wanted he just didn’t give up on it. The theater was a camp and we would teach us a play called Suessical and we would perform it at the end of the week. And here I am, now I am still with that program and I am in the Lion King. The moral of the story is never give up on your dreams.

Sincerely,

Cailyn Crume

THE FIRST REAL ALIEN SIGHTING

So on October 21st ( Sunday) a guy from Ohio, Bobble Jay Rangler and his employees were working at Dicks hot dog shack and hamburger shack incorporated. Then, at 1:17 he sees something flash out the window he says that ”it was like a big red glow followed by a sound of a falling metal pipe.” he saw a looking human thing it wasn't a human he ran as fast as he could he hid for 30 minutes and it was gone he went outside except for PICKLE JUICE.

Michael Giancola

Hawaii and the Beautiful Tropical Islands

Isabella Hurry

Imagine waking up and being somewhere other than your bed. Imagine feeling an outside breeze and not your bedroom AC. You just traveled 4,697 miles. How? From a time machine, duh! Where to, could it be New York, Tennessee, or something more tropical like Hawaii or the Bahamas? If you answered Hawaii you are correct! We just traveled to Maui, which is one of the most beautiful islands in the world and has that fantastic tropical feel to it. Maui is located in the heart of the Pacific Ocean! You want to travel somewhere else I see? Hop onto the traveling machine and we’ll head over to Honolulu! What’s honolulu? Honolulu is an island located on the island of Oahu. If you are more of a city kinda person then Honolulu is your place to go! Take a minute and enjoy the breeze before we head back home. Time to go! We are now back to our beautiful state Florida! After visiting these two places, which one would you prefer? The more city side, Honolulu, or the more tropical side, Maui. I personally love tropical vibes so I would choose Maui. That concludes today’s time travel! If you ever want to come back here give me a call and I’ll be over there in no time!

How I started to like soccer

By Kosta Konstantinidis Kokalidis.

One time when I was little my dad wanted me to try a sport,by this time I was about 4-5 years old.Now I was also a chubby kid so I didn’t really like running but I tried soccer to see how it was and how to play.I loved it,I told my dad I wanted to play again but we didn’t know where to go since we were far away from any field.So when we moved 2 years later we were right by a field so my mom signed me up for wreck but I was to good so my mom moved me up to competitive for two years and on to my third.During my third season I won my first tournament.I was so happy that I wanted to grow up as a professional soccer player.

Sadly a year before going to Barcellona FC academy I got injured so I had to wait until I would recover.After that incident I would always play the best like Messi.

Two years later I won player of the year and the golden boot. I was the best.

My favorite Birthday!

My favorite birthday was when I went to Greece, Athens and Rome, Transylvania. The reason why I went to Greece and Rome is not what you think the reason is because for my tenth birthday my dad promised me to go anywhere I want so I chose Greece!

My dad gave us an extra flight to Rome as a surprise. I was very VERY excited because that's where the haunted castle of Vlad Dracula is located. And the reason I chose Greece is because that's where they filmed Mamma Mia the movie. And that was my favorite birthday 🙂

Max Lira

Plato Tarpon Sports

By:Brady Noonan

The Plato JV basketball team season is about to start on November 1, 2023.Its going to be a fun season for the players and the Coach.

On the other hand we have the volleyball varsity team in the finals against Saint Pete Plato Academy October 17, 2023 they are 6 and 1 for their record.Today will be their last game for the season. We hope we win the finals 😀.

8 Riddles for kids *(Answer at bottom)*

Anyone wants a challenge, here are 8 riddles that will get your brain working.

1. What can run but not walk?

2. I am lighter than a feather but cannot be held by a person. Who am I?

3. What can fly but has no wings?

4. What is yours but is mostly used by others?

5. What goes in a bird bath but never gets wet?

6. What are two things you can not eat before breakfast?

7. You’ll find me in Mercury,Earth,Mars and Jupiter, but not in Venus or neptune. What am I?

8. What question can you never answer yes to?

The answers are 1 water, 2 bubbles, 3 time, 4 names, 5 bird shadows, 6 lunch and dinner, 7 R, Are you asleep. Did you get them right?

George Pilatos

The Trip To Tennessee

I am going to Tennessee in November. My Dad and my step mom are coming and my half sister,it’s going to be so much fun. Hopefully it is because my Dad is paying a lot of money for this trip.My step mom is renting a car because her car is really small and I have a baby sister but she is too little to come because she has really bad car sickness and we don't want her to be sick, her name is Evelyn.She stay at my grandmas house and she loves it there but she will miss and we have a dog named roxie and she gets scared my dad is not around because roxie is stuck to my dad hopefully she wont this time.Oh! and i can't wait to get our cabin cause it a surprise and i don't know what it looks like so it will be a surprise and i love surprises. *Love sharing my trip with you. I hope you like it !*

*Written by Lily Ward*

Sports

Do you like sports? I will tell you my favorite sport right now.

I love soccer. It is my favorite sport. It's so fun. I like doing tricks in the air. and it's fun to practice and get better and punt and make goals and it's good to have good teamwork and work together and make an assist like you can even go pro. and see the famous soccer players today like messi,ronaldo,neymar or you could even be inspired by soccer players back then like pele,maradona and cruyff. and even in you freetime you could go outside and pass a ball with a friend play a game. and try some new tricks. That's what I do all the time and I get better and better. It doesn't matter what sport you like, football,basketball,volleyball,soccer or baseball in all sports practice makes you better practice makes perfect.

**Ghost haunting**

By olivia almeida

horizontal line

There's a myth here at Plato Academy Tarpon Springs, but I know it's real. A Native American tribe used to live here, the Tocobaga Indians and they didn't want to leave their home after death. When you go to the portables sometimes you hear a woman whispering to her baby then a loud scream. I believe that's the Spanish men invading their home. And there's a tree that is so old it looks like it's older than time itself. But when you hold onto the railing you may feel a strong force pull you back and then see a quick flash of someone who has a kite feather in their hair. When I go over there I start to feel rushed and stressed like someone was chasing you. Be careful though it may be dangerous. Out in the field one of the students on campus broke their knee playing soccer [true] then the same student did it again playing soccer for his team at practice. I think a dark evil was there, someone who was an outcast and did dark magic and cursed the Tocobaga tribe because for 600 to 800 years no one knew they were there, I believe the Tocobaga tribe was cursed. Even the teachers think it’s cursed. I'm not sure if the fall 6th through 8th school dance will go well because it's gonna be loud and they don't like that. We all know it's true so next time you come to the Tarpon school campus watch out cause it might happen to you.

The End

How to take care of a leopard gecko.

By:Memphis Blake

One thing you should know is that taking care of a leopard gecko is very difficult. They need a safe environment and a nice cage for a home.

The cage needs to have a bowl for water dish for food and a bunch of places for them to hide and sleep. Also don't try to hold one once you first get one. Try to give him bugs for food like grasshoppers, roaches, or worms.

The next thing to do is do not hold him yet touch him lightly and after a week or two you can try to hold him. Whatever you do do not force him to crawl on you, it could mess up the chance of you ever holding him. After about two weeks try holding him he will probably lick you because they are smelling your scent. They smell you because then they know who you are next time you pick them up. That is all you need to know about a leopard gecko.

**Facts about Zeus**

By Silas Caldwell

Here are some facts that I learned about the Greek God Zeus. Zeus is the King of all Greek Gods. Zeus is the God of Thunder and Lightning.He is the father of almost every Greek God. Zeus is the ruler of mountain Olympus.He watches over the ground below mountain Olympus. Zeus has a wife named Hera the Queen of Greek Gods.

Breaking news

By: Hailey Callaghan

Read all about it amazing news “read all about it” said Hailey there are 43 kids coming to enterprise village for jobs. They are coming for money and tell everyone you know they are coming on November 1st.

Hide all of you kids and make sure to let them take over your job so you do not get eaten!

Hide everyone you know, let them know to hide and or get out here you have 13 days to get every last plane ticket run as fast as you can.

That is why you need to run as fast a you can or get out of here.

Trip to Vermont

By: Braden Costlow

The trip to Vermont was so fun we did so much stuff and met some cousins i never knew and went to my grandpa's funeral and went to the lake house and had so much fun,we also had some s’mores to snack on.This morning we had to leave for our flight early and got there early,the airport was small so easy to get around so we got there early but the flight got delayed till 6:30 and then got delayed again.We had to spend another night in Vermont and had to stay in a expensive hotel because it was the only hotel that we could get.In the morning our flight wasn't until 5:00 in the afternoon so we went to a ski lift and had fun.After that we went to the lake house for the last time and said our goodbyes and left and when got to the airport and it was quick and easy to get to our gate but our flight got delayed AGAIN.Then after a long hour we finally got on our flight,then soon we finally made it to Charlotte North Carolina and we had a flight at 12:00 at night and then our flight got canceled and we had to sleep in the airport and made reservations for a tiny hotel to sleep in for a couple hours and bright in the morning we got on our plane and finally got back home to Florida after a long two days of delayed flights.

Going to mississippi for Christmas

Wyatt Couch

So one day my mom told me that our family was going to Mississippi for Christmas to visit my Papa.So we started to pack. It was going to be a long trip so we had to pack a lot of stuff for the trip.Finally it was time to go.My dad woke me up really early at 4:00 AM! But I didn't have an option.We were off on a 14 hour car ride.The car ride was very long and boring but finally we got there.We were very happy to see our papa. We haven't seen him in so long. But it was pretty late when we got there about 8:00. So we had our special dinner that we always have when we visit him in Mississippi.The next day we had breakfast.After breakfast me, my brother Ethan and my dad went exploring in the woods. After 4 day of hiking and playing outside it was time for Christmas. Christmas was fun and I got a lot of presents from santa.

Viking Miracle play against the Saints

By: Brosnan Davis

One time in January 14, 2018 at u.s bank stadium the Vikings play the saint so it started off on the first quarter of the game Viking head the lead 17-0 but the saints came back so now it was tied 17-17 in the third half saint head the lead 24-23 but than the saints was losing but than the viking stop them to 4 down but they kick the field goal to make the score 27-23 with 25 seconds in the 4 quarter but then the vikings did something the never did before the vikings throw the ball to Stefon diggs and he caught the ball with 14 seconds and makes the touchdown every vikings player was excited and surprised and some players cried including the man himself Stefon Diggs.

All About Athena The Greek Goddess

BY Sophia Kirkendall

Do you know all about Greek gods or s Greek goddess? Well I will tell you about a Greek goddess named Athena. Athena was born in 540 B.C. born near the banks of the river Trito. Athena’s dad was none other than Zeus and her mom was Miets the goddess of cunning and wisdom. Athena was the goddess of wisdom as in having good knowledge and good judgment. Athena liked to weave things. One thing Athena weaved was a tapestry of all the Greek gods on Mount Olympus and she also weaved threads of clouds and blades of grass.

My Family

By: Gabriela Macedo

I love my family because they are the best! I love them because they love me and I love them. All of my family members live in Brazil except one which is my godmother. She has black short hair. Anyways, I love every single one of them and all the memories. My cousin, who is ten, always does things with me and does other things too. I like to spend time with them a lot because I only get to see them once a year. Sometimes not even once a year, zero times! I really miss them.

**Inflation**

Did you know that they are making gas prices go up?

They make gas prices go up because there is less gas every week and since there is not that much gas in the entire country that's why they are going up.

Same as house prices but not the same reason, since things you need they're going to cost way more than they used to a while ago for example 5 dollars a few decades ago used to be more useful now you can’t get that much as you used to a few decades ago..

Written by Daniel Nazarov

**Wolf Tales Game Review**

**BY : Derek**

**One game I recommend to anyone who likes a bit of fantasy and real life combined is Wolf Tales. In this game you start as a wolf. As you hit different milestones in the quests section you can become different animals like Foxes, bears, panthers, and Dragons. To become a fox you need to get to quest level 9. For the bear it is 15, for the panther is 30 and the dragon is 100. You also have ability trees with different attack kinds like Range, AoE, Melee, Special, and survival.THe Wolf powers are mainly ice, the fox powers are mainly lightning, the bears mainly power is stone, panthers main powers are lightning and wind, and lastly the dragons main power is fire. When you start as a wolf you get 50 moonstone and the first AoE ability. Also if your parents are worried about blood there is none. WHen you die you just fall to the ground and respawn at Wolfs Welcome (the starting point). As for the animals when they die you get some meat and XP and they just fall to the ground and fade away. You could also get ability points. To get a new ability in the same tree you must get the fist ability level to five then use five more to get the new ability. As you level up you get more skins and they get rarer. THe first animal you get is a common wolf.as you go along you can get rares, mythics, ANd fantasy. In fox and wolf there are two exalted skins in each animal collection except for the bear and dragon. The dragons don’t have exalted skins because all dragons have wings. The exalted skins have wings and you fly by clicking jump twice. Any animal with wings can go to the SkyLands. To be able to hunt anything there you have to be at least level 50.**

The Scariest Prank

When I was ten years old I was playing a scary game with my friends, but then we started playing a funny board game with my parents.After only a few minutes of playing the lights started turning red and flickering.My friend tried to calm herself down by saying that it was her “ghost friend name Felica.”

Eventually me and my other friend told our other friend Chloe to tell her friend Felica to stop, so she went over to the wall where Felica supposably was and told her to stop.Then Chloe turned around and said “well Felica is mad and she’s turning the lights off.”Just the the lights turned of and so did the red ones it turned completely pitch black, we all screamed and dropped to our knees on the floor.

Serenity, Chloe, and I went to my room to grab their things because they would both have to leave soon, but right as we stepped over the gate my Led lights shut off!After a while it actually came time for both of them to leave we made my dad come to my room with us to grab their stuff we ran into my room grabbed their stuff and ran out my friend Serenity even left her sweater to grab the next day because she was super scared.Once we got to their house we called both of their parents and told them that the lights shutting off were my parents.

Now we hang out nearly every week and everything ended up being fine after all.Always remember although things may be scary THINK POSITIVE THINGS, just like Chloe and Felica.

Kennedi Post

SCHOOL EVENT- Arye Russell-Schoolfield

There is a school event when it is Halloween. My school does a haunted house and we have to go through the haunted house and get to the end.We have to wear costumes for Halloween.

ForHalloween we do trunk or treat and we get to dress up forHalloween.Also right before Halloween is the devil’s birthday that is why every Halloween it is haunted.You will sometimes see some people wearing the costume.All the people who like halloween dress up.

The time I saw a ghost in middle school

By Santino Samnik

It started off as a normal day in middle school going to the classes and having a good day.When I was walking to my next class I saw lights flicker.When I thought it was a dream I pinched my shelf and it was not a dream.I was scared but also not I thought it was just electricity.Till the door opened and then I was even more scared.Then when that day hit I would never go back.Even for a million dollars I will never go back.

The end!!!

**Tarpon Springs vs Palm Harbor**

**Albana tresa**

As the game vs Tarpon and Palm harbor started, I held my breath.This game would take Tarpon Springs to the championship but if Tarpon lost.Palm harbor would go to the championship game.The game started and first Tarpon was winning by 5-0 i was excited but suddenly we lost the serve and the points started to rack up, 5-2.But then Tarpon got a point ,6-4 i was filled with excitement more than i was with my own game when we won, then 7-4 but then palm harbor did a AMAZING spike but Tarpon couldn’t get the ball.I was so nervous i really wanted for Tarpon to win but on the other hand,I wanted Palm Harbor to also win. After lots of sweating,spiking, and dives,The scores were 16-14 Tarpon was winning but by 2 points.Then Tarpon got the serve and One of the amazing server was up next. She was amazing. She didn’t mess up or get it out. TARPON SPRINGS WERE WINNING,but I saw the sadness and disappointment on Palm Harbor faces.I felt bad very bad,But the server of Tarpon was amazing she was getting points for her team,20-15 then 21-15,22-15 then 23-15 SHE WAS AMAZING, i was cheering for her i was so happy,Then 24-15.Last point for the first set,if Tarpon won this set and the another set they would win! I held my breath as she served……….. And SHE MAKES IT OVER AND GIVES ANOTHER POINT TO TARPON HER SERVES HAD WON THE GAME. I couldn't believe it. I was so happy for tarpon springs!!!!

Second set started,Palm harbor wanted this set, they wanted this game and they were angry.Palm harbor was amazing this game but tarpon needed to wake up.After sweating,diving and setting the score was 20-14 Tarpon was losing badly but Tarpon one of the amazing server racked up the points 20-18.But the we lost it,After 24-24 tie game.Tarpon was serving it and THEY WON TARPON WON THE GAME THEY ARE IN THE CHAMPIONSHIP!!! I SCREAMED WITH JOY IT WAS A VERY TIGHT GAME BUT TARPON WON!!!

MY FAVORITE SPORT

Written by: Nina Vasacas

“Soccer is my favorite sport” I said, “i don't think that sport is for me, how do you get so good?” Audrey said, my face turned red, no one ever asked me anything like that before but of course I helped, “all you have to do is practice, if you practice you will get better!” I said, “I will try to but I guarantee i'm not going to get anywhere” audrey said, “you are right” I said, her eyes started to tear up as her face turned red, “if you believe in that, but if you think that you will make it you will if you dont you dont!” I said, “I guess so..” a few days later.. I go outside and i saw audrey practicing soccer! “Hey Audrey!,How is soccer going?” I said, “ I have good news!” she said, “what is it?” I said, “I made it on a team!” Audrey said, “see i told you” i said, years later.i went to go watch professional soccer one day and i saw… “AUDREY NO WAY” I said, later on the reporters asked “why did you want to do soccer and how did you make it pro?” and she said “because of my friend Nina she told me if you believe you wont make it then you won’t if you believe you will then you will!”

How to take care of a baby sister

By: Aaron Velandia

It is a big responsibility to a baby sister, They are cute but responsible. First you need to feed them milk from 0-6 months and give they a bath you want to play with them you need patience sometime. They do need a lot of love and care you have to change diapers.6-12 months They start to walk and now you can feed them solid food little by little,and you want to talk to them so they can learn.