### checking out clubs PUMAS MA

CHESS, A GAME OF CHECKMATE AND **COUNTER ATTACKS** 

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#### **FROM MAKING ICE CREAM TO BRAIN BOWL COMPETITIONS, Pumas were**

involved in many clubs and out-ofschool activities.

The game of chess, played around the world dating back to the sixth century, has found a home with Everett Wilkinson, 06. Wilkinson has been playing chess for seven years. Not only has this game become his main hobby, but a friendly competition between twins. Putting in the extra practice, Everett loved to play and practice chess

with his sister, Lakyn Wilkinson, 06. "I started liking chess after I downloaded a Dino chess game on my mom's iPad," Wilkinson said. Wilkinson has expanded his skills in the game since he first started playing and competed at the District Chess Tournament in December, held at Newton Middle School.



## how do you food? AT LUNCH

Everyone has a favorite time of the day? Lunch. Definitely Lunch. A whole 30 minutes to eat, hang with friends, and catch up on the newest gossip. But now it comes down to the biggest debate question; bring or buy?

NOVEMBER

### **DO YOU PACK OR BUY IT?**

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"I bring because the lunches I pack are healthier," Sophia Bren 06 said 29% time in the mount to pack my own lunch," Zachary "I don't have enough time in the morning

riving to be more

HARLES CATEL, 06



3. MIXING IT UP IN MAD SCIENCE, Alli Morgan and Calia Keasler, 06, make ice cream. "Making the ice cream was really fun, but it was more fun to eat it, Keasler said. photo by a. evang

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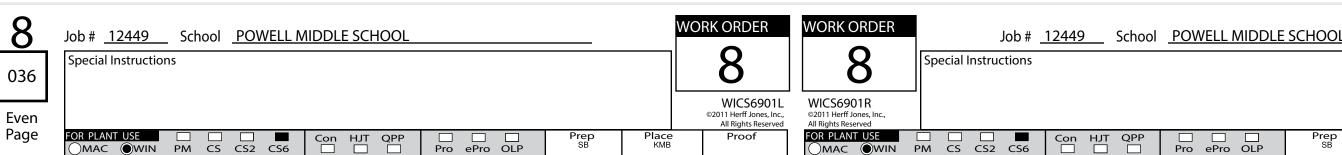
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L. KEEPING HIS EYE ON THE GAME. Everett Wilkinson, 06, practices his skills to prepare for the chess tournament. "My favorite part of chess is definitely winning because it makes me feel happy and proud," Wilkinson said. photo by a. angelista 2. HITTING THE BOOKS TO PREPARE FOR THE ANNUAL BRAIN BOWL COMPETITION, Sean Yilmaz, Gabriel Brock and Michael Purfield, 06, work together to memorize and study their facts to compete at the first competition in January at leritage High School. "My favorite part of Brain

owl is having a good time and the friendly

pmpetition." Yilmaz said, photo by n. ailbert





4. EXPRESSING HER CREATIVITY, Anna Rivera, 06, paints a

ceramic llama in Art Club. Rivera enjoyed first semester Art Club

and wants to join it again. "It's really cool to be able to different

art projects every week," Rivera said. photo by s. miyazaki 5. HITTING

one in a game of basketball. Smart has been playing basketball

ince he was four. "The biggest change from 5th grade to 6th

ade recess is that we play a lot more sports," Smart said. photo

**THE HOOPS,** Andrew Smart and Owen Turner, 06, go one on

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AN EXPERIENCE IN THE ARTS

series, Halle Gall, 08, performed as Dobby in Littleton Townhall's

Youth Theatre Group. 🔬 said. Gall has performed in five years, and acting is one HALLE GALL, 08

**IN NEWSIES.** Lucia



FROM THE **COLD DAYS OF COLORADO TO THE HOT HAWAIIAN SUN** 

OVER THANKSGIVING BREAK /ictoria Bratt, 08, took off to the tropical island of Kauai with her parents and sister. "It was really fun to go to the beach, play in the waves and spend time with my family," Bratt said. photos courtesy v. bratt

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