

# Private Elementary School Thiergarten Palace

## NEWSLETTER

March 2016

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### Parents' evenings

We would kindly like to invite you to the upcoming parents' evenings. Your class teacher will inform you about the 2<sup>nd</sup> semester period and answer any questions regarding that matter.



2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Wednesday, 9<sup>th</sup> of March, 6pm

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade: Wednesday, 9<sup>th</sup> of March, 6pm

### As from 1<sup>st</sup> of March: Self-made Easter baskets for the food pantry



As from 1<sup>st</sup> of March until 16<sup>th</sup> of March, we would again like to run our project "Easter baskets for the Bayreuth Food Pantry". All kids will handcraft Easter baskets for the Bay-

reuth Food Pantry. Here, we would appreciate your donation of sweets and candy in the 1<sup>st</sup> week of March. We will collect everything at our secretary office. We will then deliver the baskets to the Bayreuth Food Pantry.

## 7<sup>th</sup> of March: Event for the Day of the Free Schools in Bavaria

For the Day of the "Free Schools in Bavaria" under the motto "Politics become popular - deputies give a lesson", we cordially welcome the Landtag Representative Dr. Christoph Rabenstein in Thiergarten Palace from 12:30 pm until about 1:45 pm. Dr. Rabenstein will hold a lesson for our 4th graders on the topic "Questions and answers about democracy and the tasks of a deputy". This day is organized by the Association of Bavarian Private Schools, the Catholic Schulwerk in Bavaria and the Protestant School Foundation in Bavaria. On March, 7th 2016, all deputies of the Bavarian Landtag are invited to visit a free school in their district and to plan a lesson there.

## 14<sup>th</sup> of March: School-movie-day



On March 14<sup>th</sup> our school is going to participate in the Bavarian school-movie-day. The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade will watch the movie "Rettet Raffi!" ("Save Raffi"). The students of the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade are going to be able to enjoy the movie "Rico Oskar und das Herzgebrec" (Rico Oskar and the Heartbreaking). The fees are 3,50 EUR per child.

Please provide the amount to the respective class teacher by the latest March 9<sup>th</sup>.



## Easter Concert on Monday, March 14<sup>th</sup>



On Monday, March 14th, at 5 pm, our Easter Concert for this school year will take place. It will be performed by our students who play in the guitar or recorder group in the morning or receive music lessons in the afternoon care. They will be supported by Peter Cervenec, Larissa Eger and Sascha Blank from the Cervenec Institute of Music. All families are cordially invited. For better planning, please register with the expected number of persons with Ms Erath (erath.s@is-bayreuth.de) or the school office by Thursday, March 10th. We are looking forward to this pre-Easter musical evening.



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## Handcrafting for Easter in the Afternoon



This spring we will again be organizing an "Easter handcrafting" for the children on two afternoons during which beautiful Easter decorations for Easter time will be handcrafted. The course always begins after homework time at about 3:30 pm. Both dates will be announced via circular email in the next days. The course fee of 3 euros will be collected on the respective afternoon. The groups are limited to 10

participants each. All students are happily welcome to attend this workshop, even if they are regularly not signed up for the afternoon care on the chosen day. Please contact Ms. Erath via email (erath.s@is-bayreuth.de) by the latest three days before the desired date. We are looking forward to a fun afternoon handcrafting!

## 1st of May 2015: Maisel's Fun Run –preliminary inquiry

Our school will again take part in the Maisel's Fun Run. Before we make further preparations, we would like to ask you, if you are interested again, this year. Here, all interested children from our school, siblings, former students and also this year parents (non-binding) may sign up. Please have a look at the table below to decide which run you and your child can participate in. Please fill out the attached information form.



We would welcome a large turnout for this run.

Run	Distance	Years	Start
KNAX-Bambini-Run	400 meter	Generation 2009 and younger	9:45 am
KNAX-Kids-Run	800 meter	Generation 2005 – 2008	10:15 am
Sparkassen-student-run	2,5 km	Generation 2001 – 2004 Official DVL age band: U14 (Generation 2003/2004) U16 (Generation 2001/2002)	10:15 am
Half marathon	21,1 km	adults	11:00 am
Quarter marathon	10,6 km	adults	11:15 am



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## Easter Holidays

After all students have looked for their Easter baskets on Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> of March, school ends at 11:30 am. The students may, of course, stay at school until 2 pm. Please inform Ms. Erath (erath.s@is-bayreuth.de), if you are interested in that offer. The afternoon care and the afternoon courses will take place, as usual.

The Easter Holidays are from 21<sup>st</sup> of March until the 1<sup>st</sup> of April. **School will start again on the 4<sup>th</sup> of April.**

We wish you and your families a Happy Easter!

Your team of the  
Private Elementary School Thiergarten Palace



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**Preliminary inquiry – non-binding**  
**Please return this section by latest 03/07/2016.**

The Family \_\_\_\_\_ will take part in the Maisel's Fun Run:

Yes. My child \_\_\_\_\_ takes part in the following run: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes. \_\_\_\_\_ takes part in the following run: \_\_\_\_\_

No. We will not take part in the Maisel's Fun Run.

\_\_\_\_\_  
date

\_\_\_\_\_  
signature



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