



### **NEWSLETTER**

November 2021

30<sup>th</sup> of October - 7<sup>th</sup> of November: Fall Break

17<sup>th</sup> of November: Day of Prayer and Repentance

Visiting the Studiobühne:

18<sup>th</sup> of November 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grader

19<sup>th</sup> of November 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grader

Christmas craft workshop – please register -

#### 10/30 - 11/07/2021 Fall Break

The first school day after the break is on the 8<sup>th</sup> of November.

### 17<sup>th</sup> of November: Day of Prayer and Repentance



There will be no school on that day.

# Visiting the "Studiobühne" theater

This year our students will again travel to the

Studiobühne to see the play "Ox and Donkey". The Christmas story was written by Norbert Ebel.

- The 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade will go on Thursday, 11/18/2021,
- the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> grade will go on Friday, the 11/19/2021.

Class teachers will collect €11.50 from each child for this as of 11/08/2021.

Be sure to give your child the exact amount of money.

# New registations at our school

Fortunately, we already have a larger number of new registrations









for the coming school years. However, we would like to ensure that the siblings of our students are also considered.

Therefore, we ask you to submit the registration forms for the siblings to us as early as possible (also for the school years after next and further in the future). This way we can guarantee that the siblings will also receive a place at our school. We would also be pleased, if you would pass on the advice of early registration to interested parents.

### **Christmas craft workshop**

Our federal volunteer Ms. Paula Heinrich is offering a Christmas craft workshop during the afternoon care hours in the season before Christmas. Dates are on: • 11/23 (Tuesday), • 12/02 (Thursday), • 12/15 (Wednesday) and • 12/20 (Monday). Each child can participate in the course for one time.

Please register your child with Mrs. Erath (<u>erath.s@pgs.arche-twi.com</u>), indicating the dates that are most convenient for you. The cost per course is 7 € and will be charged with the monthly SEPA debit collect. 6 children can participate in each course.

# One-time afternoon care in case of emergency or befor events

We also offer childcare for children for whom no regular afternoon care has been booked, e.g. if you have an emergency need at short notice or during the time between the end of school and a school event. Lease understand that we charge a fee of 7,00 € per afternoon an will collect this amount by direct debit.

#### **Homework**

If your child has problems with homework or cannot solve certain tasks, we ask you to leave them blank. This allows the teachers to see what still needs to be practiced. Homework should not take longer than 60 minutes. Please inform the teacher, if your child requires more time.



#### Advent calendar in the classroom

In past years, several children in a class have brought in an Advent calendar for the class community. Unfortunately, the individual calendars could not be properly appreciated because there were too many in the in class.







For this school year, please again check with your child's class teacher ahead of time to see if an Advent calendar is still needed for the class. Thank you!



#### **Antolin**

The purpose of the program is to use the computer's appeal to children to encourage them to read. By answering quiz questions about books they have read, students can earn points via the Internet. Teachers can track their students' reading activity and comprehension.

After a student has read a book listed on Antolin, he or she logs on to his or her individual Internet account. The child is asked between five and fifteen multiple-choice questions. Correct answers are counted with plus points, incorrect answers with minus points, and the result is stored in the student's account.

The questions require intensive reading.

Antolin provides parents and teachers with a means to track their children's or students' reading and reading comprehension on the computer. Teachers get a detailed overview of the reading activity of the class and the individual students.

Our school also uses the Antolin program. For this purpose, our teachers register your children and set up a points account for them.

#### The friends association asks for your support

Once again, we would like to thank the Friends Association for their active support and generous donations for our school's projects. In the last school years, for example, they have supported the KidsSafe-project, the school garden, the Bal-A-Vis-X equipment and made the farewell gifts for the fourth graders possible. In order to make these projects possible in the future, the Association is dependent on members and donations. For this reason, we would like to take this opportunity to ask you to consider becoming a member of the Friends Association so that it can continue to support these and future projects.







### The domed hall was given a new color

The city of Bayreuth had the domed hall repainted during the summer holidays and now we are giving it a little bit of our own touch by decorating it with self-made lanterns.



## We wish all families a wonderful November! Your school team of the Private Elementary School Thiergarten Palace



