

Petaling Jaya, 21 February, 2012

## **Eleventh Newsletter School Year 2011/12**

### **Important Dates**

Wednesday to Friday, 22-24/2/2012 :	School Trips Y5 to Y11 (without Y10)
Tuesday, 28/2/2012 :	Written Examinations Sec. I, Mathematics, High School
Thursday, 1/3/2012 :	Written Examinations Sec. I, German, High School
Monday, 5/3/2012 :	Written Examinations Sec. I, English, High School

### **Dear Parents and Teachers, dear Students,**

the month of February is marked by three capital Fs: **F**urther Training, **F**ootball, **F**assnacht (Carnival). I was actually seriously thinking about which one to put first.

**Further Training:** Three colleagues have been taking part in further training on “Heterogeneous Study Groups” in Manila, i.e. study groups in which the needs of O-level and also A-level students should be taken into consideration. Subsequently, the participants of the further training workshop in Manila conducted training sessions on this matter with other teaching staff of DSKL.

From March 1 to 3, Mr. Pieper from Singapore will conduct a workshop on “German Speaking Integrated Learning” (DFU) to foster exchange of ideas and methodology on the subject. Science and humanities subjects taught in German are to improve and enhance the German language skills of the students.

### **Football:**

#### **VW-Cup, Friday, 18 February, 2012**

This year’s DSKL football tournament, the VOLKSWAGEN CUP 2012 took place last Saturday at the PJ Futsal-Center.

A total of 400 sportsmen and women with 48 teams from 11 different local and international schools took part in this mammoth tournament.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who contributed to make this big event a successful one. Our special thanks go to all parents, who provided accommodation to our three guest teams from Singapore, the organizer Mr. Lehmenkühler and the main sponsor of the tournament VOLKSWAGEN Malaysia for their generous support!

More details on this event will be uploaded to our homepage shortly.



**Carnival:** I was able to witness and experience true carnival spirit in our Primary School. The children proudly showed off their creative costumes as pirates, but our female staff appeared as ghastly witches:

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**School Trips Wednesday to Friday 22-24/2/2012, Bus Service:**

- on Wednesday **only** at 1:20 pm
- on Thursday **only** at 3:30 pm
- on Friday **only** at 1:20 pm
- KIGA Bus leaves as usual

**Short Infos:**

- **Enclosed** please find the Hilton meal plan for March 2012.
- Holiday schedule 2012-13: please find **attached** the new holiday schedule.
- BMW Malaysian Open Tennis Tournament Invitation. More details please find **attached** herewith.
- **Children**, who are not participating in any AG are to be picked up **latest 15 minutes after school ends**. Thank you for your cooperation.

**Reading Assistance for Children of non-German Mother Tongue**

We are planning to introduce additional reading assistance for children of non-German mother tongue and are looking for parents who would like to assist these children once a week in their reading experiences.

If you are interested in taking up this challenge and would like to have further information, please write to us or call us at: [maierbrugger@dskl.edu.my](mailto:maierbrugger@dskl.edu.my) or Doris Maierbrugger: 012 232 7043.

**VENETIAN NIGHT, Saturday 26/05/2012 at the Royal Lake Club**

Glitz and glamour of this city reflect the classic connection between Europe and Asia. We, this year's Seniors of DSKL, are living proof of this bond – be it by birth or choice. The VENETIAN NIGHT will crown our graduation and represent our unique identities.

The celebration will take place on 26/05/2012 at the Royal Lake Club. We, along with our homeroom teacher, Mr. Eberbach, are looking forward to celebrating with all of you.

I particularly look forward to this event as I will have taught the A-level candidates German for two years and I'm curious to see the end results.

Best wishes

Dr. W. Munzinger  
Principal

**Dates for upcoming Newsletters in 2011/12:**

06.03.12	22.05.12
20.03.12	05.06.12
17.04.12	18.06.12
08.05.12	