

Petaling Jaya, June 9th, 2022

Thirteenth Newsletter in the School Year 2021/22

Important Dates:

Thursday, 09.06.2022, 7.00 p.m.	:	School cone making in kindergarten
Saturday, 11.06.2022, 8.00 a.m.	:	Make-up date for class exams and class tests
Saturday, 11.06.2022, from 6.00 p.m. onwards	:	Prom for Abitur and O-Level graduates, Melia Hotel Kuala Lumpur
Sunday, 12.06.2022	:	Written DELF examinations at Alliance Française
Tuesday, 14.06.2022	:	1st excursion day for all classes 1 – 11, no AGs
Wednesday, 15.06.2022	:	Pre-school students visiting the school library
Thursday, 16.06.2022, 4.00 p.m.	:	Meeting of the families of the elementary school in TTDI Park (Detailed information will follow via the primary school.)
Sunday, 19.06.2022	:	Oral DELF examinations at Alliance Française (change of date!)
Wednesday, 22.06.2022	:	Report card conferences
Wednesday, 22.06.2022, 6.30 p.m.	:	Information evening for parents and students of class 9, “Own Laptops for upper secondary level”, classroom 9
Saturday, 25.06.2022, from 4.00 p.m. onwards	:	DSKL summer party
Monday, 27.06.2022	:	2nd excursion day for all classes 1 – 11, no AGs
Tuesday, 28.06. – Thursday, 30.06.2022	:	Project days for classes 1 – 11, no AGs
Friday, 01.07.2022	:	Report card distribution to students
Friday, 01.07.2022	:	Last day of school and KiGa before the summer holidays 11.00 am: end of lessons 11.30 am: departure of school buses - no AGs in school and Kindergarten -
Monday, 04.07.2022 – Friday, 12.08.2022	:	Summer holidays
Thursday, 11.08.2022, 11.00 – 12.00 am	:	Orientation day for new families at Kindergarten
Friday, 12.08.2022, 2.00 – 4.00 pm	:	Orientation day for new families at School
Monday, 15.08.2022	:	First day of school after the summer holidays
Friday, 19.08.2022, 10.00 am	:	Enrolment celebration for new first graders

All dates are available in our Online-Kalender on the DSKL website.



Dear Parents and Teachers, dear Students,

The last few weeks were marked by the final exams of our Abitur and Realschule graduates. All students passed the exams and some of them with excellent results. For example, one of the Abitur students achieved the best result since the beginning of the Abitur examinations at the DSKL. Congratulations to all of them and we are looking forward to celebrating the results at the graduation ball next Saturday at the Melia Hotel KL.

But also many other things took place at the DSKL in these last weeks: A successful fundraising run with great results was organised - more about that in the following section -, the 9th graders were able to

gain new experiences during their two-week internship and for the parents of our youngest students, who will start in the new first grade in August, an information evening about their childrens' upcoming start of school took place. In general, our preschoolers are currently preparing intensively for the transition to our new first grade. Last week they visited class 4 for a reading morning and also had a look into the current class 1 to get an impression of the upcoming school life. We are looking forward to welcoming seven of our current preschoolers as well as some more new students in our new class 1 next year.

Fantastic results achieved at the sponsored run "Run for Peace" at the DSKL

The school management, the sports department and the student council would like to thank everyone who participated in the "Run for Peace" fundraising run as runners, donors, organisers, helpers or at the stalls.

The run was a great success for everyone involved. The good atmosphere throughout the day and especially the great performances and results were impressive. According to the current status of the donations (we are still waiting for individual amounts), all participants together raised a total of **RM 20,961.00**. A wonderful result indeed and above all a nice contribution to help the needy in their distress.

As we have already informed you, half of the sum will go to various peace projects of the International Red Cross. The other half will go to the aid organisation "Ukraine-Hilfe" run by Jana Reyer. Jana Reyer is a former student of the DSKL who initiated this aid. Last week Jana Reyer visited us and presented her aid project to the students of class 10 in a lecture. After the summer holidays, she will be able to tell us again about her project and the concrete use of our donations.

DSKL Summer Party

In the last newsletter, we announced that we would finally be celebrating a summer festival with the whole school community again this school year. The date is Saturday, June 25th, 2022 and the party will start at 4.00 p.m. on the school grounds of the DSKL. Beforehand, at 3.00 p.m., an ecumenical service of the Catholic and Protestant parishes will take place in the theatre room of the DSKL, to which you are also cordially invited.

Entertainment is provided for this afternoon. The students have prepared a number of programme items for you, the school band will perform their new songs, and the AGs will prepare a number of performances and exhibitions. Another musical programme is planned as well as a bouncy castle for our children and many other surprises. Class 11 will be running the drinks bar that afternoon, selling cool drinks and coffee.

Visitors to the festival are asked to bring a food donation for the large potluck buffet. This can be placed on the buffet table on arrival. A list has already been sent out by the Parents' Council in all class chats and by e-mail. In addition, the baking master will again be present with his popular sausage stand.

We look forward to welcoming you all to the summer festival and to celebrating a wonderful festival with the whole school community.

Project Days from June 28th – 30th, 2022

In the last week of school, project days will take place from Tuesday, 28.06. to Thursday, 30.06.2022. School ends on these three days at the following times:

Tuesday, 28.06.2022 at 1.20 p.m. (Grades 1 - 2).

Tuesday, 28.06.2022 at 3.30 p.m. (Grades 3 - 4) - collection of students possible from 1.20 p.m. onwards (see letter to parents)

Tuesday, 28.06.2022 at 3.30 p.m. (Grades 5 - 11)

Wednesday, 29.06.2022 at 1.20 p.m. (Grades 1 - 11)

Thursday, 30.06.2022 at 1.20 p.m. (Grades 1 - 4)

Thursday, 30.06.2022 at 3.30 p.m. (Grades 5 - 11)

Please note that there are no AGs during the project days.

Social project - appeal for donations

Once again, we would like to take this opportunity to draw your attention to the social project of the Grade 11 students. Within the framework of this social project, donations in kind and money are collected for various children's homes. Class 11 is looking forward to receiving further donations in kind (children's clothes, toys, food, cleaning materials, etc.) All donations can be handed in to Ms. Lee Li at the reception or directly to the students.

Pre-order of the school newspaper - survey

We are pleased to inform you that the school newspaper group will be publishing another issue this school year, which will be sold at the Summer Festival. In order to be able to estimate the number of copies, we kindly ask you to fill in a short survey. Thank you for your support!

Below you will find the link to the survey:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdMzFepRVzxtXiOld6NavPO8BqW_gQLzZ1ggii7GzIC2xlcPw/viewform

Ordering school books for the new school year

As previously announced by email, the new school books for the school year 2022/23 can now be ordered on our homepage under the following [Link](#). If you would like to use used books, you can reserve them in the [School shop](#). Combine new and old books according to your individual needs.

The deadline for ordering new books is **June 30th, 2022**.

We will gladly accept your old textbooks as donations at any time.

Handing in school iPads at the end of the school year

We would like to remind all students who are leaving the DSKL at the end of the school year to hand in their school iPads and the corresponding accessories (cables, adapters, boxes) to our administration. The same applies to the students of class 9 who will be using their own electronic devices from the coming school year. Please hand in the iPads to Ms. Pei Chun Sia in our administration office no later than the last day of school, Friday, July 1st, 2022.

Covid-19 vaccination certificates

To complete our records, we ask that you send us a copy or screenshot of the digital vaccination certificate from the MySejahtera app after your child's second Covid vaccination as well as after a booster

vaccination. We would also like to point out here that the vaccination is not mandatory for school attendance.

Please send us the current passport and visa copies of our students.

We would like to remind you once again to please send us the current passport and visa copies of your children, as these are urgently needed for administrative purposes. The school is required to keep these documents up to date. We thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Vacant position in the administration of the DSKL

The position of the “Project & Marketing Coordinator” in the administration of the DSKL is vacant for the new school year. Please find the exact job description attached. If you are interested, we look forward to receiving your application.

Note on the online lecture "Reading aloud without borders"

Herewith we would like to give you a hint for a promising online impulse lecture with Janina Jauch on the topic "Reading aloud without borders", which will take place on June 15th, 2022 at 3.00 p.m. Malaysian time. You can find more information under this [link](#).

At the end of our newsletter, we would like to send you information from the GSSKL (German Speaking Society Kuala Lumpur) in German and English. We are looking forward to continue the great cooperation with the GSSKL and to some upcoming joint projects in the coming school year, which are already being planned.

With best regards and stay confident
Konrad Menne, Principal

Upcoming Newsletter: Thursday, June 28th, 2022