

Das Laternlein

January 23, 2008

- **Welcome to our intern Teresa:** Many of you have probably already met Teresa Heller at the grade school before care desk. She joined us after the break and is working with students in all grades until March. Please greet her and welcome her into our community.
- **Auction Item Pre-sale:** After last year's success with the Martini party, Sig and Marie Thoma have agreed to host it again this year. This year's date is September 20th, and we want to make sure to include parents that may not be able to attend the auction - maybe the party will make up for missing the auction? We will therefore sell half the tickets to the party now, at \$120 for two tickets, on a first-come first-serve basis. If you are interested in one of the 15 pairs of tickets, please contact Peter Hoeckel (peter@hoeckel.com) by March 3rd, but remember that only the first 15 will receive tickets. Another 15 pairs will be auctioned off at the event.
- **Parent Folders:** Please check your parent folder in the lobby on a regular basis. Classroom teachers, administration and other parents use these folders on a regularly for important communications.
- **Re-enrollment reminder:** To guarantee a spot for your child(ren), please remember to return your forms for the 08-09 school year by Friday, February 1, 2008. All remaining spots will be opened to outside candidates after the deadline.
- **2008-09 Financial Aid Applications:** Financial aid applications for the 2008-09 school year are now available. The deadline for completed applications is March 1st. Please contact Jackie at gspdx@comcast.net for additional information or to request an application. All requests will be kept confidential.
- **\$scrip** is starting off a Brand NEW YEAR with the next order due on **Monday, January 28th**. Our Best to You in 2008. You may place your Online Order here: <http://www.gspdx.com/cgi-bin/scrip/order.cgi> until 9pm. Paper Order Forms are available in the Lobby and are due by 3pm, 1/28. Your \$scrip Team.
- **Israel and Germany: Six Decades of Unique Partnership** – presented by the Jewish Federation of Greater Portland Community Relations Committee and Harold Schnitzer Family Program in Judaic Studies at PSU. For more information, please visit http://www.jewishportland.org/calendar/detail/event_detail.html?id=231332&fid=11243005&caller=%2Fcalendar%2Fcalendar%2Ehtml or view a flyer on the bulletin board in the lobby.