

BaSICS NEWSLETTER

No. 14

Positive Parenting Meeting

The positive parenting meeting has been moved from 30th November to 14th December. Our focus for discussion will be: "Consistency and Consequences ... rules and positive habits". All parents are warmly welcome. The meeting will be from 8.15 to 9.45.

INTRODUCING THE NEW PTG CHAIR



Dear Parents,

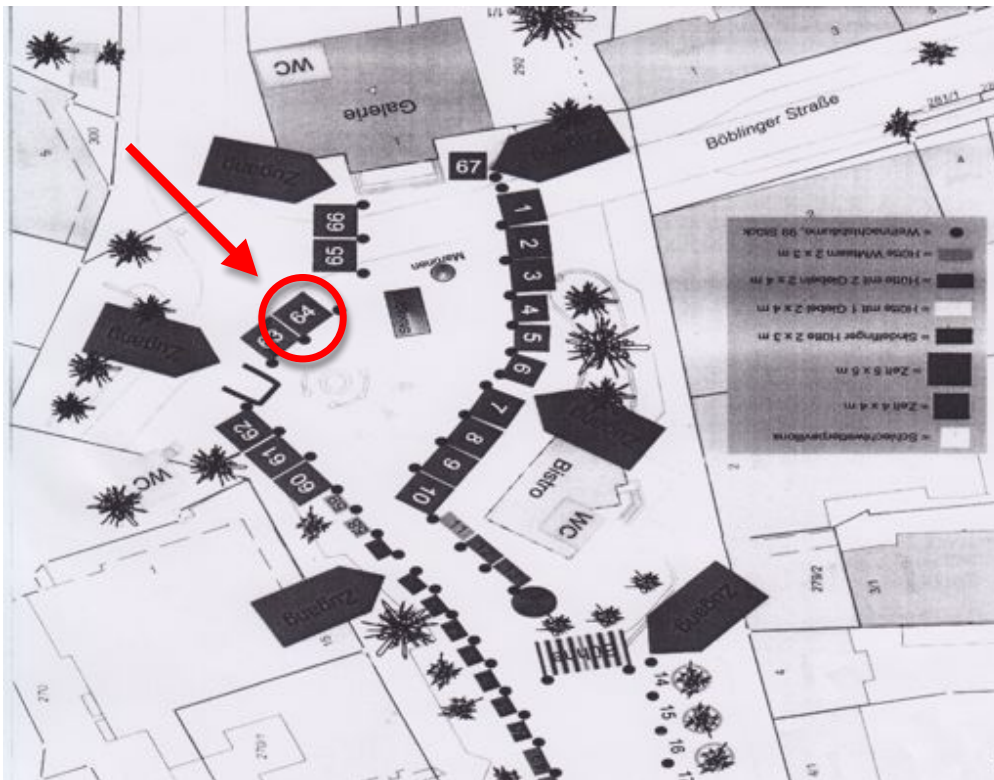
My name is Karla Marroquin-Smith. We are new to BsSICS. We have two sons, William and David. William is in Kindergarten and David is two years old. We are delighted to be here in Stuttgart. We have lived in Texas, Massachusetts and California. We find the lifestyle here in Germany to be wonderful and are very happy to be part of the school system.

The decision to Chair the PTG this year stemmed from a strong belief of being involved in my son's education. After reading the newsletter and seeing there was a need for a Chair, I felt this is my way to contribute to his school. PTG is a forum for parents to bring up issues, ideas, activities surrounding the social aspect of school life for families and staff. I hope we have a lot of fun this year.

It would be my pleasure to invite you to a Winter Around the World Picnic. The picnic will be held in the BaSICS Cafeteria and Treffpunkt Learning on December 21, 2011 from 12:30 to 1:30 pm. We ask that you bring your plates, utensils, and drink for your family and a dish to share with others.

Please do not hesitate to email me at karlamarroquin@yahoo.com. I want to hear any type of concern or issue that may arise with our PTG activities and events. Also, please email me and RSVP for the Winter Around the World Picnic. I hope to meet you there.

WEIHNACHTSMARKT THIS WEEKEND!



Please come out to the Sindelfingen Marktplatz to enjoy the holiday festivities! The BaSICS tent is number 64 near the Friendship Fountain and Galerie, circled in red on the above map. We will be selling food and craft ornaments. The tents will be open from: **2 Dec. Friday 18.00-22.00; 3 Dec. Saturday 11.00-21.00; 4 Dec. Sunday 11.00-20.00**

We hope to see you there!

MUSIC NEWS: SINDELFINGEN WEIHNACHTSMARKT PERFORMANCE

Who: Early Years through 2nd Grade Choir

Where: Sindelfingen Marktplatz Stage

When: Saturday, 3 December 2011

Meeting Time: Meet behind the stage at the end of the Marktplatz at 2:45

Performance Time: 1500 on the Marktplatz Stage

Dress: Warm Coat, Warm Boots, Gloves, Scarf and Hat

As soon as the performance is over, and we leave the stage, parents should meet their child/children at the steps leading off of the stage. All children will be dismissed to their parents after the performance.

Thank you for your support,
Jennifer Buxkemper
BaSICS Music Teacher
Early Years through 4th Grade