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## Monthly letter November 2022

Münster, 31.10.2022

Dear parents and guardians of the Hermann School,

The school year is in full swing and the first holidays are already over! In the next few weeks there will be some important and interesting news and dates for you. Find out everything you need to know about the Hermannschule in the new monthly letter for November!

The information evening for school enrolment already took place in October, and on the Open Day interested parties were able to find out more about our school and our pedagogical work.

November starts as usual with a public holiday, Tuesday, 01.11.2022. All services are closed and there are no AGs or learning support activities. The day before, Monday, 31.10.2022 is a normal school day - your children have SCHOOL DUTY - it is not a bridge day!

The planned "Parental Alert" on Thursday, 03.11.2021, will take place during the 1st and 2nd lesson. Your children can have great experiences with board games with you in the different learning groups/classes. You have already been asked which of you would like to play with your child and other children in the respective class. We are all looking forward to two great play sessions and would like to thank all the parents who will be supporting us.

From Monday, 07.11.2022, we will begin with school registration for the coming school year 2023/2024. All children who reach the age of six by 30.09.2023 will be required to attend school next summer and must therefore be registered at a primary school. Dates for registration at the Hermannschule are available from Mrs Bartsch in the secretary's office, the contact details can be found on the letterhead. In the period from Monday, 14 - Friday, 25.11.2022, the parent consultation days and counselling sessions for years 1-4 will take place at the Hermannschule. You will receive an invitation from your class teacher.

On Tuesday, 15.11.2022 our 4th year will travel to the Youth Traffic School. We would like to ask that all children from Year 4 come to school on this day wearing a bicycle helmet. Thank you very much!

On Friday, 18.11.2022, the Hermann School will take part in the nationwide Reading Aloud Day organised by the Reading Foundation. All children of the school will be read to on different texts in the time from 10.00 - 11.30 a.m. at different places of the school. This year, all the texts are read aloud under the annual motto "Together -Unique". The week before, our pupils have the opportunity to inform themselves about the individual books by means of different posters. Finally, your child can then sign up for the list of the group in which their personal favourite book will be read aloud.

On Thursday, 24.11.2022, at 7.30 pm, there will be an information evening for parents of our fourth graders regarding the choice of secondary school. You will receive a separate invitation.

On Friday, 25.11.2022 the annual "Christmas handicrafts" will take place in the respective learning groups during the morning of the lesson. Together with your children we will make Advent decorations, so that the Hermann School will then appear in a Christmassy and contemplative splendour.



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Should the parents of individual classes / learning groups wish to lend a helping hand, the teachers will certainly contact you, dear parents and guardians.

For the Advent season, we would like to put up a large Christmas tree in the entrance area of the school. If you have an idea or know someone who has access to Christmas trees, we would be delighted to hear from you at our office. Of course, if you are in doubt, the tree may cost a little something, but we would be especially happy to receive a donation. Thank you very much!

Finally, I have an important reminder for you:

Especially now in the colder season, many children are brought to school by car. This means that there is a lot of car traffic again. Cars parking in and out of the car park, open car doors and children getting out of the car make for a very confusing road situation. Due to poor visibility in the dark and perhaps rain, I am very concerned about the safety of our school children.

Please do not turn your car around in front of the school, and please do not park in the teachers' car park! Help us to make the way to school safe for your children!

Thank you for your understanding!

When you bring your children to school in the morning, we kindly ask you not to enter the schoolyard or the school building.

In the last few weeks, parents and guardians have often been in the schoolyard. I would like to point out once again that please leave your children at the small or large gate.

Neither for you as parents/guardians nor for us as teachers is it a nice thing to keep reminding you to please not bring your children into the schoolyard. In order to finally put this inconvenience to rest, I would like to ask you once again:

PLEASE DROP YOUR CHILD BEFORE SCHOOL!

To make it easier to pick up your child in the afternoon, you can walk right up to the barrier post so that you can be seen better by the staff of the open all-day school. Have a wonderful month of November

Judith Lüttikhuis (principal)

Dates in November 2022	
01.11.2022	Public holiday - school day off
03.11.2022	"Parent Alert", 1st/2nd les- son
7. – 11.11.2022	School enrolments 2023/2024
14. – 25.11.2022	Parents' Consultation Days / Consultation Talks Grade 4
15.11.2022	Youth traffic school, class 4
18.11.2022	Participation in the nation- wide reading day
24.11.2022	Information evening "Se- condary school", class 4, 19.30 h
25.11.2022	Christmas crafts 1st - 4th lesson





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