

FEBRUARY 2013 - Kindergruppe/Jugendgruppe Newsletter

Dear Families,

What an exciting night! With warm thoughts of Greece, the Kindergruppe and Jugendgruppe worked together to showcase their dance at the **Miss Schwaben** celebration. The numbers and costumes were a spectacular sight to see.

Some children from our groups are participating in the **filming opportunity with Sinking Ship Entertainment** on February 3rd. They have been staying later after practice each week to learn a new dance to showcase. We wish them patience and luck with this endeavour.

Join us after practice on February 14th for a **Valentine treat**. We have decided to keep it simple this year since we have such a large number of dancers. We will not exchange valentines, but instead the committee will provide a snack after practice.

Mark your calendars for our **Annual Spaghetti Dinner on March 23, 2013**. This is a fundraiser for our groups. We are asking each family to donate a service or item for our silent auction that can be dropped off with Melissa in the office. Don't forget to pick up your tickets (minimum 4 per family) at the communication table.

Keep your eyes out as we will be showcasing our **new dirndls** soon! In fact, we are starting sessions for **fittings** already. Thursday **February 7 – Kindergruppe** girls will be fitted during dance practice. Thursday **February 14 – Jugendgruppe** will be fitted during dance practice. Deposits for the dirndl's will be collected on February 21, 2013. More information and contract will follow – please see the communication table.

Tax receipts will be ready for pick up at practice on **February 28th**. See the communication table.

Sincerely,

Kathy Beckett, Kindergruppe/Jugendgruppe President

Reminders for FEBRUARY:

Saturday February 23, 2013	Gründungsfest – Club Anniversary
Schwaben Club	Doors open at 5:30 pm, Supper served at 6:00 pm. Purchase tickets from Melissa in the office or email her.
Crown braiding – see sign-up sheet if you can't do this on your own. Girls to wear their own dress, but bring petty pants, petty skirt and tights and dirndls will be distributed that evening.	

UPCOMING:

No practice Thursday March 14 – March Break
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Saturday, March 23, 2013	Spaghetti Dinner - Fundraiser
Schwaben Club	Tickets are available for you to sell to family and friends – see the Communication table. Start to bring in items to donate for the Silent Auction.

For tickets, please see Melissa in the office or email her at schwaben@kitchenschwabenclub.com