



NOVEMBER 13, 2023

# TIGER TALES NEWSLETTER

## IMPORTANT DATES

**Coffee Talk**  
Fri 17 Nov  
0745-0830

**TIGER Awards**  
Fri 17 Nov  
0845-1000

**Bullying Prevention Week**  
Mon 20 Nov - Wed 23 Nov

**Thanksgiving Holiday**  
**No School**  
Thurs 23 Nov - Fri 24 Nov



## PRINCIPAL'S CORNER...

**GREETINGS, TIGER NATION!!!!**



First and foremost, THANK YOU to all our VETERANS who have proudly served our nation! The SEMBACH TIGERS appreciate you and are grateful for your sacrifice and service.



Another short week has come and gone, but our students have continued to work hard, persevere through academic challenges but in the true spirit of the Power of YET... we all learn from our mistakes! Way to go TIGERS!!!!

It was wonderful seeing our 2nd grade students today, partner with our 5th grade students for their "Buddy Lesson!" In partners and small groups, students read a Veterans Day article together and completed a timeline based on the article's key details and then verbally answered questions based on the text evidence! Great job 2nd and 5th grades!! Working collaboratively in pursuit of our goal of becoming better readers and writers!

We look forward to having our end of quarter TIGER TRAIT awards assemblies at the end of next week, Friday 17 November. Teachers and staff have nominated students based on exhibiting our Tiger Traits! Parents of students receiving an award this quarter will receive an emailed invitation. At SES, we work hard to be a TIGER, every day and in every way! GO SES TIGERS!



T - Team Player  
I - Improved  
G - Growth Mindset  
E - Enthusiasm  
R - Ready to Learn

Have a wonderful long weekend, everyone!

**WE ARE, the SEMBACH TIGERS!**

Martha Enyeart, Principal



## FALL CLUBS

**Music Club with Ms. Hartwig**  
Mondays and Wednesdays  
14:30-1545

**Speed Stacking**  
**with Ms. Sevigny**  
Thursdays  
14:35-15:30

**Student Council**  
**with Ms. Darcy**  
Thursdays  
14:40-1530

## NURSE'S CORNER



**Mark your calendar! The Flu Vaccine Deadline is 1 Dec 2023.**

**PLEASE REMEMBER TO KEEP YOUR CHILD HOME WHEN:**

- Fever, temperature greater than 100-degree F
- Actively vomiting or has diarrhea
- Severe uncontrolled coughing
- illness which presents with contagious symptoms
- Thick discharge from eyes, pain, redness

Questions or concerns? Please contact Theresia Lee at  
0611-143-545-1108 or send email to  
Theresia.lee@dodea.edu

# MEET THE TEACHER



**Libby Kniffen**

Student Support Specialist  
(Literacy)



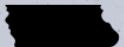
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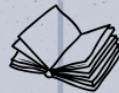



Zac is the PE Teacher at Vogelweh Elementary School. He is also the Volleyball and Softball coach at Kaiserslautern High School. Jace is twenty-one and works at the CDC on Kleber. And, Xin Ai is eighteen and in her first year at Bridgewater State University playing volleyball. We have two Australian Shepherds (Bolt & Lightning) who will be 4 years old next month.



## About Me

I am in my 25th year of teaching (16th year in Germany). I have taught 1st through 5th grades, Multiage (2nd/3rd grade), and been a Reading Specialist. 



I am originally from Iowa, went to the University of Northern Iowa, and did my student teaching in San Antonio, TX (and then taught nine years there). 

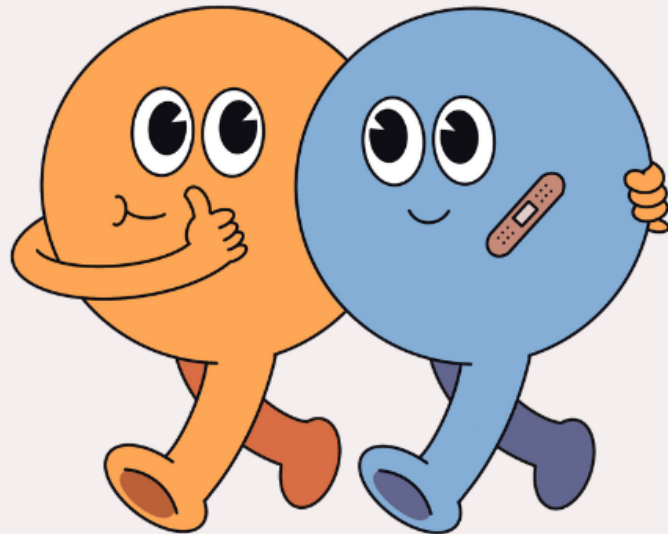


## Fun Fact:

I have a house on the Mosel River and spend most of the summer and weekends there.



# BE A FRIEND NOT A BULLY



**KINDNESS IS OUR SUPERPOWER. TOGETHER, WE  
CAN STAND UP AGAINST BULLYING AND MAKE OUR  
WORLD A SAFER PLACE!!**

**Nov. 20**

**Team up Against  
Bullying!**

**WEAR YOUR  
FAVORITE  
TEAM SHIRT!**

**Nov. 21**

**Our School Stands  
Together Against  
Bullying!**

**WEAR YOUR  
SCHOOL SPIRIT  
WEAR OR  
SCHOOL COLORS!**

**Nov. 22**

**Don't get Mixed up  
in Bullying!**

**WEAR MIX/MATCH  
CLOTHING OR  
CRAZY PATTERNS!**

**BULLY PREVENTION  
WEEK AT SEMBACH**

**Spirit wear  
competition  
between  
classes.**



# Bald ist Sankt Martin!!

Saint Martin's Day is almost here! Traditionally, all towns celebrate the occasion where kids and their parents meet at the local school or near the town hall and go for a procession, carrying their paper lanterns. Usually there is a "real Sankt Martin" leading the procession. Martins-songs are being sung and after the walk through the town, everyone meets at the market place and has a Brezel, Dambedei (sweet dough Martins cookie), a hot chocolate or a Gluehwein.



Martin was born in 316 or 334 AD in Savaria in the region of Pannonia (in modern-day Hungary) but grew up in Northern Italy. Throughout his life as a soldier, monk and bishop, Saint Martin was associated with miracles and he was known for his generosity and helpfulness towards all people, which has influenced the way Saint Martin's Day is celebrated today.

Check out with your town for Saint Martin's celebrations on **11/11**. Everybody can join and mingle with the crowd

Have wonderful Sankt Martin and happy November!

*Frau Dr. Gath*







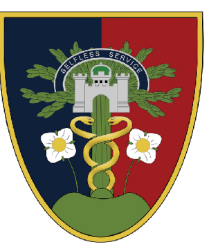
## Congratulations Sembach Speed Stackers!!

On Saturday, October 21st, Sembach Elementary students participated in the Offener Hessen Speed Stacking tournament in Stockstadt. 126 stackers from Germany, the United States, the Netherlands, Switzerland, and Japan were there to show off their skills.

What is speed stacking? It is a fun sport where you stack specially designed cups up and down in a specific pattern as fast as possible. Cup stacking uses both sides of the brain and is great for hand-eye coordination and ambidexterity. Participants race against the clock or other stackers. There are individual, doubles, and team events. It is a Junior Olympics event and has been featured on the Tonight Show, in the NY Times, and as a challenge on the Amazing Race.

The novice Sembach Tigers team had time to get in a few practice rounds before the competition began. Each team member put forth their best Tiger effort and the excitement of the tournament atmosphere helped them to score their personal best times. Louis Kelly took 2<sup>nd</sup> place in the 3-3-3 and the 3-6-3. Sofia Castro took 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the 3-3-3 and 3-6-3. And Lilliyana Desancic placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Cycle.

**We are very proud of our whole Tiger Team which did a  
grrrrrrreat job!! Go Tigers!!**



# U.S. ARMY HEALTH CLINIC BAUMHOLDER

## 2023-2024 Influenza Campaign

AVAILABLE TO ALL BENEFICIARIES AGES 3 AND OLDER

\*This is a walk-in event, appointments not required\*

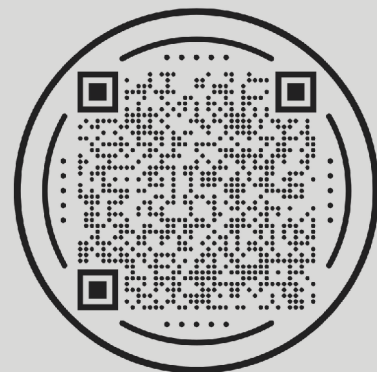
DATE	LOCATION	TIME
18 October 2023	Hall of Champions Fitness Center	1100-1700
19 October 2023	Hall of Champions Fitness Center	1100-1700
20 October 2023	Hall of Champions Fitness Center	1100-1700
26 October 2023	Smith Elementary School	1500-1800
27 October 2023	Baumholder Middle High School	1500-1700
08 November 2023	Hall of Champions Fitness Center	1400-1800
09 November 2023	Hall of Champions Fitness Center	1100-1700
15 November 2023	Baumholder Health Clinic	0900-1500
01 December 2023	Baumholder Health Clinic	0900-1500

We now have an opportunity for children <36 Months to Receive their flu vaccine on a walk-in basis at the clinic.

- Every Wednesday from 0800-1100 (Except third Wednesday)
- BLDG 8741 Rm 102 (Former COVID Clinic)

### Required Documents:

- DOD ID Card
- Vaccination Passport (if applicable)
- DHA 116 v4 - Influenza Vaccine Pre-Screening Form (Will be provided on site, but able to prefill by scanning QR code to the right) \*Requires Adobe Acrobat Reader DC
  - If prefilled, please print and bring with you.





These events will only be utilized for Annual Influenza Requirements for Beneficiaries aged 3 and older.

We will not be giving any other vaccines during these events. For all other immunization needs and influenza vaccination outside of the age range listed please make an appointment with the health clinic by contacting the Appointment Line at **+49 6371 9464 5762**.

# November Breakfast

Sembach Elementary School








2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 All American Breakfast w/ Sausage Cereal- Assorted	2 	3 	4
5	6 Pancake Sausage Bites  Cereal Assorted	7 Pancakes w/ Blueberry Sauce Scrambled Eggs	8 Pork Sausage Gravy w/ Biscuit Cereal- Assorted	9 CinaRoll Sliders  Sausage Patty	10 	11
12	13 Sausage & Egg Slider  Cereal- Assorted	14 Pancake w/ Blueberry Sauce Scrambled Eggs	15 All American Breakfast w/ Bacon Cereal- Assorted	16 CinnaRoll Sliders  Smoothie- Assorted	17 Pork Sausage Gravy & Biscuit Cereal- Assorted	18
19 	20 <i>Team Spirit Day!</i> Ham & Cheese Bagel Cereal- Assorted	21 <i>School Spirit Day!</i> Waffles- WW Bulk Sausage Patty	22 <i>Mix &amp; Match Day!</i> Scrambled Eggs Muffin- Assorted	23 	24 	25
26	27 Ham/ Cheese Biscuit Cereal- Assorted	28 CinaRoll Sliders Scrambled Eggs	29 All American Breakfast w/ Sausage Cereal- Assorted	30 Breakfast Taco Cereal- Assorted		

# November Lunch

Sembach Elementary School

2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Canadian Bacon Pizza Cheese Pizza Cold Italian Pasta Salad	2 	3 	4
5	6 Breaded Chicken Tenders Penne Mac & Cheese Beefy Mac & Cheese	7 Mediterranean Hummus Wrap Mini Chicken Corn Dogs Spicy BBQ Wings	8 Cheese Pizza Pepperoni Pizza Southwestern Salad	9 Chicken Nachos Beef Nachos Cheesy Breadsticks w/ Marinara	10 	11
12	13 BBQ Joe Sandwich Chicken Po' Boy Cheesy Breadsticks w/ Marinara	14 Mediterranean Hummus Salad Teriyaki Chicken Wings Teriyaki Meatballs	15 Pepperoni Pizza Cheese Pizza Southwestern Salad	16 Mini Chicken Corn Dogs Chicken Pot Pie Broccoli Cheese Soup	17 Hamburger/ Cheeseburger Chicken Torta w/ lime Crema Market Salad w/ Chicken	18
19 	20 <i>Team Spirit Day!</i> Penne Mac & Cheese Breaded Chicken Tenders Chicken/ Veggie Dumplings	21 <i>School Spirit Day!</i> Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce Baked Spaghetti Chicken Melt	22 <i>Mix &amp; Match Day!</i> Taco Pizza Cheese Pizza Mini Chicken Corn Dogs	23 	24 	25
26	27 Chicken w/ Waffles Sausage & Egg Biscuit Broccoli Cheese Soup	28 Cheesy Breadsticks w/ Marinara Meatball Sub Pineapple Grilled Chicken	29 Canadian Bacon Pizza Cheese Pizza Cold Italian Pasta Salad	30 Salisbury Steak w/ Brown Gravy Mini Chicken Corn Dogs Chicken/ Veggie Dumplings		