

## *German Saturday School Boston*

### *School Committee Library Liaisons:*

1994-2006 Krisjann Slauson VanOpdorp  
 2004-2005 Heribert Sontgerath  
 2005-2011 Marie-Christine Hariton Vitunic  
 2011-2012 Thomas Ringle  
 2013-2014 Olaf Dammann, Petra Habel-Rollins  
 2014- Annette Sievers, Yolyett Hohmann, Gwen Junghanss

### *Faculty Library Liaisons:*

2006-2008 Krisjann Slauson VanOpdorp  
 2008-2014 Petra Habel-Rollins  
 2014- Gwen Junghanss

## **Parents German Library at the German Saturday School Boston**

### **MILESTONES**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Service/Program</b>	<b>Implementer</b>
January 1993	Classification system of four foundation categories/sign-up system/weekly sign-out sheet	Kris VanOpdorp
January 1993	Labeling system	Jeanne Floitgraf
September 1993	Individual member family and teacher sign-out cards	Terry Richards
September 1993	Video lending	Kris VanOpdorp
November 1993	Teacher <i>Danke-Schön</i>	Kris VanOpdorp
Fall 1994	<i>Theme of the Week</i> for lower levels	Annie Clark/Happy Goethert
Fall 1994	Video classification system	Annie Clark
April 1995	Flea Market	Annie Clark/Ilse Lister
September 1995	Dot classification system	Petra Knaus
September 1995	Parents Reading Exchange (later renamed "Eltern Lese-Ecke")	Helga Lyons
October 1996	Companion tapes for classic books	Annie Clark
September 1997	Lifetime Family Membership	Kris VanOpdorp
September 1997	Free student membership for Levels 9 & 10 under teacher supervision	Kris VanOpdorp
September 1998	<i>Computer Software Corner</i> / "Bettelbriefe"	Andrea Alves
1999-2002, 2006	Summer loan of books to "Kinder lernen deutsch" course co-sponsored by Regis College & Goethe Institute Boston	Dr. Joan Murray, 1990-1998 Chairperson of the School Committee
September 1999	Reading by difficulty level ( <i>Leseleiter</i> )	Andrea Alves
October 1999	Cassette box/plastic bin labels/signs	Birgit Koriath-Schmitz
September 2000	<i>Theme of the Week</i> for Levels 3 – 8	Happy Goethert
September 2002	Annual subscription to German children's magazine <i>Geolino</i>	Ilse Lister (faculty member)
October 2002	Heavy duty rubber bands for <i>Theme of the Week</i> and holiday storage	Kris VanOpdorp
November 2000-2, 2004, 2006	Annual Sale of New German Books, etc.	Andrea Alves/Claire Sehringer Marie-Christine Hariton-Vitunic
January 2003	Levels 4 and 1B <i>LeseFreunde</i> Program	Dr. Christiane Sattler (faculty member)
2003-6	Summer loan of books to <i>German International School Boston</i>	Kris VanOpdorp/Birgit Danckert (faculty member)

August 2003	Heike Hrinishin serves as first Library Staffing Manager, overseeing parent volunteers	Claire Sehringer (School Committee Parent Liaison)
September 2003	Library Automation Initiative	Kip Wilson/Bernardo Rechea/Alla Cherchenko
March 2004	Automated lending of software commences	Kip Wilson/Bernardo Rechea/Heri Sontgerath/Andrea Alves
April 2004	DVD lending	Heike Hrinishin/Marianne Lucas/Yvonne Case
April 2004	Advanced library registration	Crystal Schaaf
May 2004	Reorganization of <i>Theme of the Week</i> for shelving & automated library applications	Birgit Koriath-Schmitz
September 2004	First library cards issued/Opening of first fully automated library	Kip Wilson/Bernardo Rechea/Heri Sontgerath
September 2004	Team management introduced	Andrea Alves
September 2004	Library hours extended to 11:15A to accommodate new break schedule for older students	Library Team
September 2005	<i>Jewish Religion and Culture</i> section	Dr. Heidemarie Tirey
October 2005	Multi-media bag contents labeling	Marie-Christine Hariton-Vitunic
2005-6	Copyright compliance implementation	Marianne Lucas
February 2006	1st customized wooden library cabinet on wheels	Marie-Christine Hariton-Vitunic
May 2006	Endowment of the Parents German Library collection, automated computer system & furniture to the School	Kris VanOpdorp

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September 2006	Student borrowing under family account	Library team
September 2006	Faculty Library Liaison facilitates teacher materials requests and oversees class visits	Kris VanOpdorp
September 2006	<i>CD Corner – Hörspiele and Musik</i>	Marie-Christine Hariton-Vitunic
January 2007	Weekly e-mail notification of items borrowed	Colin Valentine
March 2007	2nd customized wooden library cabinet on wheels	Marie-Christine Hariton-Vitunic
March 2007	<i>Comics</i> shelf	Marie-Christine Hariton-Vitunic
September 2007	<i>Wer war. . .? Wer ist. . .</i> Cornelia Funke? Special monthly student exhibition	Heike Hrinishin (School Administrator)/Hanne Lücke (faculty member) mit Klasse 7A
2007-8	Professionalization of Video Collection	Sylvia Rogers
October 2007	Color classification system for DVDs	Marie-Christine Hariton-Vitunic
January 2008	Professionalization of spine labeling system for reshelving	Marie-Christine Hariton-Vitunic Petra Rollins, Susanne Bergeron
February 2008	<i>Teens for Tots</i> original picture books for Level 1	Heidi Schlager (faculty member) mit Klasse 8

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May 2008	“Library Mission and Objectives” / Library Milestones” published on school website	Kris VanOpdorb
May 2008	Summer borrowing for families in good standing reregistered for upcoming school year	Marie-Christine Hariton-Vitunic,
September 2010	New Fundraiser: Kalenderverkauf	Thomas Ringler
September 2011- 2012	Elimination of Videos	Thomas Ringler, Petra Rollins
September 2012	New simpler Computer System designed and implemented	Linkai Yu
September 2012	New Fundraiser: Kaffeeecke	Annette Siever, Oliver Gros, Jochen Strickler
December 2012	Elimination of library cards	Thomas Ringler
April 2013	Allow non-GSSB families the use of library in exchange for an annual fee of \$50/yr	Olaf Dammann & School Committee
July/August 2013	Inventory of all library items	Petra Habel-Rollins
July/August 2013	Elimination of Audio cassettes	Petra Habel-Rollins
September 2013	New shelf for DVD’s	Petra Habel-Rollins
September 2013	Kaffeeecke is now selling baked goods and tea	Annette Sievers, Jochen Strickler
2015/2016	Streamlined the Returns/Check-out process	Yolyett Hohmann
	Set up the second DVD shelf	Yolyett Hohmann
2016/2017	New computer system implemented	Stephan Richter, Andreas Hohmann
	Fine limits and book limits implemented	Yolyett Hohmann, Gwen Junghanss
	Antolin Stickers on all books which are in the Antolin online reading program	Annette Sievers, Stephan Richter and many library volunteers
	Re-labeling of books to include both shelf size and first letter of Author’s last name	Yolyett Hohmann, Gwen Junghanss
	Removal of all CD Roms	Yolyett Hohmann, Gwen Junghanss
2017/2018	Revamping all shelf labels	Yolyett Hohmann, Gwen Junghanss