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Portland German Academy

We are pleased to announce the launch of a new program for Middle School alumni of GSP, the Portland German Academy (PGA). This program is geared for students in grades 6 – 8 who would like to continue their German Education and connection to other GSP students. The program will also be open to students who might not have graduated from GSP but who show a proven proficiency in the language. Goals of this program include: continuing German language instruction in the familiar GSP setting and continuing social connections to German friends (and families). In addition to the weekly lessons we will host monthly potlucks (open to the larger GSP/GSP alumni community). In its pilot year (PGA) will meet once a week from 4:30 – 6:30 (the day of the week will be announced at a later date). We are happy to also announce Herr Ferner as the teacher who will help us spearhead this program. We also hope to be able to add other familiar educators from the GSP family as (PGA) grows in its numbers of students. This program will be a Cooperative organization which will work in partnership with GSP. We are very excited about the future of this endeavor and are confident that it will be very successful and beneficial to all of our graduates. If you have any questions and are interested in the PGA Program please contact: Carey Kaas at carey.kaas@gmail.com.