## KAREN'S KATERING And BALLOON DECORATING 12421 Gable Lane Fort Washington, MD 20744 301-523-0060

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Dear Maryland International Day School Family,

First let me introduce myself to those parents I did not meet at the MIDS orientation session. I am Karen Gantt, Owner/Operator of Karen's Katering and Balloon Decorating and I have been given the privilege of providing your children's lunch this past school year and I believe the program went well. I have been a resident of Fort Washington for 30 years where I raised 4 children. I have been catering for over 20 years and I have provided food for many PG County schools as well as the private sector in the area, most recently National Christian Academy (2010 to present) and Clinton Christian (2007-2010). When given the opportunity to provide lunches for the MIDS family, I was happy to do so.

September's menu is attached and the payment is due by September first. As stated on the menu you can make your payment online thru pay pal @ <u>http://sites.google.com/site/midshotlunch</u>. Payments are pre-paid for the month and due on the 15<sup>th</sup> unless otherwise stated on the menu, however if using the Paypal payment option you must purchase at least 4 days of meals. Otherwise, payments can be left in my mailbox in the school office. If your student wants something other than the hot lunch option (cold sandwich or salad) you must return the menu with their choices by the deadline date.

I would like the program to be interactive so feel free to contact me with any and all questions, comments and concerns. You can reach me at the phone number above however email is best: karengantt@yahoo.com. Also, if your children have comments, a favorite lunch item or a lunch suggestion, feel free to have them email me too. My goal is to provide a healthy lunch that your children will eat and enjoy. I am looking forward to serving you and your children for many years to come.

Be Blessed, *Karen*