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# As the Toilet Turns



## Hear De, Hear De

Be it know that on the 5th day of the twelfth month of the year 2002 A.D., a certain Julian Dean Gingrich was born into the family line of Ivan Gingrich of the Department of Maintenance. Weights and measurements of the new addition are hereby recognized to be that of 20.5 inches and 7 pounds, 15 ounces. Congratulations to Grandpa Ivan and his line of descendants. Heaven help us all!

### They're Movin' Around!!



Within the past month, two of our custodians have moved to other facilities to fill open positions. Kathy Martin, formerly at the Junior High, is now working at Lake Wilderness Elementary as the Night Lead. Betty Hines, who was working a split position at the High School and Glacier Park Elementary has now moved to Kathy's old position at the Junior High. We wish them

## A "Shocking" Clarification

To those of you who were concerned or wondering about last month's article entitled shocking, we would like to clarify a point.

Some asked why the power was on when the administrator was shocked. Basically, the building was under construction at the time, and although the custodian tried as they may, the "unmarked" breaker for that light switch could not be found. Thus, in this instance, the power was still on when the switch was changed and re-inserted into the wall. **Extreme** caution by the custodian was taken since the switch was still "live."

Although this is not the recommended way to change any electrical device, in this **one** case, it was done out of necessity since the light was needed. For safety reasons, always turn off the power on any device before doing the actual work.



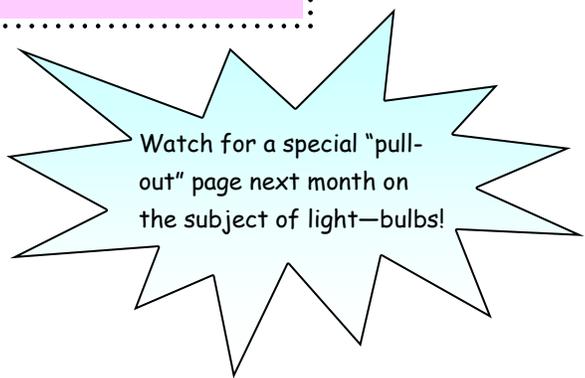
## Did You Know??

1. Most waxes that are used today are self-leveling? That means that even though the wax may not be laid on the floor at exactly the same thickness, it is designed to level itself as it dries.

2. When washing walls, always start from the bottom and work your way up. This will prevent the wall from "streaking" because of the cleaning solution running from the top of the wall and down to the bottom.

3. When using a spotting brush on carpet spots, always "tamp" the spot to loosen the soiling and bring it to the

surface for extracting. Rubbing the spot too vigorously will damage the carpet fibers.



Watch for a special "pull-out" page next month on the subject of light-bulbs!

## Paid Holidays this Month

1. **New Year's Day**—Dec. 31, 2002 and Jan. 1, 2003
2. **Martin Luther King Jr. Day**—Jan. 20, 2003



## Upcoming Meetings

Consensus Meeting on January 7th @ 8:30 a.m. at the Support Services building.