THE PARENTS' ASSOCIATION (PA) NEWSLETTER - 1 SEPTEMBER 2023



HIGHLIGHT LET'S DO IT!

Dear school families,

we hope you have had a great summer holiday!

We are almost ready to **start** another fantastic year and we would like to extend our **welcome** to the new and 'old' families alike.

For everyone new, we are the Parents' Association (PA), a non-profit organisation composed of parents who volunteer their time to do so much at ESK such as: administering the canteen, representing you within the Transport Committee, financially supporting school projects, managing the Afterschool Activities, advising school families on topics such as SEN, and much much more! And all of this as volunteers!

To see all of our working areas please check out our Who's Who on the <u>ESK Eltern Website</u>.

We would like to underline the importance of the **PA** in our school, so don't miss the opportunity and become a **member!**

Best wishes,

Parent Association Administrative Committee (PAC)

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NEWS FROM THE BOARD

Hello! We are the current PAC board: **Brynn Thompson-Renz** (interim co-president), **Felicitas Martens** (interim co-president) and **Mélanie Gérard** (treasurer).

For 2023/2024, the PA Newsletters will be there to keep you **informed** twice a month and September is already starting out to be very full with the following:

Social events! Our PA-Cafés, organized by Gökçe Kök Rodriguez and PA-Social Afternoons, organized by Marcia Laban, will resume. These are important social events where you have the chance to meet new school families, chat with teachers and admin, and to enjoy delicious food.



If you would like to organise one of the afternoon events and represent your country, please contact us via email at kar-ev@partner.eursc.eu. As a Sneak Peak, October will be hosted by our Indian families and November will be very German.



Annual General Meeting! On 26 September at 7 pm, we will elect new members of the PA Administrative Committee who represent you and your families in each language section. Please see attached invitation.

Afterschool Activities (AA) launch! In the week preceding 25 September, the official start date, the course lists will be published to our website. In our next Newsletter issue, we will give you much more information about the AAs and which classes you can look forward to for your children!

DON'T FORGET

Before the beginning of the school, don't forget to:

- Register for the **Canteen Service**
- Register for the **Transport Service**
- Register for MOMI or NAMI Afterschool Care

DATES

PAC Meeting: 6 September 2023 PA Afternoon: 14 September 2023 PA Café Morning: 15 September 2023

Annual General Meeting: 26 September 2023 Constitutional PAC Meeting: 28 September 2023