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Two Girls, One Job

by Lea Lassak and Iris Kirchhofer



Dear Delegates,
Our names are Lea Lassak and Iris Kirchhofer and this year we are sharing the position of the Chief of Press and we would like to warmly welcome you to this year's "Oldenburg Model United Nations 2018".

In the past two years we have both participated in the OLMUN as journalists and this year we were looking to take on more responsibility.

As Chief of Press it is our task to provide you with the "Daily Diplomat", our newspaper, at lunchtime every day. The newspaper will contain articles with news and stories about resolutions, speeches and events that are happening throughout the week but also ideas and suggestions for what you can do while you are vi-

siting Oldenburg. Hopefully this paper will contain everything you need to know.

During the breaks between committee sessions we hope you can find funny stories about punishments, icebreakers, speeches and, furthermore, funny notes that you can enjoy for a quick break. But of course we will also try to write articles giving information about what happens behind the scenes of OLMUN by conducting interviews with members of the secretariat and of the Inner Circle.

To help us deliver this newspaper to you every day our team, made up of over twenty people, will work hard on writing articles that are equally informative and funny so you can see all different sides of OLMUN, even those where you are not present. We hope that

by having many people of different ages and different levels of MUN experience in our team we can show everyone as many perspectives as possible.

We are greatly looking forward to presenting our first newspaper to you and hope that you enjoy your week at the OLMUN as much as we will and will meet many people from all around the world. After all, OLMUN is not just about passing resolutions, but about having fun and building friendships that last for ever!

We would like to thank our journalists and all the other people involved in making this year's papers the best we possibly can.

Enjoy your time at the conference!

Yours sincerely,

Lea Lassak and Iris Kirchhofer



Our First OLMUN

by Cosima Scherbening and Janna Griem

OLMUN is a yearly conference organized by students for students. We are sure many of you have previously participated in the conference but for us, just like for some of you, we are taking part for the first time this year.

We are very excited and curious about this unique opportunity to meet new people, improve our

English skills and take on new responsibilities. Our main aim is to deliver good articles for you.

Furthermore we are looking forward to the afternoon activities so we can meet exchange students from over ten different countries.

We are looking forward to an interesting week!

What Team? - Press Team!

by Arienusch Zhu, Jette Wehrmann and Saskia Meinert

In the "Daily Diplomat" we will be providing information about anything and everything that is interesting to you. From the morning to the afternoon us journalists will watch the committee sessions and write about the results of the day. While the delegates are discussing with each other, we will be taking photos and interviewing delegates, chairs, team

members and guest speakers. This way you can always be informed about what is happening in other committees and behind the scenes. We will do our best to capture the unique moments from the afternoon activities in addition to the committee sessions. The Press Team wishes you a good start into this year's OLMUN!



Q: What is your position in this year's conference?

I am part of this year's Entertainment Manager Team together with Laura Steckel.

Q: What are your tasks as an Entertainment Manager?

We organize all of the evening activities: the barbecue, the soccer game and obviously the party.

Q: Why did you want to take this position and what are your hopes and wishes?

I wanted to be an Entertainment Manager because I really enjoy organizing events for other people and did it before so I already had an idea of what to do, even though I could not have done it without Laura. I hope everything works out and we will all have an awesome time together.



What to do in Oldenburg

by Jette Kruei, Melaia Nanz and Felix Bazoche

You are looking for something to do during your stay in Oldenburg? Here are some ideas for where you can spend your free time and enjoy the city during your OLMUN week. You can go to the city by bicycle and spend time shopping or relaxing in a café. We would recommend Extrablatt, Woyton and Café Florian. You can find these and more on

the OLMUN map. During the day and also in the evening you can have a nice time at the Dobbenwiesen. It's a fun and easy way to meet new people and play sports. If you want to visit a special place in Oldenburg that will only be here to the end of June you should go to the Theaterhafen. You can go to watch a play or just to eat or drink something with your fri-

ends. The beautiful atmosphere makes the Theaterhafen the perfect place to go.

If you are an active person who wants to do something sporty, the Lasertag Arena is the most qualified option for you. If the sun is shining and the weather is good, you can go swimming in one of the lakes, like the Woldsee. Have fun!



Timetables and Turntables

By Swantje Wehmeyer and Fynn Dresler

Besides the daily committee sessions there are several afternoon and evening activities that you can take part in throughout the week. You will be given the opportunity to explore the beautiful sights of the city and get to know a lot of new people from around the world. For the evenings our entertainment managers have organized some activities for you. On Tuesday everyone is warmly invited to attend a great barbecue. There will be many different options of meat, salads and snacks, so there is food provided to all students, regardless of their diet. The barbecue starts at 7 pm and

will go on until approximately 10 pm at the Graf-Anton-Günther-Gymnasium in Oldenburg. For some fun and physical activity you can take part in the soccer match which takes place on Wednesday at the Dobbenwiesen, a big lawn near the centre of Oldenburg. From 7 pm to 11 pm you will have the chance to demonstrate teamwork and your commitment in sports. Lots of different teams compete against each other and everybody is invited, whether to play soccer or "Wikingerschach". If you do not know this game, there will be several people teaching you the simple rules. Quickly you

will be able to join in the fun!

Like every year, we want to end the OLMUN week with our big party, which takes place in the Molkerei Klub on Thursday. All participants will have a memorable night together. The party begins at 9 pm and will go on until 1.30 am. Besides great music, drinks and an amazing atmosphere you can take part in a fun game which we will tell you more about nearer to the party. We are looking forward to seeing all of you spend the night with your new and old friends in order to finish the outstanding week appropriately.



Going Back in Time - the Historical Security Council

by Paulina Schulz and Antonia Francke

The Historical Security Council or HSC is one of the committees that is not held at the conference every year. This committee recreates the Security Council during a past time. Its powers are the same as those of the Security Council. The unique but also difficult thing about the HSC is that the delegates will not only face a complicated topic but also but they also have to act within a different time and political situation.

This year's topic is the genocidal mass slaughter which took place in Rwanda in 1994. With nearly one million murdered Tutsis in 100 days the Rwandan genocide of 1994 is one of the most terrible violent crimes of the 20th century. The delegate's exercise will be putting themselves in the position of a member of the Security Council almost 25 years ago. They will be discussing the first measures to be taken after the outbreak of

the Rwandan genocide. And who knows – maybe the delegates will be rewriting history.



Arab League - a Look towards the Middle East

by Mareike Höhn and Milena Menzel

The League of Arab States, Arab League for short, is an association of countries whose inhabitants are mainly Arabic-speaking or where Arabic is an official language. It has 22 members, including Palestine which in the League regards as an independent state. The voluntary association was founded in 1945, shortly before the Second World War ended. Their aims are strengthening ties between the

member states, coordinating their policies and direct them towards a common good. This year's sessions will mainly deal with the developments in Syria, Libya and Yemen, as well as Iran and how it is interfering in concerns of Arab countries, especially the Sunni-Shia-Conflict. The conflict has been going on since the 7th century and has escalated into violent disputes and confrontations.



Q: What is your position in this year's conference?

This year I am the Secretary General of the OLMUN.

Q: What are your tasks as Secretary General?

I am leading the OLMUN Association and I am head of the Inner Circle, the organizational Team. It is my task to ensure that the conference is organized well and that all the Student Officers know what they have to do. With my four colleagues in the Secretariat I am the person responsible for everything at the conference.

Q: Why did you want to take this position and what are your expectations for this year?

Taking the position of the Secretary General is a challenge but also a chance to make the OLMUN better. Being in this position gives me the possibility to shape the conference into an unforgettable week for all participants! I am looking forward to all the resolutions coming from animated debates and a lot of new international friendships that will evolve during OLMUN! Have fun and enjoy the conference!



Hungry?

by Johanna Klauke and Marit Klebb

As every year the participants of the OLMUN can profit from many discounts concerning restaurants and cafés in town.

The following chart will inform you about the benefits and offers in different restaurants.

Mamma Mia

It's the oldest Italian pizzeria in Oldenburg. You can eat pizza, pasta, salads, soups, cheese, fish and meat over there.

If you decide to go eat at Mamma Mia you will get 10% off on Wednesdays.

San Marco

It's hot and you need something fresh and cold as fast as it is possible?

Try the delicious ice cream from San Marco. You will get 10% off for everything.

Carusi

It's an Italian restaurant where you get little Italian delicacies, coffee and cakes.

You will get 20% off for your meal.

Heimathaven

Here you will find many tasty dishes like soups, salads, quiche, etc. You will get 15% off for every dish.

Royals & Rice

Royals & Rice is a restaurant offering Vietnamese food. You will find many different Asian dishes here. You will get 10% off.

Woyton

If you like bagels, salads and coffee, you are right here. You will get 10% off for everything.

Captiva

For eating lunch or dinner you will find everything you need here. They have bagels, omelettes, pancakes, waffles, cookies and brownies.

They also sell drinks like lemonades and smoothies.

Venezia

For eating pizza and pasta Venezia has two fantastic offers:

Pizza Funghi, salami or ham + softdrink for 7,50€

Pasta bolognese, pesto or aglio olio + softdrink for 7,50€

Baldinis

If you want to eat Burgers you can try the Burger-menu which will cost 6,90€.

Vlogging while Jogging - News on the Go

by Leah Saßmannshausen and Ina de Matos Herzog

During the week, and also after, you can follow what happens at OLMUN on different social media pages.

First and foremost you can get a lot of information about the conference in general from the OLMUN page. This page should be known to all of you from your applications but it does more than that. It can also be useful especially

for the history of OLMUN and information about the committees and chairs or the secretariat.

As most participants of OLMUN are registered on Facebook, the app is used to announce events and upload pictures of the socializings of the evenings.

We also have a YouTube channel where we post videos before and during the conference. To provide

you with these videos we have a skilled TV team.

On Instagram we regularly post pictures.

Last but not least we also have a Snapchat account where you can see behind the scenes pictures and videos of the conference.



Sudoku

For Lea (with help)

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For Iris

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Asking a frog – the weather forecast

Tuesday noon



17°C

afternoon



18°C

evening



17°C

Wednesday morning



15°C

noon



16°C

afternoon



17°C



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