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Mara the Storyteller

We were lucky to be able to host Mara Menzies on Friday as a great provocation to kick off our Arts Week, focusing on our whole lower school central idea: Exploring and sharing our diversity connects us as global citizens.

Mara is an award winning, internationally touring performance storyteller. We began in the Atrium with a wonderfully interactive story about how the moon and the sun came to be. This was followed by workshops where Mara drew on her rich Kenyan/Scottish heritage as she shared stories drawn from history, legend, myth and folklore.

Mara's visit was a powerful reminder that stories have the power to connect us across various cultures and backgrounds.





U14 Girls Volleyball

April 13th- Friendly Match at Bavarian International School

On April 13th we embarked on a thrilling journey to FIS (Franconian International School). This was our very first time playing as a team, with only two practices, and two of our best players missing. Our first game was against FIS. We consider FIS to be one of the best (or the best) volleyball team in the GISST tournament. We were thrown into the deep end and had to learn our team mechanics as we went. It was certainly an experience. No big surprise we were swept off our feet, and FIS secured a large victory against us in the first set. The second set we started to play better and got our mojo. Unfortunately we lost, but there was a definite improvement in the way we were playing. We even got a few bumps, sets, and spikes over the net! We lost the match against FIS with our heads held high, knowing we had a good chance to win against other schools, because we now had team chemistry.

Our second match was against MIS. This was one of the funnest matches we had ever played. Our teams were evenly matched in skill. We won the first set by a few points, but it felt like a huge victory to us. The second set was not for the faint of heart, as the team in the lead kept switching every few points. The game ended in a dramatic fashion. We had game point, with MIS only two points behind us, when Ivy sauntered up to serve. Ivy looked at Coach Paul and asked quick permission to try something different for her serve (at such a pivotal moment)! The coach approved, and Ivy proceeded to deliver a Hall of Fame worthy overhand serve! She won us the final point, and we had officially won our first match. We were all thrilled, and very excited and confident for our next, and final match against ISS.

Like the last game, believe it or not, this game was even closer. It was filled with amazing saves, serves, and volleys. ISS won the first set by a mere three points. This only determined us to play even harder, and play as a team. We won the second set by only a few points, and we went on to the third and final tie-breaker set. After an animated, and gut wrenching battle, ISS won the third set by two lousy points. This loss was sad, but it also showed everyone how amazing we played together as a team. We learned a lot in that game, as well all the other games. A big thank you to our coach, and all the family members who drove with us to support us. We hope to see you in the future and we couldn't have done it without you! Our team will do our best to carry the ISU wolves name with pride. Go Wolves!



Mila, Grade 8



MSUS ART

On Friday, April 17th our Grade 7 artists visited the International School of Augsburg as the culmination of our collaborative project “Unseen Images”. Earlier in the year, students wrote descriptions of images which were then swapped with the other school. After several weeks of planning and making, they finished their artwork based on the written description they received. As a conclusion to the project, we visited ISA to put together a small exhibition of the work, meet the other artists, and celebrate our achievements. It was a great experience for all involved.



IBDP Exhibition.

Please use this QR code to watch the video of this year’s IBDP Visual Arts Exhibition.



Noel Kress - Lucas Koerner - Karmel Aronson - Valentina Veleva



IBDP Visual Arts Exhibition 2024



Matvey Lavreshin - Hanyun Cao - Saloni Singh - Leandra Mientus



Contact Information Update

Dear ISU Community,

As part of our ongoing efforts to keep our records accurate and ensure effective communication, we kindly request you to update your contact and medical information for your child/ren in Power School.

Your current information is crucial for us to reach you promptly with important updates, announcements, and emergency notifications related to your child/ren.

To update your information, please follow the steps outlined in the attached document. Your cooperation in this matter is highly appreciated and contributes to maintaining a smooth flow of communication between our school and your family. Should you have questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to our Admissions Team (admissions@is-ulm.de).

We hope you have a lovely, relaxing weekend!

Best wishes,

Your ISU Team

Step 1

Log in to the PowerSchool App

Select 'More' from the bottom toolbar

Step 2

Select 'Forms' from the list of options

Step 3

Select the existing information to update

Review the information and change details, as required

Choose whether to update the information for the whole family

Click Save

Update existing information	Status
Medical Information Update Last Entry: 11/09/2023 2:39:40 PM	Approved
Student Basic Info Update Last Entry: 11/09/2023 2:52:45 PM	Pending Review
Student Change of Address	Not Started
Student Contact and correspondence Update	Pending Review



Teacher Accommodation

Looking for accommodation

We are searching the following accommodation possibilities for our new English-speaking teachers:

Several flats for single persons (1 living room, 1 bedroom)

- Non-smokers
- No pets
- All staff members will have a full-time (teaching) employment with ISU
- Start of rental agreement should be 1st July, 15th July or 1st August 2024. Ideally (partially) furnished
- A kitchen should be built in, fridge and electrical devices are ideally there
- Location: Ulm / Neu-Ulm area, ideally near ISU (Schwabenstraße Neu-Ulm; Pfuhl or city centre). Good is also close to bus / tramway stop
- Cold rent (Kaltmiete) of 600 – 1000 EUR

We are looking forward to hearing from you!

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Teacher Accommodation

Wohnungen für Mitarbeiter gesucht

Für unsere neuen Lehrer (alle englischsprachig) suchen wir folgende Mietwohnungen:

Mehrere 1-2-Zimmer-Wohnungen für Einzelpersonen

- Nichtraucher
- Keine Haustiere
- Mitarbeiter sind in Vollzeit angestellt
- Mietbeginn: 01.07., 15.07. oder 01.08.2024
- Idealerweise (teil-)möbliert
- Küchenmöbel und Küchengeräte (Herd, Ofen, Kühlschrank) sollten da sein
- Lage: Ulm / Neu-Ulm, idealerweise Nähe ISU (Schwabenstraße Neu-Ulm; Pfuhl oder stadtnah). Gerne gute Anbindung zum ÖPNV
- Kaltmiete: 600 – 1.000 EUR

Wir freuen uns auf Ihre Rückmeldung!

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Sport Season 3

Dear ISU community, it has been fantastic to see so many students already joining our sports for season 3!

Regarding U14/Varsity Track & Field, please be aware that our practices will now be held on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Alexandre Alves (a.alves@is-ulm.de)
ASAP and Athletic Director





ASAP Update

Dear ISU community,

The Chess Club will now take place from 15.15 - 16.15 instead of 15.45 -16.45.

Thank you,

Jeff Bailey
ICT teacher and Edtech

ISU PTG

Year in Review 2023-2024



PARENT
TEACHER
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Here is how we raised money

Bavarian Breakfast
Sports Snack Stand

ISU PTG Events 2023-2024

Lower School Pumpkins	Teacher Holiday Gift
St. Martin's Day	Sports Day
Cultural Events	Sports Snack Stand
St. Nicholas Day	Grade 12 Exam Celebration
Teacher Appreciation Lunch	Easter Celebration
Lower School Fasching Celebration	Wolf Cave
Lower School Movie Night	Sports Banquet
Christmas Market	End of the Year Celebration
Middle/Upper School Dance	Parent Teacher Conference Snack Stand
Holiday Decorating	Parents Night Out

ISU PTG wants to hear from you!



Do you have a suggestion of an event for the upcoming year?

Please email: ptg@is-ulm.de