

MHG NEWS

7. VEEBRUAR



MIINA HÄRMA GÜMNAASIUM
NEWSLETTER

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SCHOOL YEAR 2022/2023



WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

- On 2 February, a speech meeting was held at the Jaan Poska Gymnasium to celebrate the 103rd anniversary of the Tartu Peace Treaty. Miina Härma Gymnasium organised this year's speech meeting under the lead of Liis Somelar, our Head of Extra-Curricular Activities; Kari Kalk, the History teacher; Kadri Leppoja, the conductor, and Jüri Raudmaa, the Head of IT. Speeches were delivered by Tõnis Lukas, Minister of Education and Research, Urmas Klaas, Mayor of Tartu and Annabel Raig (10b), President of the MHG Student Council. Announcements were read by Frank Tigane (11b) and Amanda Saard (11c). The MHG mixed choir performed, and our school's flag was held high by the numerous students of 12c. The event was photographed by Liisi Brett (12a), and the sound technician was Mihkel Mägi (12c)

BIRTHDAYS

- 13.02 Urma Linnus**
13.02 Reet Noorlaid
17.02 Nisha Shailendra Kulkarni





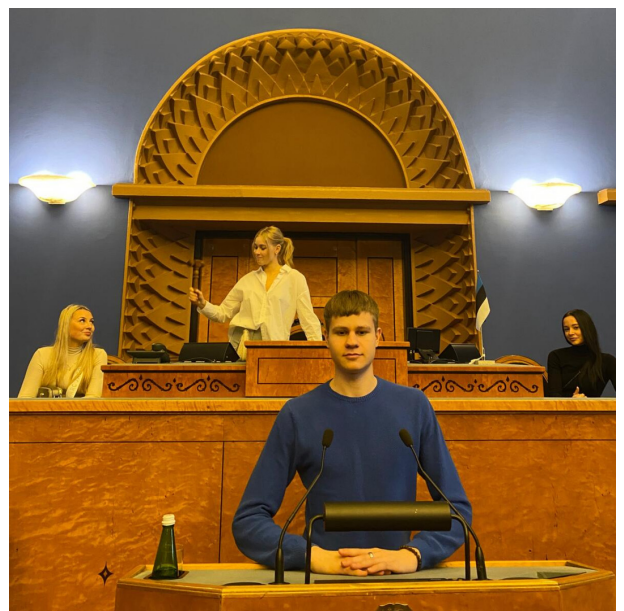
WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

- In the **Social Studies Olympiad regional round**, our 5th-6th grade students stood out. Among the 2nd school level of Tartu, **Mikk Mihkel Ruus** (6b) won 1st place, **Kaia Oder** (6b) took 2nd place, **Roosi Kõiv** (5b) 3rd and **Anni Maria Volt** (6b) 4th place. **Tristan Erik Teniste** (5a) took 6th place, **Roberta Anette Annuk** (5b) in 9th place and **Loviise Juus** (5a) in 10th place. Kaarel Viljaste supervised the students. Among the pupils of the 3rd school level, **Iris Kivi** (9b) came 5th and **Teele Piibemann** (9b) 10th. Supervised by Kaarel Viljaste and Alla Vinitšenko.
- In the **regional round of the Chemistry Olympiad**, our 7th-grade students surprised everyone - **Ott Loper** (7b) shared 1st-2nd place, and **Ats-Joosep Laineste** (7b) got 3rd place among 8th-grades! 4th place went to **Roland Saar** (8b) and 8th place to **Emma Mägi**. Among the 9th grades, **Linda Maria Pool** (9b) came 5th, **Mariann Zernant** (9a) 6th, and **Maria Alas** (9a) 8th. Teacher Helle Sorge supervised all basic school students. **Karolin Ruumet** (10a, teacher Helle Sorge) was a superb 2nd-place winner among the 10th-grade students. **Roomet Tapfer** (10b, supervisor Jörgen Metsik) came 7th. In the 11th grade, **Eva Maria Krupp** (11b) received 13th place, supervised by Riina Murulaid. Among the 12th-grade students, **Elo Joandi** (12a) won 3rd place, and **Joosep Toom** (12DP) came 4th. Both were supervised by Jörgen Metsik.
- In the **regional round of the Biology Olympiad**, **Teele Tempel** (11DP, teacher Kirstin Karis) came 9th in the 11th grade, and **Luca Altnurme** (12DP, teacher Kirstin Karis) came 4th in the 12th grade. Luca also qualified for the national round.
- On 26 January, the **national Russian translation competition** was won by 11b student **Kirke Pärn** (teacher Maret Vaab) and **Maria Peedimaa** (10b, teacher: Maret Vaab) was in 2nd-3rd place.



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- On 3 February, our 12th-grade students visited Riigikogu at the invitation of Margit Sutrop, an alumna and member of the Riigikogu. 12a and 12b took a quiz on the topic of Riigikogu, and 12c listened to a history lecture by Jaak Juske. They also visited Vabamu and met the Chancellor of Justice, Ülle Madise and other office members. Kari Kalk was the organiser of the visit.





MÄRGATUD HÄRMAS

- Our 2nd-5th grade team achieved second place in the Tartu city preliminary round of the TÄHELEPANU, START competition. The team consisted of Maria Saluse, Sofia Matilda Sinilaht, Karolin Krüünvald, Lilli Russak, Emil Efraim Kolk, Aron Kruustük, Romet Hirno, Joanna Toomiste, Marleen Vassiljev, Anni Grünberg, Taniel Mehine, Aksel Kaju, Hugo Johannes Padrik, Mia Türk, Gristella Möttus, Karoliina Parkel, Felix Pungar, Mattias Milan Movits, Marten Toom, Roger Tennokese, Jakob Viirsalu, Egert Laius, Elisabeth Massakas, Grete Audova, Anelle Elisabeth Birken. The students were supervised by Tähti-Merike Kilk and Age Raimets. The team also qualified for the national semi-finals, which will take place on 20th April in Turku.





WEEKLY HIGHLIGHTS

NEW DESIGN AND SLOGAN OF THE MHG T-SHIRT

- Annabel Raig (10b), President of the Student Council, won the shirt with her own slogan.
- All contributors to the 10th-grade open day will receive a T-shirt with this design.
- The members of the Student Council board will also receive the T-shirt.





ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 7 February - UPT defences for 12th grades; 3-4e visiting AHHA on the study programme "Electricity"; national German translation competition for basic school pupils; at 17.00 – the Parent Advisory Board meeting.
- 8 February - formal ring ceremony for grade 10 students; at 18.00, open house for parents of grade 1 students (Estonian classes only); alumna Teele Reiljan visiting 9b; alumnus Miikael Johan Tamm giving a speech for grades 10. Students from the "Entrepreneurship Ecosystem" course on a field trip to OÜ Tarmetec; students from the "Man and Law" course on a field trip to Tartu Prison; Vello Saage's essay competition for 4th-9th grade students.
- 9 February - 159th anniversary of Miina Härma's birth; Härma Trivia vol 3; alumna Kati Vald visiting 2a and 2b; alumnus Mihkel Uiboleht visiting 8b; alumnus, attorney-at-law Peeter Viirsalu visiting a grade 12 class of the course "Man and Law"; 2a grade on a field trip to the Tartu Citizen's Museum; informational meeting about the opportunities of TalTech in the lobby; 6a in the museum lesson of Ancient Greece at the UT Art Museum.
- 10 February - 2b on a field trip to the Tartu Citizen's Museum; 11a and 11b meet Martin Shmutov, alumnus and editor-in-chief of the newspaper Õhtuleht; alumna Laura Paurson visiting 11c.
- 13-17 February - preliminary exams week for the secondary school.
- 14 February - Valentine's Day; 4a and 4b participating in the HTM satisfaction survey; 9b visiting UT Research Lab; 7a and 7b classes listening to a talk on friendship by Ketriin Petrov.
- 15 February - 9th-grade Russian language competition; 8a and 8b grade satisfaction survey by HTM; Andres Parmas, Prosecutor General of the Republic of Estonia, visiting a class on "Man and Law"; 6a skiing at Kuutsemäe.
- 16 February - alumna Andi Kriisa visiting 9a Physics class; 9e, Pre-IB and 11DP skiing at Kuutsemäe.
- 17 Feb - 8th grade national English Olympiad; a regional round of Biology Olympiad for basic school; 7b visiting Palamuse; JJ-Street dance school conducting a dance lesson in the hall.
- 18-19 February - 1st-grade admission days for Estonian classes.
- 18 Feb - school ball dance; a regional round of Art Olympiad.



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Mart Tšernjuk

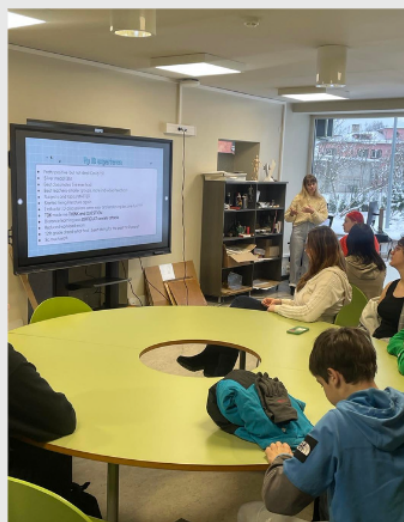


On 2nd February, Mart Tšernjuk, an alumnus, spoke to 11th-grade students on the topic "The history, current state and future of Chinese studies in Estonia".

FEBRUARY OF
ALUMNAE

Marta Lepson

On 3rd February, Marta Lepson, an alumna, spoke to 10e and 9e students about the DP experience and mental health.





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FEBRUARY OF
ALUMNAE

Kaur Alasoo

MHG alumna Kaur Alasoo giving 11DP and 12DP students an overview about genetics and bioinformatics using cooking metaphors.



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Kerdi Oengo

On 6 February, alumna Kerdi Oengo spoke to 5th-grade students about her producer work, and they watched various animated films together.





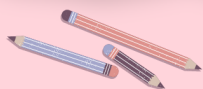
AVATUD USTE PÄEV 1. KLASSI ASTUJATE VANEMATELE
8. VEEBRUARIL KELL 18.00
MIINA HÄRMA GÜMNAASIUMI AULAS



Õppepäevale saab registreeruda
elektrooniliselt sisseastumine.ee keskkonnas
alates 23. jaanuarist kuni 14. veebruarini 2023.

Õppepäevad 1. klassi kandideerijatele toimuvad
18. ja 19. veebruaril 2023.

Estonian
classes only!



GRADES 10 RECEIVE MHG RINGS

- Formal ring ceremony held on 8 February
- during 3rd lesson in Aula
- grades 9 and 10 participate
- formal clothing and school hats



MHG
INFO



VOL 3

DEDICATED TO
MIINA HÄRMA'S
159
ANNIVERSARY



Härma

trivia

MHG AULA



TAKES PLACE IN ESTONIAN

TEAMS WITH UP TO 4 MEMBERS
8 TOPICS

9 FEBRUARY

AT 16.00

YOU ARE WELCOME TO
PARTICIPATE



VALENTINE'S DAY AT MHG

- Colour of the day – pink and red
- Game of hearts in half
- Amor post
- Movie night
- Café

*Sõbrapäev
Härmas*

Mis toimub?

Värvipäev: roosa ja punane!

Südamepoolikute mäng

Amorpost

Filmiõhtu

*Sõbrapäeva
kohvik*

Juba 14. veebruaril!

Näeme seal!



7-12 class
19.00-21.10

MOVIE *night*

1-6 class
17.00-18.40



10 THINGS I HATE
ABOUT YOU



PRIDE AND
PREJUDICE



MAMMA MIA!



TOTORO



PUSS IN BOOTS/
SAABASTEGA KASS



MHG SCHOOL BALL DANCE FOR GRADES 9-12

- On 8 February
- Doors open at 19.00
- More information on Facebook





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FORMAL CEREMONIES IN AULA

grades 3–5

3rd lesson

grades 6–9

4th lesson

grades 10–12

5th lesson

grades 1-2

7th lesson

NB! The school day finishes after the formal ceremony.

NB! WEAR FORMAL CLOTHES IN BLUE-BLACK-WHITE AND THE SCHOOL HAT

