

MHG NEWSLETTER

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BIRTHDAYS

- 03.12 Anne Aluvee
- 11.12 Sirli Heil
- 17.12 Kätlin Liimets
- 17.12 Kairi Land
- 17.12 Liis Somelar

ADVENT CONCERT

On 28 November, the **Advent Concert of Miina Härma Gümnaasium** was held in Pauluse Church. Our school's Advent concerts in the format that has become customary today began before Christmas 2006. At that time, the charity concert organized by the singers of our mixed choir, where all the choirs of our school performed, became a tradition.

At the concert, we could enjoy the **combined choir of MHGs 1st and 12th grades, 2nd-grade choir, 3rd and 4th-grade choir, children's choir, boys' choir, Miina Härma Lauluselts' mixed choir, young ladies' choir, and mixed choir. Susanna Soosaar, Marian Herodes, Marian Pärn, and Helis Marleen Saare** performed as soloists.

Words of praise to choir conductors **Kadri Leppoja, Markus Leppoja, Külli Karask, Sirle Lorvi** and **Lilia Ilves**. The concertmaster was **Jorma Toots**.

The concert was directed by teacher **Karmen Grigor**, and the announcers were **Eleriin Sepp** and **Margaret Roost**.

You can find the concert programme [HERE](#).

The time of waiting for Christmas got a very nice introduction. We also thank our large audience!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 3 December – the **meeting of the Parent Advisory Board**; Tartu Schools' Cup competitions in athletics.
- 4 December – **donor day at MHG**; Tartu interschool cup competitions in volleyball for grade 7–9 girls; 3-4e in the Natural History Museum of UT; 6a in Tallinn; 8a active learning program "Black belt in mental health"; course of the module "Natural Science Today" in Chemicum; Career counselling for 12th-grade students.
- 5 December – **school round of the Juvenes Translatores translation competition.**
- 6 December – **9th-grade Personal Project report deadline**; school round of Chemistry Olympiad; **MHG chess tournament**; 1b museum lesson in the Citizen's Museum; 2ab at the theatre performance "Piip ja Tuut Piparköögis" in Vanemuine concert hall; 7ar active learning program "Invisible Tartu. 800 years since the beginning of the city"; 6b class night.
- 9-13 December – **preliminary exams week of the secondary school.**
- 9 December – mock exam of the Estonian national exam.
- 10 December – Pedagogical Leadership Team meeting.
- 11 December – taking class pictures in the hall.
- 12 December – **UPT preliminary defences**; 6b in the TYPA museum lesson "How do news reach people?".
- 13 December – **taking class pictures in the hall**; 7a in Tallinn on a cultural and Christmas trip; school staff Christmas party.
- 16 December – **9th grade Personal Project fair.**
- December - 10a class evening.
- 17 December 18 – **grades 1-8 Christmas parties**; 12a active learning program in KGB cells; Business Ecosystem Module course to the company A. Le Coq.
- 19 December - **grades 9-12 Christmas parties**; 2a and 2b Christmas program at the Sports Museum; 5b at Christmas lunch; 8a Escape room visit and Christmas lunch; 11c class night.

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- On 28 November, the regional round of the **Nuputa mathematics competition** took place. Our students did exceptionally well in the competition!

Results:

- **1st place** among grades 5-6: **Märt Mattias Alas, Anni Grünberg, Marta Birk, Saamuel Sööt**. Supervisors: Allar Aav and Veronika Lehesaar.
- **3rd place** among grades 5-6: **Jorke Saluse, Erik Jöers, Mirtel Suumann, Kristofer Koger**. Supervisors: Janika Kaljula and Kersti Kivi.
- **2nd place** among grades 7 was won by **Tristan Erik Teniste, Helena Luikmäe, Grete Audova**. Supervisor: Kersti Kivi
- **4th place** among grades 7: **Lemme Toompere, Elina Hinto, Mihkel Metsla**. Supervisor: Veronika Lehesaar. The first two teams from each region go to the final round. So we got the final round both among grades 5-6 and 7.
- On November 29, the **President of the Republic of Estonia, Alar Karis**, recognized the laureates of the national competition for student inventors at the Proto discovery factory in Tallinn. Special awards from cooperation partners were also handed over. 55 student inventors were recognized, and as a result of their brainstorming and handiwork, 46 inventions were completed that offer solutions to everyday problems. **Nora Eelmaa** (5b) won 2nd place in the student inventors competition in grade III (because she made an invention together with her older brother) and three special prizes (from the Proto discovery factory, Vivita/Lahenduste Laboratory and Argo publishing house). Nora and her brother's work was titled "Universal Arches", Nora's mother Simone Eelmaa was the supervisor.
- Photo: Author/source: ETAG



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- On 27 November, **Sirje Karis**, the patron of child and youth talent development, wife of the President of the Republic, and **Kristi Vinter-Nemvalts**, chancellor of the Ministry of Education and Research, recognized students who achieved outstanding results in international competitions and their instructors at the "Täheleend 2024" event. The following were invited from our school to the recognition event:
 - **Taaniel Mehine** (5.b) – junior world champion in disc golf;
 - **Edith Eelmäe** (9.b) – bronze medal in the 80 m hurdles and team silver medal in the 4x100 m relay at the international children's games.



- On 29 November, Our school's good athletes won the Tartu Schools **Ultimate Frisbee tournament!** We were represented by **Adeele Jaht** (8a), **Rika Erik** (8a), **Edith Eelmäe** (9b), **Laura Liisa Vider** (9b), **Oliver Mäesalu** (9a), **Hendrik Napritson** (9b), **Otto Pärtel Palm** (9b), **Leo Fišel** (9b), **Tambet Uustare** (9b).



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MHG CHRISTMAS CARD COMPETITION

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CARD:

- ❑ PAPER SIZE A5 OR A6
- ❑ A ONE-SIDED CARD
- ❑ FREE CHOICE OF TECHNIQUE:
DRAWING, PAINTING, PHOTO, DIGITAL ART, COLLAGE, GRAPHICS
- ❑ DO NOT ADD TEXT
- ❑ THE CARD MUST BE FLAT NOT THREE-DIMENSIONAL, BECAUSE IT
NEEDS TO BE SCANNED AND PRINTED
- ❑ IF POSSIBLE, USE MHG SYMBOLS
- ❑ WRITE YOUR FULL NAME AND CLASS ON THE BACK SIDE OF THE
CARD WITH A GRAPHITE PENCIL

BEST CARDS WILL BE CHOSEN BY ELECTRONIC
VOTING IN THREE AGE GROUPS:

GRADES 1 - 4
GRADES 5 - 9
GRADES 10 - 12

BRING THE CARD TO THE LIBRARY IN THE PUIESTEE
BUILDING BY 4TH DECEMBER AT THE LATEST.

MIINA HÄRMA GÜMNAASIUM

📍 JAAN TÖNISSONI 3, TARTU - AULA

4. DETSEMBER / KELL 10.00-13.00

🗨️ Võta kaasa pildiga isikut tõendav dokument

🌐 www.kliinikum.ee/verekeskus

**DONOR
DAY
at MHG**



 Tartu Ülikooli Kliinikum
Verekeskus

DOONORI- PÄEV

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**Class photo schedule
on 11th December in Aula**

9.50	3a	12.10	10a
10.00	11a	12.20	9a
10.10	Student Council	12.30	6b
10.15	12a	12.40	8b
10.20	3b	12.50	11DP
10.30	7a	13.00	8a
10.40	7b	13.10	mixed choir
10.50	4b	13.20	1a
11.00	12DP	13.30	1b
11.10	10c		
11.20	5b		
11.30	9b		
11.40	4a		
11.50	5a		
12.00	6a		

Class photo schedule on 13th December in Aula

10.30	10b	12.50	3-4e
10.40	12c	13.00	5-6e
10.50	12b	13.05	7-8e
11.00	11c	13.10	9e and PreIB
11.10	11b	13.15	teachers
12.20	2a		
12.30	2b		
12.40	1-2e		

A class picture and a funny picture are taken.
It is advisable to choose a common theme for the occasion so that the funny picture is truly memorable.

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KiVa Christmas mailbox

The KiVa team invites students and colleagues to notice and care for each other to create a sense of unity - caring, tolerance, respect, courage. Let's take time to be friendly and smile at each other.

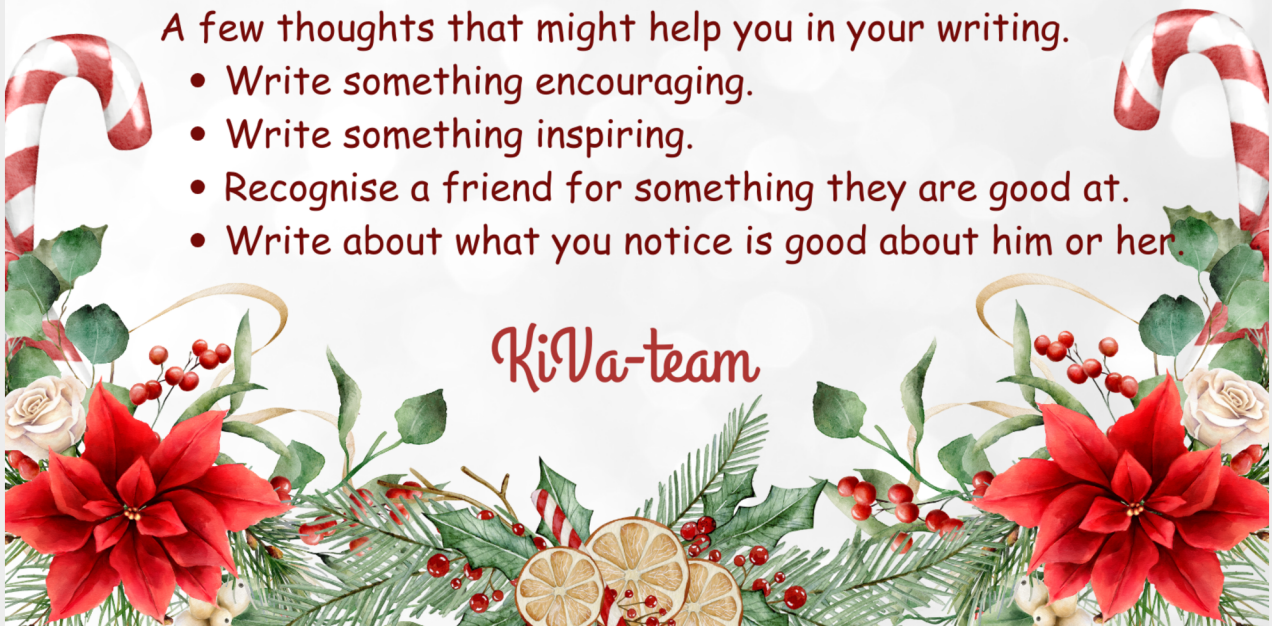
Post your own Christmas card, Christmas letter, or Christmas wish to a friend, schoolmate, or teacher in the KiVa Christmas mailbox.

You can find the mailbox at the school library from 09.12-13.12
Students will receive letters from their class teacher.

A few thoughts that might help you in your writing.

- Write something encouraging.
- Write something inspiring.
- Recognise a friend for something they are good at.
- Write about what you notice is good about him or her.

KiVa-team



CHRISTMAS  **VISION**
5.—8. GRADE CHRISTMAS PARTY



DEC

18

18:00-21:30

2024



**PERFORMANCES AND A
CHRISTMAS DISCO!**





MIINA HÄRMA'S GOT TALENT

WILL YOUR CLASS BE SANTAS NEXT
TOP ELVES?

FEATURING GUEST JUDGES, WITTY HOSTS AND
PERFORMANCES THAT WILL LEAVE YOU
SPEECHLESS!

19TH 9-12TH GRADE
DEC 6.00PM-9.30 PM

YOU CAN BUY SNACKS AND
BEVERAGES!

MHG BALL DANCE FOR GRADES 9-12

MIINA HÄRMA BALL 2025

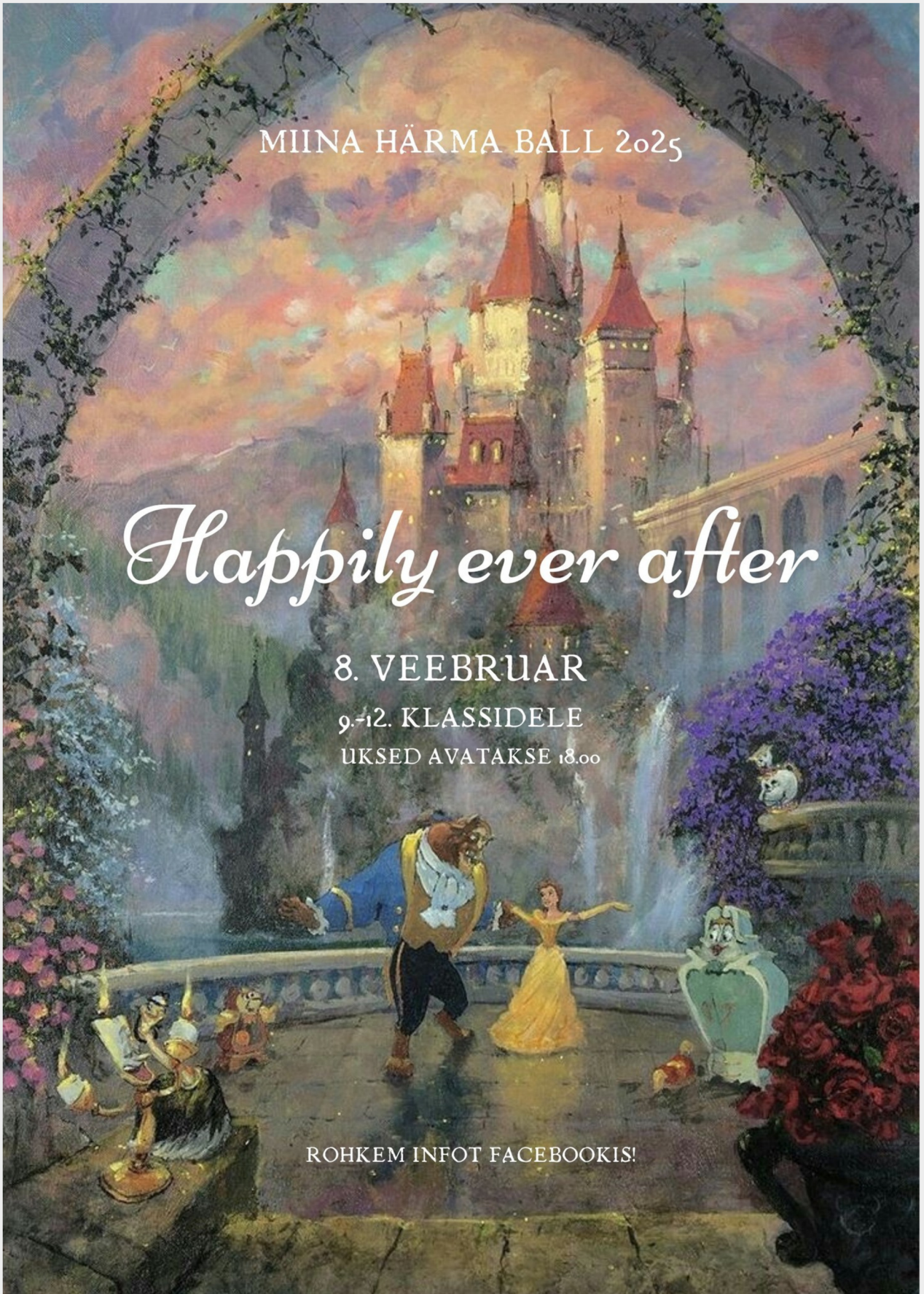
Happily ever after

8. VEEBRUAR

9.-12. KLASSIDELE

UKSED AVATAKSE 18.00

ROHKEM INFOT FACEBOOKIS!



SCHOOL FOOD SURVEY

Dear school family!

Daily, the school caterer conducts an annual school catering satisfaction survey from 25.11.-8.12.2024.

The caterer's goal is to obtain an adequate assessment of their daily work and compliance with expectations. The survey results are also shared with the school management.

The survey is conducted online; students, parents and school staff can answer.

Link to survey: <https://forms.office.com/e/PwchFQcWAb>

Hoping for active participation in the survey!

Ene Tannberg

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