

# New Parent information session 

Welcome - Bienvenue

14th September 2017

## AGENDA

- Presentation by the School management
- Parents' Association (APEEE) overview
- APEEE e-enrolment platform
- APEEE services
- Communication aspects
- Book the dates!
- Springfest - Help wanted
- Q \& A
- Welcome drink


# Welcome <br> by the School management 

## EEB III School Management

- Mr de Tournemire
- Mr Radhuber
- Ms Malik
- Ms Cadenas
- Ms Hector

Director
Deputy Director Secondary
Deputy Director Nursery/Primary
Chief educational advisor
School administrator

## APEEE Overview

## Role of the EEB III Parents' Association

Mission: Representing the parents from 7 language sections (CZ, DE, EL, EN, ES, FR, NL) in all areas affecting the school life of our children

- Educational affairs (within and outside our school)
- Services management (transport, canteen, extra-curricular activities)
- Participation in the wider context of all European Schools (following the activities of the Secretariat-General of European Schools, Board of Governors, Interparents Association)
- Provide information and communicate with parents on a variety of actions

Educational aspects
Communication aspects

APEEE competence, in close cooperation with the school

TRANSPORT
APEEE competence

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1 Administrative Office Manager 1 IT Manager
12 staff members in the canteen 3 members in transport
2 members in Périscolaire

Representing the parents at
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School Administrative Council
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Representing the parents at the
School Educational Councils (of Primary and of Secondary)

Representing the parents at the School Consultation Committee

APEEE keeps parents informed via :

Website
https://www.apeeeb3.be/

Distribution of APEEE messages to all parents
(Follow also School messages via SMS)

Newsletters

Representing the parents in negotiations with other partners (EU institutions, local authorities etc.)
Representing the parents in the Board of Governors and its preparatory bodies / WGs

APEEE is a non-profit organization under Belgian law (AISBL), which manages its own budget and employees. External staff is used for transport (bus attendants), extracurricular activities' teaching and canteen service (Atalian) IXELLES

## ALL PARENTS OF THE SCHOOL

Up to 4 class representatives
Elected after each annual
Class meeting (including 1 "info rep" and one Treasurer in

Primary/Nursery)


General Meeting (AG)
Open to all APEEE members having paid the annual family subscription fee
Only class representatives have the right to vote

## Management Board (CA) (25 members)

(elected by the sections, MAT class representatives and the AG)
7 section representatives for Primary (1 per section)
7 section representatives for Secondary (1 per section)
1 MAT representative (elected annually by all MAT class representatives)
5 members elected on rotation at the annual General Meeting ( +5 in place from previous year)


Educational Advisory Committee (EAC)
(7-9 members)
1 VP Educational matters,
1 representative per language section (members of the School Educational Councils are also invited to attend)

## Executive Committee (EC)

(8-13 members)
1 VP Administration,
1 VP Educational matters, 1 VP Communication, 1 Board member in charge of each sector (canteen, transport, extracurricular),
1 Treasurer, 1 Secretary (President participating as an observer)

Parents IXELLES

## Parents' representation in school life

## School bodies

- Primary and secondary Educationall Councills (1 person elected by each section on a yearly basis) - meeting 4 times per year with school management and teacher representatives (for school-internal educational issues)
-APEEE representation in the School"s Administrative Board (administration/finance, pedagogical matters) and in its Consulltative Committee (annual planning, horizontal matters for both Primary and Secondary education levels)
-Health and Safety Committee (for hygiene and security matters)


## Administrative Office Manager

- The Manager (Ms Ornella DI PERRI, e-mail: apeeesecretariat@skynet.be) is the main contact person for parents' queries.
- She will listen to all queries and complaints and will submit the matter for further examination to the operation manager of each sector.
- She will facilitate your communication with the Board and its Committees and will take account of your remarks with a view to further improving APEEE policies.
- She is also in charge of coordinating the information flow and the content management on the APEEE website (in close cooperation with the IT Manager).
- She is also entrusted to bring to the attention of the School management any issue related to the daily cooperation between $n_{n t}$ the School and the APEEE.


## Educational matters

- Establishment and functioning of all European schools + General Enrolment policy (Board of Governors and the Office of the Secretariat-General, Central Enrolment Authority)
- Curricula of nursery / primary / secondary studies, pedagogical reform (Board of Governors / Joint Teaching Committee - Inspectors' Committee)
- Educational aspects at school level such as quality of Teaching, teacher secondment, absences, etc. (school Education Councils)
- BAC organisation / recognition (Board of Governors, school management)
- Involved parents: VP on Education (Robert WEIN), Section representatives in the school Education Councils, other parents active in the Educational Advisory Committee of our APEEE


## The APEEE e-enrolment platform

## eEnrolment



## What is it?

## Single electronic platform to manage:

- Registration in all APEEE services
- Bus
- Canteen
- Extra curricular activities
- e-Payments to APEEE
- Family contact information per person
- Mother
- Father
- Child(ren)
- Focused communication to groups
- IT Manager: Lucas TASHO (e-mail: Ivtasho@apeeeb3.be)


## Who benefits from eEnrolment?

## Parents

- Single platform for all services, requests and operations
- Each parent has his own login to the system


## Children

- Up to date contact information
- Single daily schedule for all services


## APEEE services

- Manage requests workflow
- Less time spent on e-mails and more time spent on delivering and improving services


## Starting with eEnrolment

## Invitation e-mail

- Asking for login to eEnrolment
- Parents receive separate invitations


## Initial connection

- Update of children and parent contact information


## Request for services

- Select cantine / bus / periscolaire

Note: all parents get access to the e-Enrolment system. Only parents that have paid their annual subscription may request \& use the services

## Available on any device

© A https://enrolment.apeeel 20 :



## Key functions/ options



## The standard process

| Parents | Browse services <br> Submit application requests for services |
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| APEE Service <br> Office | Approves / rejects requests |
| Parents | Revise applications |
| APEE Service <br> Office | Approves requests <br> Issues payment requests (automatically) |
| Parents | Performs payment |

## How payments are made

The system accepts full electronic payments

You may choose online (bancontact or credit / debit card) or offline (via standard bank transfer) payment

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1ybFCAyvRz0

## Overview of payments

## Finance mplay Demo



| Fees |  |  | Transactions 1 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Aggreed | Paid | Issue Date Type |  | Document Data | Explanation | Amount |
| Extracurricular - French Theatre S 1-7 | 258.00 | 258.00 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Canteen-4 Days S(1-7) | 688.04 | 0.00 | 11/09/2017 | BR | $\begin{aligned} & \text { BR/EC } \\ & 355751 / 11 / 9 / 2017 / 287 \end{aligned}$ |  | +258.00 |
|  | 946.04 | 258.00 | Totals |  |  |  | +258.00 |

## A few remarks

- The eEnrolment is the new system for managing APEEE services for families
- Remember to ensure that your contact information is up to date
- The system may send you information e-mails. Please check that they do not arrive in your spam folder
- All functions of the system are documented via step by step video guides (in the system and APEEE site)
- If in doubt please watch the videos carefully before sending an e-mail request for help
- We hope you are as excited as we are for the eEnrolment that has just been launched!


## APEEE Services

## Canteen Service

- Exclusive competence of the APEE with oversight consultative committee, including School representatives.
- Supervisors are of the sole responsibility of the School.
- Staff:
- Operation manager: Didier DELHOUX
- Assistant: Paola CATALANO
- Desk officers: Nathalie FOREST, Anna DI MARZIO
- APEE Board representatives: Maria SAURA and other members of the Canteen Working Group: Jakub NICE, Tomas HRUBY and Fani ZARIFOPOULOU.
- For further information please see internal rules on the website


## Canteen Service

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Around 2000 1st service
        (1952)
    pupils eat
    every day in
        3 \text { services}
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$2^{\text {nd }}$ service

- Nursery (12:05)
- Primary 3-4-5 (12:15)
$1^{\text {st }}$ service
- Nursery (11:20)
- Primary 1-2 (11:35)
$3^{\text {rd }}$ service
- Secondary 1-2-3-4 (12:50)
- Secondary 5-6-7 (13:05)

Parents

## Canteen Service



## Extra-curricular activities

- Over 200 after-school activities per week culture or sport
- Nursery, primary and secondary
- About 1,010 pupils undertaking over 2,500 activities taught by 70 teachers
- Joint oversight committee composed of APEEE and school representatives
- Most activities are given in French
- Staff:
- Operation manager: Jacky MATERNA
- Assistant : Sochip Chy
- Board representatives: Rosita LAKE, Giorgos GEORGIANNAKIS, Katerina SVICKOVA, Holger REICHOW


## Extra-curricular activities

## 1010 pupils enrolled

- Nursery 18\%
- Primary 72\%
- Secondary 10\%

Time-schedule:
-M: 3:30-6:00 pm
-T: 3:30-6:00 pm
-W: 1:30-3:30 pm
-T: 3:30-6:00 pm
-F: 12:15-6:00pm

240 activities

- 80\% Collective
(Sportive, cultural, educational \& others)
- 20\% individual (music lessons)


## Transport Service

- Morning - Arrivals by 8.20 am (ALL)

- $1^{\text {st }}$ departure - 3.35 pm (MAT/Primary/S1-2)
- $2^{\text {nd }}$ departure -4.30 pm (S1-7 and pupils enrolled extracurricular activities)
- Wednesday departure - 1 pm
- Service to Commission garderies - at 3.35 pm and 4.30 pm (Monday, Tuesday, Thursday) / 1.30 pm (Wednesdays) / 12.30 pm and 3.35 pm (Fridays)
- Supervisors on all buses (adults or upper secondary students)
- Over 2,200 pupils daily
- APEEE exclusive competence
- Operation manager: Isabelle CALLENS
- Board representatives : Fani ZARIFOPOULOU and Koen NOMDEN


## Transport Service

## 2250 pupils registered

Longest line: 80
(22 kms)
Shorter line: 83
(Auderghem/WSP )
List of bus stops is available in the transport office

48 buses arrive at school between 7h55 and 8h20 am

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\text { On Mo, Tu, Th, } \mathrm{Fi}_{,}
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38 buses leave at 3h35 pm
(MAT/P/S1-2)
29 buses leave at 4h30 pm
(S1-7 and for pupils
attending extracurricular)

Contracts with bus companies :

Kim Cars, Mont Blanc, Albacars,
Eurobussing/Keolis,
Autocars Gilles, Hermes Lines, Star Voyages

On W, 45 buses leave at 1 pm
(one departure for all pupils) /
at 1.30 pm (OIB garderies)

## Transport to OIB afterschool childcare facilities




Transfer under the responsibility of the extracurricular organization Transfer under the responsibility of the nursery

Parents
Retrieved by the parents on site


Primary 1-2 \& Nursery 8.30-12.40 am School Primary 3-5 \& Secondary 8.30-12.40 am School



Transfer under the responsibility of the extracurricular
organization
Parents
Transfer under the responsibility of the nursery
Retrieved by the parents on site

## Communication

\& Information

## Communication

- From school (Schola Europea / SMS) and APEEE news directly to all parents
- APEEE Vice-President on Communication: Catherine Fenech

From APEEE webmaster to all parents


## How to contact the Board members?

- Via the APEEE Office Manager, Ms Ornella di Perri (apeeesecretariat@skynet.be) (on maternity leave under the end of November 2017)
- Via your class representatives (constituents in the APEEE General Meeting)
- By direct contacts (updated lists per section will be soon available on the web site) https://www.apeeeb3.be/sections


## Communication - access to APEEE documents

- Minutes of APEEE bodies and draft agendas are publicly available on the website (with some duly justifiable restrictions)
- New APEEE website includes new functionalities and opens the way in the future for a secure communication platform


## Sources of information

- European Schools' web site (general overview of the system and of its curriculum): http://www.eursc.eu
- EEB 3 website : http://www.eeb3.eu/
- APEEE website (specific information for each sector and information for all parents) : https://www.apeeeb3.be/
- OIB Garderies :
http://www.eeb3.eu/index.php?id=423
e-mail: OIB-GARDERIES-POSTSCOLAIRES@ec.europa.eu


## Other useful links

## Within our school

APEEE XL Book (within the School Welcome Pack, available on SMS)
Rules and FAQs (on our webpage under each section)

Outside and above our school
INTERPARENTS
http://www.interparents.eu
ALUMNI EUROPAE
http://www.alumnieuropae.org
GUDEE
http://www.gudee.eu

## How to contact the APEEE services

General questions - APEEE Office and IT Managers e-mail: apeeesecretariat@skynet.be Ivtasho@apeeeb3.be

Tel. : 022114000 / 022114001
Transport
e-mail: transportsxl@skynet.be
Tel.: 022114003
Canteen
e-mail: cantinexl@skynet.be
Tel. : 0221140 05/ 022114006
After-school activities
e-mail: periscolairexl@skynet.be
Tel. : 022114004
Time-schedules for any contacts are displayed on the APEEE website

## How can you participate?

- Voluntary work on several occasions
- Following updates on the website
- Making proposals for improvements (directly to the Board or via your class representatives)
- Getting involved in the statutory bodies (General Meeting) or participating in the Working Groups


## SPRINGFEST

## What is it?

$\checkmark$ The only yearly event that actively involves the entire school community (pupils, teachers and parents...) in a relaxed and festive atmosphere
$\checkmark$ In 2018, it will take place on 20 April. Come and celebrate with the entire school community
$\checkmark$ Don't miss the opening ceremony (on 19 April 2018)


## What kind of ceremony?

$\checkmark$ Opening ceremony the evening before
$\checkmark$ Main day full of activities....
$\checkmark$ Primary: Games organised by teachers (morning) and parents (afternoon), shows, dances, etc. + EUROVILLAGE
$\checkmark$ Secondary: The Battle of the Bands; Game Palace; Fashion show; Football tournament;
$\checkmark$ In the evening: Disco for secondary pupils (junior and senior) - Music Café for ALL

## How?

## Organised and coordinated by the Springfest Committee, which is composed of :

- The School management;
- Parents' representatives (Financial and Event coordinators);
- Teachers (primary and secondary);
- Students (two from secondary for overall coordination)
- The springfest committee may decide to contribute to the financing of charitable projects of solidarity, within or outside the EU, with special emphasis on educational needs.



## We need you To make it a success



Please volunteer!

## Book the dates!

- Class meetings in September / October 2017 (dates on the School calendar)
- Presentation of the annual and multiannual School Plans (19 October 2017)
- Universities' Fair (24 October in EEB1 (Uccle))
- Primary Book Day (November 2017) / Secondary Book Sale
- Professions' Day (24 November 2017)
- Inter-APEEE conference on the secondary marking reform (4 December 2017)
- APEEE General Meeting (22 January 2018)
- School annual music concert (February 2018)
- Springfest (20 April 2018)
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## Follow reqularly the School calendar (via SMS) <br> and APEEE news for further information!

