

GLOBE Daily

PRAGUE, KUNRATICE, FRIDAY, MAY 30, 2015

Editorial

Our foreign visitors tried their best to speak Czech, so it is only fair of us to repay them their courage by publishing a part of GLOBE Daily in English. We hope our attempt will be at least as good as theirs was. We wish you pleasant moments with our broadsheets.

Mici and Áda

Journalist's project evaluation

We got a list of participating schools in our hands and we decided to find out, how well they know their projects. We asked them to describe their project with just one sentence. However, probably due to participants' exhaustion, we were not able to get the answer from all the teams – still we somehow finished the research. Then we had a serious talk and we have chosen the best ones:

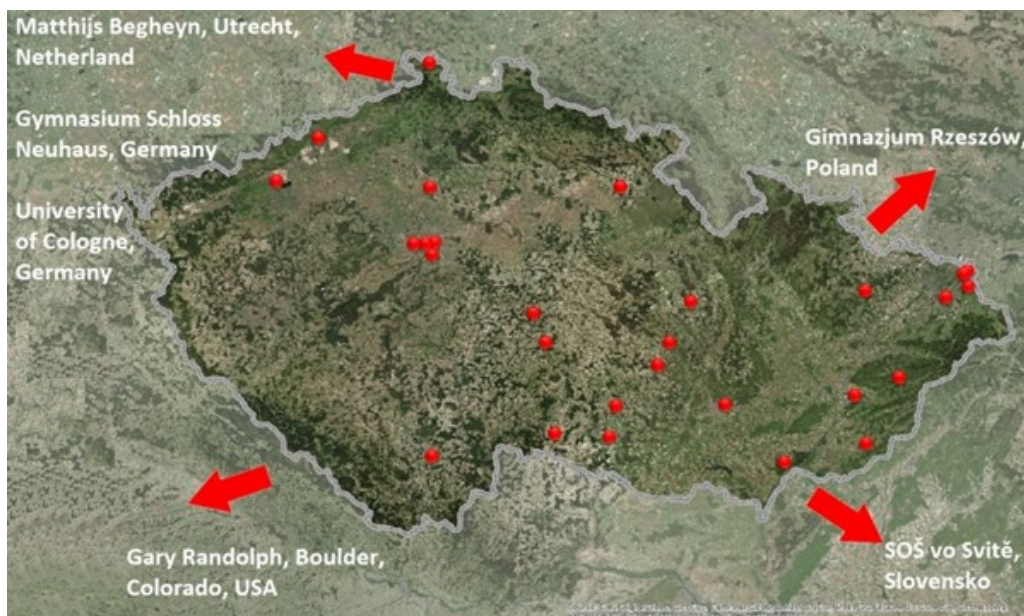
ZS Kresomyslova Praha – “How long does it take to learn 10 cloud types.”

ZS a MŠ Liskovec – „4 month sayings“

Gymnazium dr. A. Hrdličky – “We have rediscovered a water spring in a bushes”

ZS a G Vitkov – “Will animals survive the revitalisation of a lagoon?”

ZS Delnicka Karvina – Nove mesto – “Salinity of Karvina »sea«”



AK, MN

Hunting season opened

We are only happy to announce to all the readers that the duck hunting season in “Kunraticky les” has been opened. We recommend you to be cautious while walking near water areas. If you hear shooting nearby, we advise you to duck and cover behind the nearest tree. After a few minutes it should be safe to leave your cover. If you have any duck hunting season related problems, try to contact your gamekeeper. As a professional, he should be of a help.

AS

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Editor's word

It started simply - when I had to decline an offer to lead GG press centre with Mici, I promised to pay a visit to the press centre during GLOBE Games. I held my word and thus I gained the opportunity to overtake the editor's seat for a while. But that's enough about me – I intend to share some information about our journalists as an “outsider”. I suppose information, such as the fact that a journalist is more or less tea/coffee powered entity, might be well known, thus I shall rather mention some less known and, as I hope, interesting facts. Although, not very common in the real world, I shall consider the qualities, such as creativity or friendliness, of my “fellow” journalists well known.

Every year, there are changes – specials, morning issues and now it is GLOBE Daily. However, some things are simply so rooted, that it will take more time to change them. E.g. the whole process from a single idea to a printed newspaper is still the same for years. A countdown to editorial deadline can be an exquisite example. There are some newer ones, but still probably destined to root - autocracy-like system in the press centre (which actually suits not only our editor in chief - Mici) or the publishing processor which still holds since I changed it two years ago.

AS

Smelly tinkering

What does have an orange and butyric acid in common? Both have their specific fragrance. Fragrances and their recognition – that was a topic of one of many workshops. Students had the opportunity to test their smelling skills and they learned about synthetic fragrances. Furthermore, they could try esterification – a reaction of an alcohol with a carboxylic acid. Then through such a reaction they turned the acetic acid into more or less pleasant fragrance. Attendants received VSCHT promotional items and an ice cream made with the help of liquid nitrogen.

VP

Few words of farewell

How you may have guessed, I really do hope that you have enjoyed reading our first issue in English; it was quite a challenge, since we are not native speakers. Even though some of us speak English fluently, we still might feel a bit of insecurity about our second language. So, I would like to ask you, in that kind of spirit, to be tolerant with our ‘broadsheets’.

Mici

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Salsa!

Q: What were you feelings before the salsa lesson?

As: I thought that I wouldn't be any good at salsa, I have two left feet. My friends made me go!! ‘

>: ‘I felt terrible! I've never danced salsa and it seemed a bit scary to me. ‘

>: ‘Mixed feelings... ‘

>: ‘I really didn't know what to expect. ‘

Q: And what are your feelings now, after the lesson?

As: ‘Amazing! I feel like ten pound lighter! ‘

>: ‘My butt hurts, but it was great! ‘

>: ‘I had plenty of fun, I must take another round sometimes! ‘

>: ‘I had some good time and I think I did well too. ‘

EJ, KK