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## Newsletter 04 / 2022

Dear friends,

We want to use the second quarter of 2022 to awaken our project "My First Library" from its slumber and make it come alive again. New coordinators have been found for three of our schools, who will take care of various organizational matters and, above all, our volunteers. This means that we can finally search for new volunteers again and introduce them to the work at the schools. In the next few weeks, we will also organize meetings for our volunteers and thus get back to the long-awaited personal exchange.



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## News about our association's work

We have often been asked for training on the subject of prevention. At schools where reading takes place in the afternoon during the OGS hours and where the OGS has a Catholic provider, proof of training in prevention is sometimes required. This is the case at the LyngsbergSchule.

We are in the process of searching for qualified speakers on this topic. However, we also point out offers from other providers. In the coming weeks, there will be two training courses on the subject of prevention:

On May 9th 2022, the Katholisches Jugendwerk Bonn will offer a prevention training in person from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. You can also register online under this [link](#) or send an e-mail to Mrs. Lohmann at [praevention@kja-bonn.de](mailto:praevention@kja-bonn.de). The KJA is located at the Kaiser-Karl-Ring in Bonn.

Another prevention training (basic training, 1/2 day) will be offered online on Saturday, May 28th from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Course number 22 16 25 00 13; Costs 15€, registration on the [website](#)).

## News from the Executive Board

The General Assembly for the financial year 2021 will take place on May 5th 2022. The members were informed by e-mail. Since a board member has resigned from office in 2021, the election of a new board member will be due at this meeting. We ask all members to participate in the meeting.

The board will also talk about the future of the association, where your opinion and participation is important. Please register by e-mail ([info@kulturverbindet-bonn](mailto:info@kulturverbindet-bonn)) or by phone with Monika Schmidt-Engbrecht at 0172 – 26 86 296.

## Public relations



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On Sunday, June 12th 2022, after a two-year break, the **Internationale Begegnungsfest Bonn** will take place again. Kultur verbindet e.V. has applied for a stand. We would like to inform about our association work and exchange books that we have received as a gift for monetary donations for our project "My First Library".

For this we still need helpers who support us on this day at the booth on the marketplace. If you would like to help, you can register by sending a mail to [info@kulturverbindet-bonn.de](mailto:info@kulturverbindet-bonn.de). We will then call you back and discuss the details individually.

## Tips for reading and leisure

In March 2022, the Leipziger Lesekompass selected 30 winning titles from a wealth of current children's books. The jury consists not only of adults, but also of children and young people. In the appendix we have provided the list of selected books, comics and audiobooks for the age group 6 – 10 years. We especially recommend the non-fiction book "Fiese Viecher", which turns our prejudices against many animals upside down.



source: pixabay

Every year there are many free workshops, leisure and holiday activities for children and young people in NRW and thus also in Bonn. An overview of these Kulturrucksack offers 2022 in Bonn can be found [here](#).

Our tip: Register in time! The events are very popular and therefore quickly booked out.

During the summer holidays, the Stadtmuseum Bonn in cooperation with the Internationales Begegnungszentrum Bonn and Kultur verbindet e.V. offers a two-week holiday event. This "time travel through Bonn" will take place in the last two weeks of July. Every day, the children discover a different historical place in Bonn. They can creatively and imaginatively implement their impressions and ideas of what they have seen with their own small stop-motion films. We will send you detailed information soon.

For all those who still need small pots for herbs or flowering plants for the balcony: Have a look at the picture in the attachment to this newsletter! Such pretty pots can be made very quickly with empty cans.

- With a hammer and nail punch several holes in the bottom of the can and also a hole about two centimeters below the upper edge.
- Now paint the cans (preferably using waterproof paint suitable for metal surfaces).
- Fill the can with soil, then plant or sow a flower or herbs and water them.
- Pull a string or better a metal wire through the upper hole and attach the vessel to the balcony grille. But please in such a way that the irrigation water does not drip on the head of the neighbour downstairs! If you water your plants too much, the water will drain through the holes in the bottom of the can.

### Scheduled activities :

**25.04.2022:** First day of school after the Easter holidays.

**05.05.2022:** General meeting, 18:00, Haus der Familie, Godesberg.

**08.05.2022:** Workshop "Building and designing games". Bundeskunsthalle. Invitation see appendix.

**15.05.2022:** Workshop "Little speedsters". A programming workshop in the "Deutsche Museum". Invitation see appendix.

**12.06.2022:** Internationales Begegnungsfest der Stadt Bonn, Market place

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