



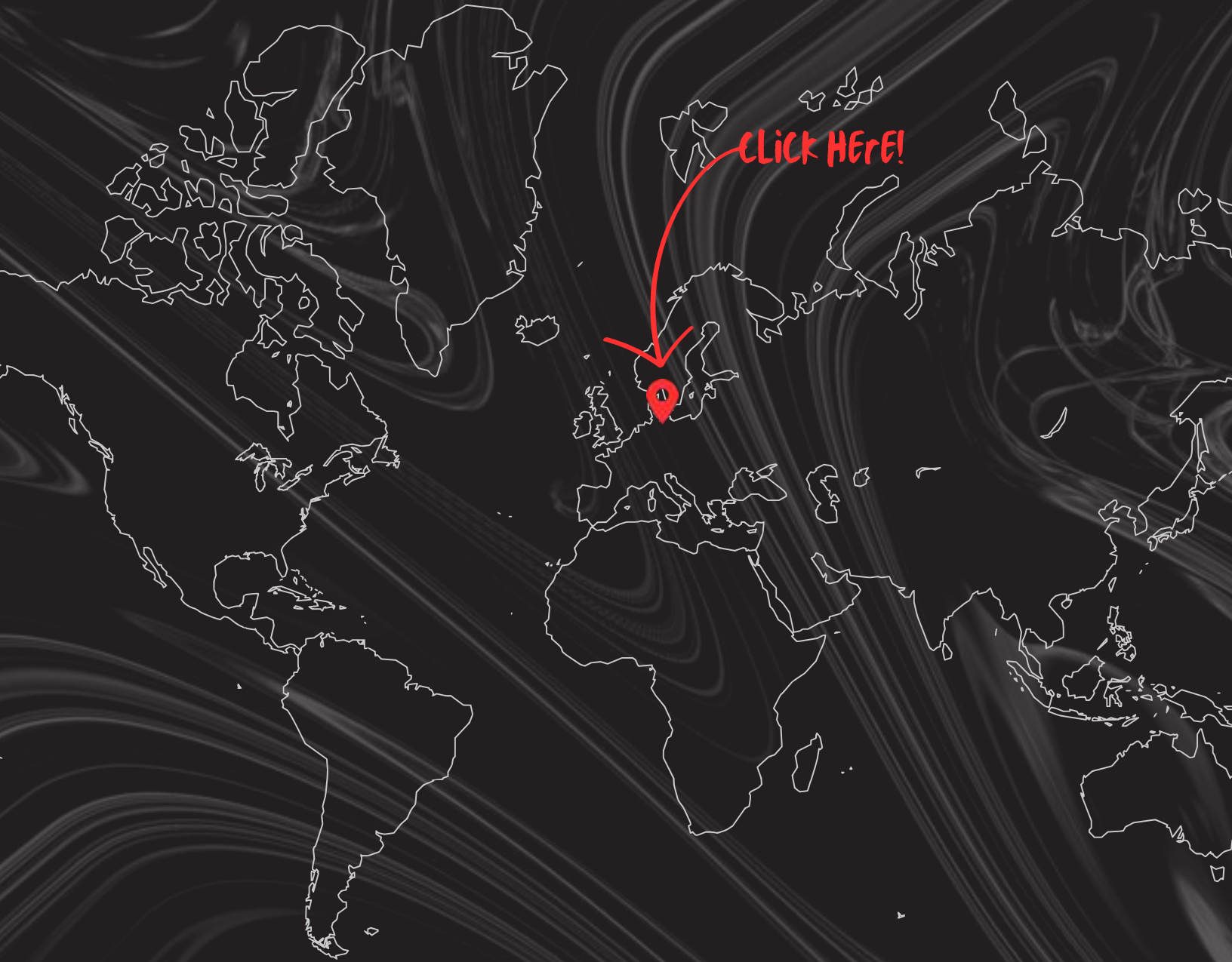
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FROM THE PRESIDENT

KulturLust, translating to Culture Lust, encapsulates our shared enthusiasm for knowing more about the culture and heritage of Germany. We aimed to create a space that invites everyone, regardless of their knowledge of the German language, to explore and understand the culture. Our goal was to curate a digital magazine that extends the spirit within our club members to our readers, making German culture accessible and enjoyable for all.
Fröhliches Lesen!

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ABOUT US

Welcome to Deutschind!
Through engaging activities and events, we immerse ourselves in the essence of both worlds, fostering a fun-filled atmosphere of cultural exchange. We take part in unique activities that improve grasp on language learning, as well as teach our members more about German culture.

Willkommen bei Deutschind! Durch spannende Aktivitäten und Veranstaltungen tauchen wir tief in die Essenz beider Welten ein und fördern eine fröhliche Atmosphäre des kulturellen Austauschs. Wir nehmen an einzigartigen Aktivitäten teil, die das Sprachenlernen verbessern und unseren Mitgliedern mehr über die deutsche Kultur vermitteln.



GERMAN ICONS



Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827) - Influential German composer and pianist. Symphony No. 5, Symphony No. 9, Moonlight Sonata, and Für Elise are among his famous works.

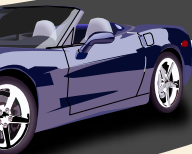


Nena, also known as Gabriele Susanne Kerner, is a famous German singer. Rising to fame in the 1980s, she became an iconic figure, especially renowned for her chart-topping hit "99 Luftballons."





Legendary German Formula One driver, seven-time World Champion, Michael Schumacher, is widely regarded as one of the greatest in the history of the sport.



Four-time Formula 1 World Champion known for his precise and strategic prowess, Sebastian Vettel is a German racing driver with a passion for excellence on the track.



The Berlin Film Festival, known as the Berlinale, is a renowned film festival founded in 1951. It attracts filmmakers from around the world and promotes a greater cultural understanding through the diverse selection of films. The festival is divided into different genres, with the award being the Golden Bear.

Die Berliner Filmfestspiele, auch Berlinale genannt, sind ein renommiertes Filmfestival, das 1951 gegründet wurde. Es zieht Filmemacher aus der ganzen Welt an und fördert durch die vielfältige Auswahl an Filmen ein größeres kulturelles Verständnis. Das Festival ist in verschiedene Genres unterteilt, wobei die Auszeichnung der Goldene Bär ist.

BERLIN FILM FESTIVAL

YOU MUST BE COOKING

7-17 Februar 2019

BERLINALE 15-25 FEB 2018

7-17 Februar 2019

Berlinale

11.-16.02.06

BERLINALE 20.

Berlinale 11-21 Feb 2016

7-17 Februar 2019

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BERLINALE 10-20 FEB 11

Berlinale 9-19 Feb 2017

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BERLINALE

52. Internationale Filmfestspiele Berlin

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PANORAMA

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**SAINT
SYLVESTER'S
DAY**

Bleigießen (Lead Pouring)



Silvester, or New Year's Eve in Germany, falls on December 31st, marking the transition from the old year to the new. It is celebrated with fireworks, parties, and gatherings.

*Customs like watching televised concerts, savoring dishes like **Berliner Pfannkuchen**, and participating in "**Bleigießen**" are followed.*



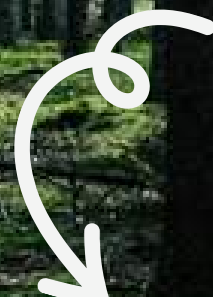
Berliner Pfannkuchen (Berliner pancakes)

EAT LIKE A GERMAN



EINE LECKERE SCHWARZWÄLDER
KIRSCHTORTE

*A Delicious Black Forest Cake -
made by our club members!*



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**BLACK FOREST,
GERMANY**

Schwarzwälder Kirschtorte



INGREDIENTS/ZUTATEN

- 1/2 cup Condensed Milk
- 2 tbsp Oil
- 2 tbsp Butter
- 1/4 cup Sugar
- 3/4 cup Milk
- 1 tsp Vinegar
- 1 cup All-purpose Flour
- 3 tbsp Cocoa Powder
- 1 tsp Baking Powder
- 1/4 tsp Baking Soda
- 1 cup Dark Chocolate (grated)
- Cherries
- 1/2 cup Whipping Cream

Schwarzwälder Kirschtorte



PROCEDURE

Preheat the oven to 180°C and grease a cake pan. In a mixing bowl, combine Milkmaid, Oil, Butter, & Sugar. Mix well until the sugar is dissolved. Add Milk & Vinegar. Stir and leave for some time to create a buttermilk-like consistency. In another bowl, sift Flour, Cocoa Powder, Baking Powder, & Baking Soda. Mix the dry ingredients with the wet ingredients. Fold in the grated Dark Chocolate and pour the batter into the greased cake pan. Bake in the oven for 30-35 minutes. Allow the cake to cool completely. Once the cake has cooled, spread a layer of Whipped Cream on top. Decorate the cake with Cherries. Slice and serve your delicious Blackforest Kuchen!



-cake made and photographed by our members

INDO-GERMAN EXCHANGE

Modern High School International and Modern High School For Girls from Kolkata with Gesamtschule Ückendorf and Ricarda Huch-Gymnasium in Gelsenkirchen.



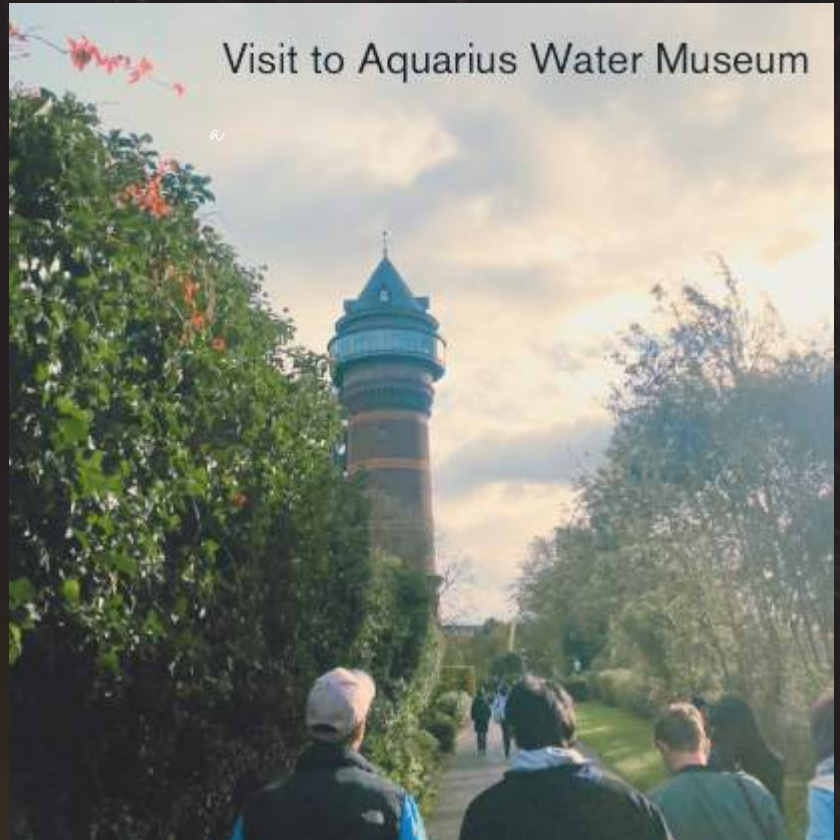
HOW OUR STUDENTS WERE WELCOMED AT THE AIRPORT!

The main objective of this exchange, was to immerse ourselves in German culture. We explored German cities along with our German partners. We primarily used public transport to commute which gave us a glimpse into everyday German life. Students were also taken on a Gelsenkirchen city tour, sponsored by the mayor of the town.



Students visited the Auarius Water Museum where they learnt about the importance of water conservation and how we can best implement it in our daily lives. The interactive games and quizzes helped students get a truly immersive experience.

A Fair in Düsseldorf



The experience was certainly unique, as it is very rare to have an opportunity to live with a german family and learn the culture through their eyes outside of such an exchange program.



Overall the experience was nothing short of eye opening. The exchange trip was a once in a lifetime opportunity and our members were delighted to take part in it. Not only did our members learn to be self sufficient they also learnt essential life skills.



The programme at the end was very successful and an amazing experience for everyone. Our members look forward to hosting the German Students in March of 2024 and hope we can make the experience as enjoyable for them as it was for us.

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