

The Delegate



STAND STILL LADDIES

This year's crisis is to do with the great tension between Mexico and USA due the attack on Vladimir Putin's foreign minister who went to inspect Trump's wall that is still being built. Mexican vigilantes who killed the minister's assistant and many other members of the US State Department carried out the attack.

The Crisis Committee started with the elections for the Chairs and the elections for the Secretary. Yemen and France came out on top in the Chair's election with both countries represented by experienced delegates who have chaired before. However, even during the election, there was

some uneasiness with Egypt as their representing delegate, Sam, straight out expressed his view that the USA should not be elected simply because they were the ones who are concerned in the crisis. The delegate representing Slovenia was elected as the Secretary as he emphasised his experience and how good he is with computers.

Egypt began by wanting to send UN peacekeepers to the border of Mexico to protect tourists who go to visit the wall (which surprisingly is becoming increasingly popular). The delegate from Egypt was then bombarded with questions. Sending UN peace keepers to

the wall could seem like a very aggressive response which could make Mexico feel like they are being backed into a corner. This could cause the South American states to rise up to help Mexico. This could add fuel to the fire. Egypt appeared to be the one that was disliked the most, especially after the Egyptian delegate openly agreed with the building of the wall and the Trump regime. Speaking of the Trump regime, Christopher representing the USA stood up for Trump saying how much of a "great" leader he was (with obvious sarcasm and irony).

Saayeethan Ravikumar

Schedule



07:15 – 08:45 – Breakfast
 09:00 – 12:00 – Committees in Session, Crisis committee to meet in C14
 12:30 – 13:30 – Lunch
 13:30 – 17:30 – General Assembly – Debates on Committee Resolutions, Security Council in session
 17:30 – 19:00 – Supper
 19:00 – 21:00 – General Assembly & Security Council in Session
 21:00 – 24:00 – MUN Disco

What do Trump and Pink Floyd have in common?
Their last big hit was the Wall.



Tonight's party theme is **Festival**

There will also be a photo booth available tonight. Please use it if you wish. Especially if the photos are worthy of being in the Delegate.

Doctrines

The Difficulty of writing a resolution

There is nothing about MUN, to me, which is as equally as fun as it is difficult than writing a resolution (although, I may be on my own in finding it fun.) What can I say... there's just something about formatting that fills me with joy. There's still no way to truly express how difficult and stressful resolution writing can be.

One immensely difficult thing about resolution writing, and MUN as a whole, happens before the placards are printed and before people first start turning up to their committees...hopefully. Research: the act of desperately searching through the internet for information and opening as many tabs as humanly possible. With the internet being as unreliable as it is my constant worry is that I won't be truly representative of my country and this fear just gets larger when writing resolutions. Resolutions, to those who drift off during policy speeches, represent all your nation's beliefs on the solution to an issue but even

more than that they are supposed to act as actual solutions to an issue – something a lot of people forget. As much as we're here to debate opinions we're also supposed to build ideas for how to pragmatically solve international issues.

Another internal issue I personally have when writing a resolution is the space between a county's policy on an issue and then actually finding a solution to an issue which can actually be quite hard especially if you're a member state "on the wrong side of history". A particularly hard line Islamic nation may find difficulty with women's rights but I feel we should all try to find the sides of a nation to which pragmatism and evolution exists and use that for resolution writing. We are looking for a resolution.

Formatting, my love comes over time. MUN is of course going to have been new to all of us at one point or another. I've had twenty two conferences to fully

get to grips with what something should look and sound like – still have no clue – and I'm aware that most find difficulty in making their resolution look more like an UN resolution. It's a stressful tedious thing which usually takes more time than a day's worth of debating but I ask what's better than seeing a well written resolution - preambles and all. Maybe it's just me.

Of course through all these difficulties we end up in the debating room making passionate speeches, questioning semantics, agreeing, disagreeing, amending, voting and feeling either excitement or disappointment to our resolutions being passed. We come to the second simultaneously difficult yet inexpressibly fun thing about resolution writing and that's watching your resolution get passed or watching it get voted down.

C. J. Simon

Only the classiest of notes

We here at the Delegate are not interested in smut and sub-Sun journalism (Mr. Keable Elliott's words). Thus we do not often take part in the gossip of the conference but these simply took our breath away. We decided to therefore share them with all of you. We hope you enjoy them as much as we did.

"Girl, are you from Iraq?
Because I wanna see you
Baghdad a** up!"

This resolution is like a
thong. It looks good but
covers nothing.

Mexico, you make my
thoughts as dirty as your
water.

We'd like to search your
borders for a weapon of
mass destruction.

What is your position on
the floor, and how do you
take it?

I motion to invade Djibouti
with the aid of Greece

Are you from Gaza because
I'd love to see you strip.

I'll Czech your Republic

MUN's Got Talent



MUN's Got Talent started off a little slow with songs like Close by Nick Jonas ft. Tove Lo and N.O by Meghan Trainor entertaining the crowd whilst we remained waiting. The atmosphere was chill with good vibes all round. People were beginning to gather in, slowly settling as moths would to the burning light. Hungry? Not at the quad. Ice cream was £2 with a flake (completely disregarding the 99p flake price), popcorn and doughnuts were also sold, with a cheaper price of a quid each.

After what felt like an eon, the show began with a humorous tone, exposing how Matt became the host due to Sam's unfortunate limb malfunction.

There were introductions to our ever-mundane hosts, Thea the 'neat freak' (who of course, is not at all a neat freak), Thalia, to whom no other can compare (with the exception of myself), Ayo, the 'constantly sleeping' and finally none other than Peter, the 'boss', the man who

shoos away birds with expertise.

For a few laughs, we were shown the failed auditions. One audition was of interesting Indian dancing. Another audition included rolling with bubble wrap and a further act of moving the throat (similar to the action of a frog). In addition someone sang a Christmas song, paired with an outfit.

There were also a few good auditions that didn't quite make the cut; an Arianna Grande inspired audition, a 'Heal the World' audition (who I was very tempted to vote for, purely for the Michael Jackson).

Robin and Caitlin were our first act, they were very giggly and excited and sang beautifully, their harmonised singing wowing the audience. 'Stay with me' by Sam Smith was their choice of song and their stage elicited cheers and claps from everyone. The judges left positive feedback,

MUN's Got Talent



save Thalia, who wished for a co-ordinated look. Anna and Maxwell's segment had further comments on her talent.

Melody, from the US, was our second act. Her song choice was 'It's a Man's World' which she sang with a strong voice, hitting high notes and receiving the good opinion of the general crowd. Peter commented on her powerful voice, telling her to 'be ferocious'. The separate segment said she was exceptional as well.

The third act consisted of our duo rappers who did well but received a bad review from Peter who stated that he was not looking forward to their mixtape.

The fourth act was Daphne who put on a spectacular performance; she danced to Chantaje by Shakira ft. Maluma. The fluid movement of her body was captivating and her talent was undeniable. Ayo, 'Sleepy' of the four

dwarves, claimed it 'woke him up'.

Walter was the performer of the fifth act, his act moved people to tears, the singing was amazing and a lot of people were in favour of his act. His singing similarly brought claps and cheers from the audience and the judges left positive remarks too.

After a series of ads for the Tuckshop, Cadbury, Maltesers, MUN water, Coke and Specsavers that delighted everyone, the final two were announced, both of them were the only duo acts. However, the team that was triumphant were Caitlin and Robin so congratulations to the deserving act! Thank you for the stunning performance.

Sumaiyaa Riaz

Japanese

We will introduce you to **ANIME**

Japan has many animations so I will introduce you to 3 popular Japanese animes.

'Kimi no na ha' is a Japanese anime movie and was created by Makoto Shinkai in 2016. It is very popular all over the world and is available to watch in more than 10 languages.

It was published in 85 countries such as France, Italy and the UK. This movie has received many awards.

Anime is full of beautiful scenery and pretty music.



'My Neighbour Totoro' was created by Hayao Miyazaki in 1988.

'Totoro' is a big grey cuddly creature, which two sisters (Satsuki and Mei) befriend and travel with.



Spirited away is another famous animation created by Hayao Miyazaki in 2001.

It has been watched by about 23,500,000 people around the world.

It's about a girl who stepped into a fantasy world and had to work hard to free herself and her parents



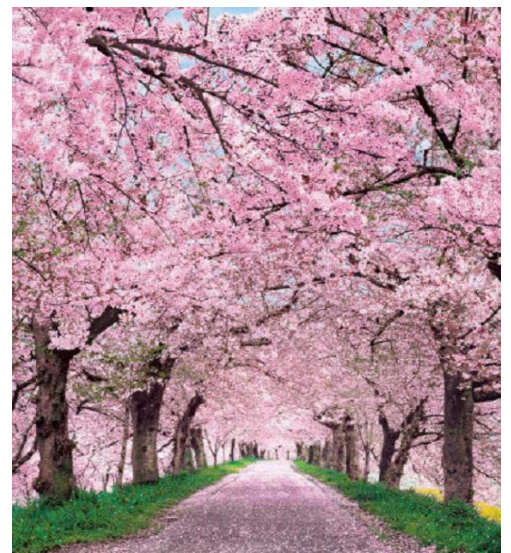
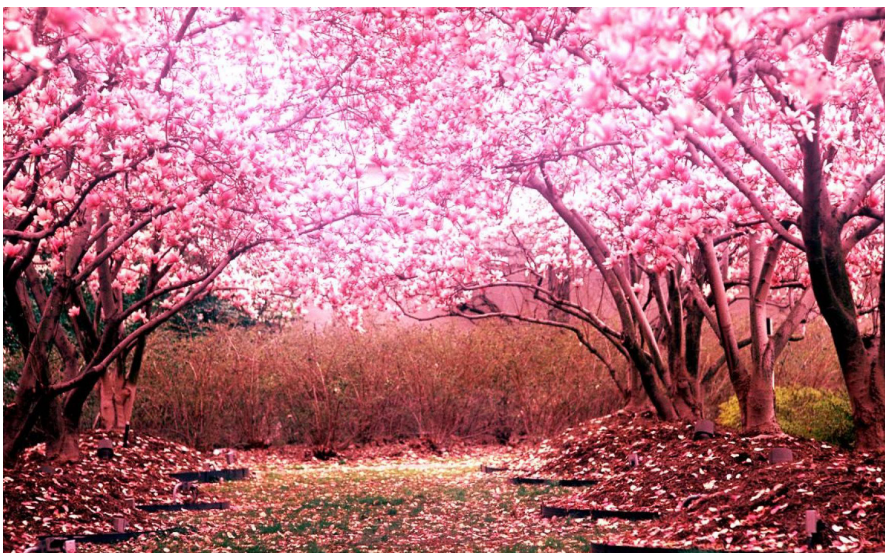
Cherry Blossoms



I would like to tell you about Sakura Cherry Blossoms) Sakura is very popular blossom in Japan and is the Japanese national flower. A long time ago, cherry blossoms were used for farming. There are many places where we can see the Beautiful Sakura in Japan.

Hitachi-City

Our school is in this city!
This city holds the Sakura festival event. This festival is very popular and interesting. There are about 14000 cherry blossoms in this city area. If you go to Japan, please come to our town in spring to see the Sakura



Party



Party



Cops and
Robbers



Secretariat



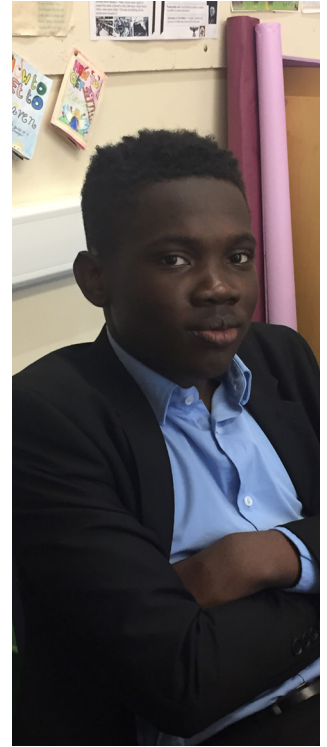
Maksym



Polina



Thea



Ayo

What is the funniest/most explicit note you've ever read?

Maksym: When people ask what's for lunch?

Ayo: It would have to be when someone asked me about meeting up later for pre-drinks.

How are your students? Do you think you trained the newbies well?

Maksym: They're all doing a pretty good job.

Polina: They're in their places when they're supposed to be, it makes me happy. They do what they're told, so that's good.

Ayo: No worries. They're calm.

Thea: There are some that are really good but there are also some that aren't so good. And I was quite surprised to see them in the right place today.

What's the most stupid thing you've been asked to do?

Maksym: All the chairs in the room were facing the wall so I had to turn them around.

Ayo: To pass sweets through a note.

Thea: I've been asked to do everything because no-one does their jobs so I do everything.

What has been your most embarrassing moment as a member of the secretariat team so far?

Maksym: Meeting new schools but not knowing where to take them.

Ayo: When I went into a committee and then there was already a secretariat in there.

What would your autobiography be called?

Polina: The Great Life of Polina

Thea: Probably 'Thea's Life.'

What is your least favourite thing about humanity?

Maksym: War.

Polina: That we're so needy

Thea: Inequality.

You're a new addition to the crayon box, what color would you be and why?

Maksym: Any colour!

Polina: Mint because I'm fresh

Ayo: I don't know. Green.

Thea: Probably purple. I don't really have a reason but I just like purple.

What is the funniest thing that has happened to you recently?

Maksym: Chapel was quite fun.

Polina: Yesterday, I was walking past chapel quad and I saw some kids from other schools sitting on the benches. One kid was lying on the grass like a starfish.

Ayo: Somebody threw up in the bathroom.

Where would you go in a time machine?

Maksym: I'd stay here.

Polina: I'd go to the time when my parents were my age, so that I could experience what their lives were like.

Thea: I'd go to the future so I could see who I'm going to marry and go find them quicker!

Pepsi or Coke?

Maksym: Pepsi.

Polina: Neither.

Ayo: Coke.

Thea: Coke.

How would people communicate in a perfect world?

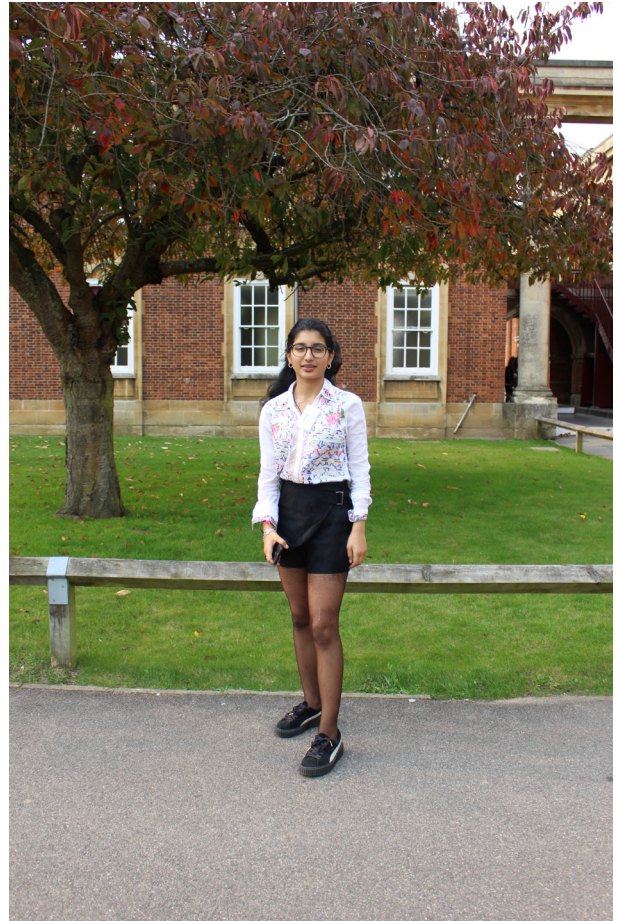
Maksym: Social media.

Polina: Through telepathy.

Ayo: Phones!

Thea: Face to face.

Fashion



Games

Countdown
Conundrums

BUMHEADS
OHMYKNOB
RUDENOBS
NUDEFRED

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Sudoku

КЕЛЊДЕД
КЕВОНДЗ
УМВЊШЕД
НАМВВООК

“WHO LIVES IN
A PINEAPPLE
UNDER THE
SEA?”



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E F W K W H E X K E Y K Z O A
T L P W Y C Y K D D M W A J V
T B A Y S E C U R I T Y L Y O
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