

Meet the PA COMMITTEE



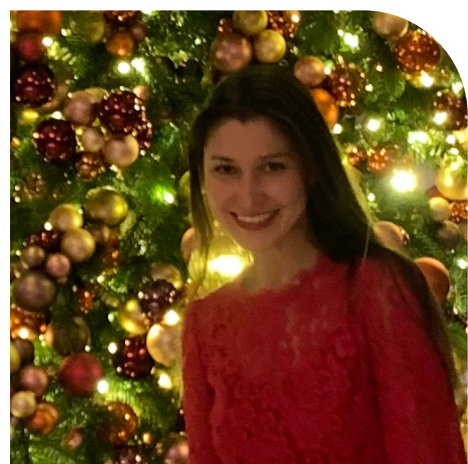
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Now that the first semester is almost over, we the Parents' Association Committee of 2023/24 would like to take the opportunity to thank you for all of your support for PA and school events and look forward to continuing to support the school in this way. We would like to remind you of our coffee afternoons in the Family Hub each month and look forward to getting to know more of you as we journey through the second semester together!

Meet the PA Committee

I'm Jennifer Mann, and have kids in 7th, 10th and 12th grades. We are a family of global citizens, with 11 passports and 5 nationalities between us. Speaking mainly English, there are enough words in Spanish, German, Albanian and Bulgarian to complicate or enhance our communication depending on your perspective! We have been happily part of ISSH for 7 years.



Jennifer

Hi! I'm Cathy Taylor and I'm from Nottingham, England. I first moved to Schaffhausen in 2013 with my husband and it is the first time we have lived abroad. We now have a 6 year old son who was born here in Schaffhausen and he is currently in the Bears group in ELC3. I speak English and my German continues to improve. I have been part of the PA for 3 years and am the class rep for ELC and ISCC.



Cathy

Grüezi mitenand, My name is Linda da Costa and I am Swiss. I was born and raised in Schaffhausen and my mother tongue is (Swiss) German.

My husband is from Lisbon, Portugal and our family language at home is English. Our Twin Boys joined ELC in 2022 and will soon be first graders.

I joined the PA in 2022 and it has been a great decision as we are a super team.



Linda

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Hi I'm Elizabeth, the secretary of ISSH PA.

I am British living here in Switzerland with my husband Rob and 4 daughters Delwyn 15, Gweneth 14, Catrin 14 and Bronwyn 11. We lived in the US for 9 years and have been here for 3. I love hiking, running and baking!



Elizabeth

Hi! I'm Irina. Its my third year being in PA team and I'm enjoying it. I'm Russian. My daughter Katrina is in Grade 3. We lived in Argentina for 4 years and in Germany for 4 years. Now living in Schaffhausen with my German/Swiss husband and my multicultural daughter.



Irina

Hello! I'm Katie Fuchs and I'm from USA. I moved to Schaffhausen in February 2023 with my husband and two children. My daughter is in fourth grade and my son is in first grade. I speak English and "ein bisschen Deutsch." We continue to gain improved cultural awareness and are learning daily the Swiss ways! We have thoroughly enjoyed our time at ISSH so far!



Katie

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Hi, I'm Christi. I am American and we just moved to Schaffhausen at the end of September 2022- this is our first time living abroad. My husband Jeff and I have 3 kids at ISSH, Izzy in G9, Alex G6, and Samantha in G5. We are animal lovers and brought 2 dogs and 2 cats with us, but had to leave the horse behind.



Christi

Hi! I'm Krystina Bachmann and I'm from Missoula, Montana USA. I moved to Switzerland in 2011 and it was my first time living abroad. I have a daughter, Khloe and she's in Grade 2. I speak English and German. It's my second year on PA and it's been really fun meeting new people and helping plan fun activities and events for the kids and parents.



Krystina

Hi, I'm Michelle, a Swiss-American born in the US and raised in Zurich. I speak English, German, French, some Italian, Spanish, and Dutch. I have three children; Emily is in grade 11. This is my second round on the PA, as I ended my first when my son Timothy graduated in 2020. I love theater, baking and helping to organize fun events to strengthen our school community.



Michelle