

# →No.4 A EMAG Prague Newsletter

## 28 July – 1 August 2010



Saturday  
31 July 2010

*Have you seen it?*

*Tomorrow, you will find the solution.*

**Segway Tour LAST CHANCE!**  
Saturday 13-17:30, 270 min + visit to  
3 towers. It is two-wheeled, self-  
balancing electric vehicle.

Afterbus attendees meeting  
Saturday 17:40 no.219



### What is your opinion?

Zuzana Šimková asked EMAG participants:

**Beth Ann Demeter** from United States today very much valued information from the lecture To print or not to print given by the chief editor of Czech Mensa Journal Tomáš Kubeš. She experienced the night tour on the Old Town Brigde Tower She is very much looking forward to going to the Chocolate Museum.

**Lori Norris** from United States is attending EMAG with her husband **Ron** and she is taking part in LEP MI (Leadership Exchange Programme Mensa International), she also made speech on the Opening Session of EMAG. She liked the Czech food at Lokál restaurant very much, but especially the wonderful company of people she dined with. She is excited about the lecture Law and Film. She likes Prague very much, the only thing she complained about was long walking on the guided tours – like many others of you. Sorry, mates, we want you to make most of your time here and see as many sites as you can!! ☐

**Jan Fízel**, member of Mensa Slovakia so far liked the most lecture of Ranko Rajević on NTC System of Learning in the line of gifted children. He is looking forward to seeing Prague from top of Petřín Tower (also called little Eiffel).

**Other stories** – the orchestra at Magical Classic Concert in one of the oldest churches of Prague played virtuously and standing ovations!

Today, **Barry** talked to **Greg Kontz** in shooting marbles of Dickinson, North Dakota. \*How long have you been in Mensa? I joined in 1978 but let my membership lapse and re-joined in 2004 after my family grew up \*Why did you join? Out of curiosity, to see if I could. \*What does Mensa mean to you? A good conversation, shares ideas and I believe in that Mensan concept. The world would be a better place with a bit of thought in it. \*What should be the result of EMAG? The sharing of ideas. I've learnt a lot since I've been here. It's Greg and his wife Susan's first visit to Prague and EMAG. 'You hear 20 ideas and 3 work for you and you share 20 ideas and 3 work for them. The world is getting smaller all the time and there should be more co-operation internationally. The kids program in the Czech Republic is amazing. We could learn from that in the Sates' Greg has written workshops as a member of the Leadership Development Committee. 'Starting From Scratch'. \*As a last word he commented 'Dickinson has Czech, German, Ukrainian roots and an exchange program for students in 30 countries. It also has the lowest unemployment and crime figures in the States, we could learn something from that. Answers from **Silke** from Schleswig Holstein: \*How long have you been in Mensa? I joined at university in Kiel in 1999. \*Why did you join? A fellow student said you get good results in exams you should be ok getting into this. Went and took the exam to prove him wrong and failed! Now it's 11 years. \*What does Mensa mean to you?

Mensa World Championship got  
Saturday 13-18 p.m.!!

Interesting people and ideas. Contact with areas you don't have previous contact with. Always something to think about. \*Why did you come to EMAG? 2nd EMAG, my first was in Koln. But I used to spend a lot of time going to Swedish events.' Why Sweden I asked? 'I met someone there' said Silke.

*Don't forget. Get yourself in print, last chance Saturday! Barry*

*In brief:* EMAG participants appreciate our organization as Mr. Norbert Oberhoff said. He used the occasion to go to Prague, too. Doris Jost and her daughter like the possibility to meet new people in Mensa, it is useful especially when changing the job or getting retired. Doris decided to join Mensa after the game test in the TV and she sees now the explanation of her life.

### Poker Tournament-winners from the Sweden:



1. Karin Kaill
2. Dan Brigad
3. Leon Pavlov

### Do you know the Czech word krásný?

It means nice – and it is nice to use it :)

#### The Challenge for you!

Please, send a selection of your pictures from EMAG 2010 (or a link to your album) to

[tomas.kubes@mensa.cz](mailto:tomas.kubes@mensa.cz), they, will be greatly appreciated (at most 10 MB per email).

Please, send your stories and experiences from EMAG 2010 to [redakce@mensa.cz](mailto:redakce@mensa.cz), they will be greatly appreciated and printed in Czech or International Mensa Journal. THX!

Meeting Point: room no. 217

We are looking forward to your ideas, pictures...:)

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