

INTERSKOLA

Two Continents – Sharing Educational Expertise

2. - 5.8. 2010

Forssa /Finland

Sunday, August 1

- Arrival to Forssa and registration at Hotel Rantasipi (address Saarelankatu 12)
- Cold meal available after or before sauna

Monday, August 2

Gaining Educational Success – measurement and target setting

6.30-9.30 Breakfast

10.00 Welcome to Forssa

Mr. Jarmo Pynnönen, Head in Educational Sector

Music: Forssa Chamber Choir

10.30 Finland and good Pisa results

PhD Sari Sulkunen, University of Jyväskylä

11.15 Coffee break

11.30 Questions and Discussions

12.15 Lunch

13.15 Visions on Finnish Education

Principal Ari Pokka, President Finnish School Heads Association SURE-FIRE

14.00 Group Discussions

14.30 Resting etc.

17.00 Sightseeing tour around Forssa district

18.30 Reception at Town Hall

Welcome

Folk Dance Group Tahdittomat

Dinner

about 20.00 Sightseeing tour continues...

Tuesday, August 3

Media Education Day in Tampere

Early breakfast

7:40 Departure from Forssa to Tampere

9.00 Welcome and coffee at Sampo Upper Secondary School,
Principal Eija Tiisala-Heiskala

9.30–10.00 Media Education in Finland

Reijo Kupiainen, Researcher, PhD, Chair of Finnish Society on Media Education

10.00-10.15 Media Education - challenges and opportunities in schools

(from a teacher's point of view),

Outi Lepomäki, Coordinator of media studies

10.30 – 11.30 Media Education in practice – practical examples presented by the students

1) Turmelu – net magazine, Katariina Maksimoff

2) Videos, Riku Niemelä

3) Media diploma programme, Outi Lepomäki & Maiju Lepomäki

4) Mediaskooppi –network

5) AEC-NET – a project on Reality TV, Henniina Isoaho

12.30 – 14.00 Lunch, Finlayson Palace

14.15 - 16 Visit to YLE TV2 - Introduction to Public Broadcasting Service of YLE TV2,

Ilkka Saari, Channel Controller, TV2

16 - 17 Sightseeing tour in Tampere

17 – 18 Time for shopping

19- 23 Evening at a cottage by a lake in Valmarinniemi, Valkeakoski – sauna and swimming, and
after-sauna recreation.

Wednesday, August 4

Kenya Day

Breakfast

10.00 Video presentation : a Rural school of Anin and a small town school Cheplaskei

Mr. Jaakko Kuusinen and Mrs. Kaija Parko

10.15 A guide to the education system in Kenya; about local languages and the role of English in
education

Mrs. Cheryiot Jepkosgei

11.15 Coffee break

11.30 Sharing expertise: a project of IT co-operation and network between Forssa and some Kenyan schools

Director, PhD Pentti Aspila

Principal, PhD Simo Veistola

12.30 Lunch

13.30 Interskola in Kenya 2011

14.30 Resting, shopping, dating...

19.00 Banquet at Restaurant Forssan Klubi

Music, poetry, dancing

Thursday, August 5

Breakfast

8.15 Departure to Tuusula

10.00 Visit to Ainola, The Home Museum of Jean Sibelius

11.00 Visit to Halosenniemi, Widerness Studio of the painter Pekka Halonen

12.00 Light cold lunch at Music School of Tuusula

13.00 A Short Introduction to Art Education in Finland

Dr. Martti Hellström, Headmaster of Aurora School, Helsinki

13.30 Concluding Concert - Music by Finnish composers

Laura Vire, soprano

Maija Parko, piano

14.00 Farewell

15.00 Departure to Helsinki-Vantaa Airport