

German Exchange Program to Esslingen

We were in a one-week journey in Germany, in Esslingen in the end of October, 2014. We have visited many interesting places and saw a lot of monuments in Germany.

On Wednesday morning 20 students and 2 teachers were waiting at the train station in Eger, we were shivering and we were a bit nervous. We had a calm travel towards Vienna, where our train broke down, German drivers had a strike. Everybody was a little bit edgy and tired but in the end we arrived in Stuttgart. We left the station with our exchange student and we were looking forward to the meeting next day.



at the city-hall

On Thursday the Hungarian students went on an amazing sightseeing after a short salute. Then we had some free time, so we went shopping with our new friends. On Friday, we had a trip to Nördlingen. It is a small town, it was settled in a crater. After seeing the sights of Nördlingen we could decide what to do. Some of us went on a tour, others visited restaurants or cafés. At the weekend the families organized programmes for us. For example some of us went to the Zoo or to do the shopping, the others went to the car museums. There were

students who did activities together. Everybody enjoyed the precious time together. On the beginning of the next week, we visited Ulm , which is a beautiful, historical city. There we went up to the highest church tower in the world, where we could see wonderful view. Then we had a short meal in the town, because we had to arrive back to the Jubilee celebration. We listened to the two headmasters' speeches, and other German teachers. Some musicians made a performance and a German girl sang a Hungarian song (ByeAlex: Kedvesem). Finally we sang the song together with her, and it was really emotional. On the next day, we went to the Mörike Secondary School, made groups and did projects together. When we finished it we had a chance to go home and we started to put our stuffs into our luggages. When we returned to the school in the evening, a fantastic dinner with tasty swabian food was waiting for us. Later in that evening, we had to present our project work in front of each other. This program was very informal and we had really much fun. In the early morning of Wednesday we sadly said goodbye to our partners. Luckily we had calmer way back.

In conclusion, we had a very nice time together in Germany . Precious friendships were born on this week, and we can't wait the time, when our friends visit our country.

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