

## Committee Work

### Committee 1

The First committee is working on the topic « education, training and working ». Today, they established the four parts on which they are going to debate : quality of education, motivation for jobs, equal school systems and the Alp jobs. For instance, they talked about the first one, quality of education. The members of this first committee defined the problems linked to this notion and tried to find some solutions. They started to write a postulation about it.

about extra activities for young people and their possibilities in society. Then they have focused on culture and how can everyone have excess to it. Delegates were wondering how they can find a solution, which would provide easy excess to culture for every class. After that they talked about railway transportation systems in countries which are combined with Alps.

### Committee 3

Today, committee 3 worked on the link between energy and economy. Their principal idea is to change the behaviour of consumers in the society. They thought about several notions such as to shut down energy by increasing taxes for example

### Committee 2

The main topic of second committee is everyday life, so today, on first of April, they have discussed about possible solutions. Firstly they talked



during some days.

Cold fusion was of course at the center of the debate and they also thought about the subject of public transport and electric cars to ameliorate environmental conditions.

### Committee 4

The topic of « Active citizenship » has been given to the last committee. For this first day of the YPAC, the members talked about the political situation and the problems encountered by each country of the Alpine Convention.

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## Impressions



## Last evening: Group finding activities



Here we are, ready to start with this ninth edition of the YPAC, under the stunning white light of the Mont-Blanc! The opening ceremony inaugurates this year's session with great success.

Last evening, the arrival of the delegations at about 8 was a bit problematic at first, because of technical problems with the accommodation. A quick dinner and then... straight to the gym for the opening ceremony.

All the guys in their grey YPAC T-shirts were eager to start. To begin with, every delegation presented itself, highlighting its own traits. A few examples: the Slovenians talked about how small their town is, the Swiss described their country in two simple words, “cheese and chocolate”, the Italians warned not to be afraid of their behaviour... and so on with the other countries.

Then the personal presentations began: everyone had to shake hands with each other and introduce themselves. After a while the whole thing looked quite repetitive but very funny.

Afterward, some finding games were organized by the French pupils. After everyone found his balloon partner, we all had to form teams for the YPAC Olympics and to invent a name and a logo. This game really made the delegates get to know each other better.

And finally... dancing! YMCA became the YPAC song. Every delegation could express its own “great” dance ability! So the opening ceremony ended here in Chamonix, and we hope the YPAC will go on as greatly as it started.

## Dear readers



Dear readers, in the name of the press group I welcome you to this year's 9th session of the Alpine Convention in Chamonix, France. Surely you have already realized, that this first internal newspaper is not the usual version of the Flying Facts, which you probably know from further YPAC's. The press group created «The Chamonix Times» as a short «amuse-bouche» to inform you quickly about the work, which was done so far in the committees and about the most important events. With the official internal YPAC journal, the Flying Facts, which will be printed two times during the week, we would like to keep you informed about the work in the different groups of the YPAC, give a short summary of the day and last but not least to entertain all of us.

We wish you a beautiful and efficient day and hope you enjoy reading!  
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