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The association “**Forschungsforum junger Physiker**”,
the “**Montanuniversität Leoben**”
and the “**BG/BRG Leoben neu**”

have the honour to invite You to the

10th Austrian Young Physicists' Tournament
from Thursday, April 10th to Saturday, April
12th 2008

at the Montanuniversität Leoben

Franz Josef Street 18, 8700 Leoben

under the patronage of the
President of the Montanuniversität Leoben
His Magnificence Univ. Prof. DI Dr. Wolfhard Wegscheider

Organisation and Direction

Gerhard Haas (BG/BRG Leoben neu) – Leopold Mathelitsch (President of the AYPT)

Organizing Committee

Gerhard Haas, Georg Hofferek

Jury & Regulations

The jury consists of national and international experts in physics.
The official regulations of the AYPT can be found at the AYPT Website
<http://www.aypt.at/en/tournament/regulations/> .

Important Information for International Teams

Foreign teams must comply with the “Policy Regarding the Participation of International Teams in the AYPT”, which is attached to this document.

Registration Deadline: Friday, February 29th 2008

A registration-form is attached. It can be transmitted by e-mail, by fax or by mail to the below stated addresses of the organizing committee.

Registration fee: € 200 (Austrian teams), € 300 (international teams) per team. The organisation covers the costs for board and lodging for 5 team-members and 1 team-leader for the time of the tournament.

Further Information

Further information can be found on our website <http://www.aypt.at>. Questions of all kind can be emailed to info@aypt.at.

The problems for the 10th AYPT (<http://www.aypt.at/en/tournament/problems/>) as well as the official regulations (<http://www.aypt.at/en/tournament/regulations/>) for the AYPT are published on the website as well.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact:

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Chairman of the Organizing Committee

President of the AYPT

DI Mag. Dr. Gerhard Haas

Univ.Prof. Dr. Leopold Mathelitsch

Time Table

(preliminary)

Attention: This time table is tentative. It may be changed, if necessary. An up to date version can be found on our website.

Thursday, April 10th 2008

Arrival: The participants are accomodated in the Arcotel Hotel Kongress Leoben, Hauptplatz 1, 8700 Leoben, Telefon: +43 3842 468 00 – 0 and are asked to meet at the reception at 05:30pm.

06.00pm: Opening Ceremony and drawing lots in the Aula of the Montanuniversität Leoben.

Afterwards Dinner at the Arcotel.

Afterwards Meeting of Teamleaders

Friday, April 11th 2008

9:00am: 1st Round of the competition

01.00pm: Lunch

02.30pm: 2nd Round of the competition

06.30pm: Meeting of Organizing Committee and Teamleaders

07.00pm: Barbecue-party in the in the court of the BG/BRG Leoben neu

Saturday, April 12th 2008

09.00am: 3rd Round of the competition (teams may selected problem)

01.00pm: Lunch

02.00pm: Finals and closing ceremony

Departure

Due to a shortage of funds we are unable to extend the AYPT until Sunday as planned.

Registration Form

“10th Austrian Young Physicists’ Tournament” April 10th to April 12th 2008

School:

Teacher in charge:

Participating students:

Name	Male / Female	Form
Teamcaptain:		

I hereby register the above stated team for the 10th Austrian Young Physicists’ Tournament.

Note: The names of the participants can be changed until 2 weeks before the tournament, if necessary. Email changes to info@aypt.at.

Date:

Signature of the teacher in charge:

Please send this form **before Friday, 29th of February 2008** to

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Only those teams which transfer the registration fee to the account stated below before February 29th 2008 will be registered. The participation fee can only be (partially) refunded if the participation is cancelled until 2 weeks before the beginning of the tournament. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to charge a cancellation fee.

Bank Details:

„AYPT - Forschungsforum junger Physiker“
Name of Bank: Bank Austria – Creditanstalt
Account Number: 520 6929 9601
Bank Code: 12000
IBAN = AT36 1200 0520 6929 9601
BIC (SWIFT-Code) = BKAUATWW



The association AYPT – *Forschungsforum junger Physiker* hereby announces the following

Policy Regarding the Participation of International Teams in the Austrian Young Physicists' Tournament.

In its meeting on October 07th 2007 the Executive Committee of the aforementioned association has discussed the issue of international (= non-Austrian) teams participating in the Austrian Young Physicists' Tournament (hereafter referred to as "AYPT"). After careful consideration the Executive Committee has reached the following conclusions:

1. There is no intention to make the AYPT a rival to the International Young Physicists' Tournament (hereafter referred to as "IYPT"). The association clearly recognizes the IYPT as the international, world-championship tournament.
2. International (= non-Austrian) teams are invited to the AYPT for the following reasons:
 - a. Since Austria is a comparatively small country, the participation of international teams shall make the tournament bigger and therefore more interesting and challenging to the participants.
 - b. YPT associations of cooperating and befriended countries shall have the opportunity to send younger and less experienced teams than their national team (which is going to the IYPT) to an international competition, so that these students also get the benefit, reward and experience of participating in an international competition.
 - c. Countries, which have never participated in the IYPT or can, for some reasons (e.g. travel costs, visa problems), not participate in the IYPT in the respective year, shall be given the opportunity to participate in an international competition as well.
3. Teams which have already won a national pre-selection tournament in their respective country, or teams which have been selected to represent their country in the IYPT are not eligible for participating in the AYPT.
4. All international teams participating in the AYPT are requested to fully understand and acknowledge this policy.

This policy is in force effective immediately and until further notice. It has been established by the Executive Committee of the AYPT and may be changed only by the Executive Committee.



Vienna, October 07th 2007

(Leopold Mathelitsch,

President AYPT – *Forschungsforum junger Physiker*)