

We have launched our new LPC Inc. website! Check it for news and photos:

LPCInc.org

LPC•WORLD•18 GATHERING

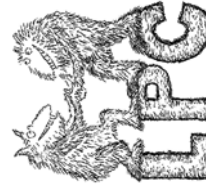
July 5-8, 2018 at the
Ecole d'Humanité,
Goldern, Switzerland

Come and celebrate **LPC's 70th birthday** next summer! At the age that most people retire, LPC is still going strong and bursting with life! All LPCers, young and old, are welcome – their friends and families too.

The program will include new and traditional LPC activities (get out your dancing shoes), and opportunities to have fun, reconnect with old friends, and make new ones.

(Note: anyone under 18 must attend with a parent or adult who will assume responsibility for him/her.)

Details (including a **registration form**) can be found at luethipetersoncamps.org/world-gathering-2018/



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Welcome to our first **Spring Newsletter**, from
LPC Incorporated!

On May 13th the LPC Board held their Annual Meeting in the Varnum Memorial Armory in East Greenwich, RI. Afterwards they hosted a social time for the LPC community and friends, including a pot luck and folk dancing. About thirty people attended, some coming from long distances (see photos).

It was great to catch up with old friends and welcome newer people. Some took a fascinating tour of the historic building. At one point we figured out that more than half the people there had some connection to the Ecole d'Humanité! The Board plans to make this an annual event.



LPC Refugee Project Camp Update

Thanks to so many people's generosity, this exciting camp will take place in summer 2017 at a beautiful site, "Rosalupi", near Pisa in Italy. More information about the project, and an inspiring Rosalupi Spring newsletter update, can be found at: luethipetersoncamps.org/refugee-project

A big THANK YOU to our pre-camp host families!

We are happy to report that a group of families in RI, MA, and ME will be hosting eleven international campers for a few days before they head off to Birch Point and Freedom. If you are interested in hosting a camper in future years, please contact the Board at Board@LPCInc.org.

Camps that will be held in 2017:

For younger campers:

- **Freedom**, New Hampshire, USA – Katie Dunbar (UK)
- **Kiidi**, Estonia – Ylva Skondal (Sweden)

For older campers:

- **Birch Point**, Maine, USA – Tom Kasebacher (Austria)
- **Klino**, Czech Republic – Aina Bisquerra (Spain) / Jason Cyrus (UK)
- **Hegnes**, Norway – Paula Vestlund (Sweden) / Colin Townes-Anderson (US)
- **Hensford** Farm, Devon, UK – Joe Shields (UK) / Phil Oechsli (US)

Calling for Tents!

This year the Freedom house needs a few new tents. Many of the current ones have irreparable zippers, holes, missing rain flies, numerous broken poles, etc. and we are hoping to buy 3-4 new tents for this summer and many, many future camps.

The tents are on our Freedom house Amazon wish list: <http://tinyurl.com/freedomwishlist>

If a single tent is too much (we know it's a lot!), please feel free to donate to the LPC Board with the message "For Tents" to contribute to our Tent Fund.

You can donate on our website at LPCInc.org/donations

The first **Freedom Fun Weekend** will happen August 25-27, 2017. Think Work Weekend without the work! Meals and beds will be provided, along with some LPC activities (singing, folk dancing, and an optional hike). The rest of the time you can enjoy the beauty and peace of the area. See more information, about cost, signing up and other details, at: LPCInc.org/events



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