

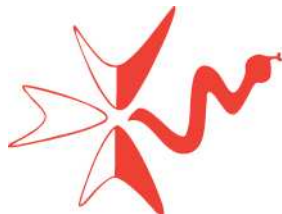
### MMSA Event Report Form

Please fill in this form after each and every MMSA activity (including meetings).

Save as **pdf** once you finish compiling the report and save it in the Event Report **Dropbox** folder of the corresponding Standing Committee, Team or EB Post. Also send the pdf to the Vice president for internal affairs and PREO- outgoings for processing.

<b>Standing Committee</b>	SCOPET
<b>Activity</b>	Sessions at St. Joseph Summer Club:  -Hygiene -Nutrition -Anti-Bullying -Human Rights -Beat the Burn
<b>Date (dd/mm/yy)</b>	22/08/13
<b>Location (eg. school/ sixth form/ university)</b>	St. Joseph Summer Club, Paola
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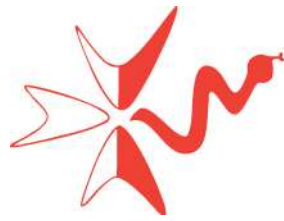
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<b>MMSA members attending</b>	Francesca Curmi Martina Gerada Anna Micallef Neil Grech Timmy Paris Mark Sammut Michelle Boffa Rebecca Stoner Karl Bonello
<b>Brief description of activity, and link to MMSA's aims</b>	The aim of this activity was to exploit peer education so as to promote safety on the beach during our Beat the Burn sessions; proper oral and hand hygiene; emphasise the negative impact of bullying; introduce healthy eating habits and the importance of nutrition and finally to give children an overview of the meaning and history of human rights.
<b>Materials required by school/ sixth form/ university</b>	n/a
<b>Materials brought by MMSA</b>	Laptops Powerpoint presentations Videos Toothbrush for oral hygiene Beach bag containing sunglasses, hat, sunscreen etc Stationery - markers, pens Charts Balls, containers, glitter, hand lotion for hand washing activity Pictures of different types of food taken from magazines
<b>Materials distributed by MMSA</b>	n/a
<b>Preparation involved</b>	James Mario Gauci contacted Jacqueline Vanhear and took care of the planning. Martina Gerada sent a call on the SCOPET Google group and this was forwarded on the SCOPH server. Martina Gerada also set up a Doodle Poll. Francesca Curmi contacted those who filled in the Doodle Poll on



	<p><i>Facebook</i> and asked the MMSA members to contact her if they had any preferences. Francesca Curmi then constructed a timetable, assigning the presentations to the MMSA members who applied and sticking to their preferences when possible.</p> <p>It is important to note that initially the sessions were planned to take place on two separate dates: August 22<sup>nd</sup> and August 27<sup>th</sup>. However, 2 days before the event the co-ordinator of the summer school contacted the SCOPET team to inform us that she wanted the sessions to take place on 1 day only: August 22<sup>nd</sup>. This was quite disappointing since the timetable that Francesca Curmi took care of was rendered useless due to clashes. Some of the MMSA members who applied for the 27<sup>th</sup> August could not make it on the 22<sup>nd</sup>. To top it all, the contact person yet again changed the timetable on the eve of the event and even on the day. However, because of efficient communication between the MMSA members, panic was kept to a minimum to ensure the success of the event. In fact, the day before the event Francesca Curmi sent an e-mail explaining the changes in the timetable she had just got to know about and e-mailed the members sending them the relevant powerpoints and Youtube links.</p> <p>Francesca Curmi took care of buying the stationery required for the sessions and brought containers and hand lotion for the hand washing activity.</p> <p>Anna Micallef took care of the Human Rights powerpoint and downloaded relevant media from Youtube. Anna Micallef also modified the Anti-Bullying Presentation and devised a script. She sent it to the MMSA members via <i>Facebook</i> who were meant to give the session.</p>
<p><b>Event Quality</b></p>	<p>As was already mentioned, when the MMSA members arrived they got to know that the timetable was again changed so they had to adapt accordingly. Although this led to a slight feeling of confusion at first, the members co-operated wonderfully. Some members ended up giving sessions they were not prepared for. However, the event was still a successful one. This point may spur one to appreciate the importance of being flexible when faced with SCOPET sessions. It also gives food for thought as regards the collaboration of the contact persons taking care of the school sessions. Some teachers and heads of schools apparently fail to appreciate the amount of preparation that needs to be put into the scheduling of presentations and sessions, particularly when multiple medical students are meant to give various sessions.</p>





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The day started with Beat the Burn sessions from 09:00-09:45. Three of these were given by Rebecca Stoner and Michelle Boffa; Francesca Curmi, Mark Sammut, Karl Bonello and Anna Micallef; and Martina Gerada respectively. During these sessions the young students were eager to share their views on beach safety with the MMSA members. They were particularly excited when it came to the "beach bag" exercise so much so that they were almost fighting for their turn.


From 09:45-10:30, sessions on hygiene and anti-bullying were given. Anna Micallef, Karl Bonello and Francesca Curmi gave the session on Hygiene. The children were eager to listen to the MMSA members' advice and were also interested in the video "Washy washy clean." They also had fun during the hand washing activity and were well-behaved despite their age. Neil Grech, Martina Gerada and Timmy Paris gave a session on anti-bullying. Likewise, Mark Sammut and Michelle Boffa simultaneously gave an anti-bullying session. During these two sessions the students actively participated. They had a lot of experiences to share and a lot of views to express since the children themselves experienced bullying.

After a short break, a nutrition session was given from 11:00 - 11:45 by Francesca Curmi, Michelle Boffa, Mark Sammut, Rebecca Stoner, Anna Micallef and Karl Bonello. Although five people giving one session may seem like a tad too much, this was necessary since the session was given to a big group of children some of whom were quite difficult to control because of their young age. Nevertheless, some of the listeners definitely grasped important concepts about nutrition. During the same time period, Martina Gerada, Neil Grech and Timmy Paris gave another session on anti-bullying, the feedback about which was highly positive.

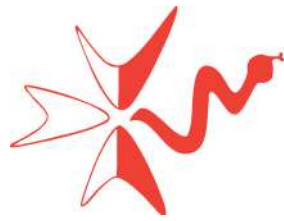
Finally, from 11:45-12:30, Martina Gerada and Francesca Curmi gave a session on hygiene and the children were very responsive to what they had to say. Rebecca Stoner and Karl Bonello gave a session on Human Rights. During this presentation the children were very attentive and participated. Anna Micallef also gave a session on Human Rights but to younger children. This was a bit of a surprise since the teacher had told us that the human rights sessions were meant for 12-13 year olds. When the powerpoint presentation was being planned solely this age group was kept in mind. Consequently, Anna Micallef struggled with her listeners since they were not aware of the Second World War and Hitler or concepts such as equality, freedom and dignity even though she tried to simplify what was on the powerpoint as much as possible. Thus, this last session was not





	as successful as one would have hoped but from the SCOPET team's side there was nothing more that could have been done.
<b>Comments/ Feedback / Outcome (+ve / -ve)</b>	The teachers and co-ordinators of the summer school seemed to be extremely pleased with our efforts and claimed that they found the presentation to be highly interesting. Most of the students seemed to be having fun during the session. Perhaps feedback would have been more positive if the original schedule, timetable and age groups were maintained.
<b>Possibility of future activity at same location/same liaison</b>	Since this is a school that seems to welcome peer education sessions with open arms, there is a high possibility that a similar activity will be organised at the same location in the future.
<b>Media - Mentions, Press Releases, TV appearances, Radio appearance</b>	The event was promoted on <i>Facebook</i> and photos were uploaded.
<b>Photos</b>	

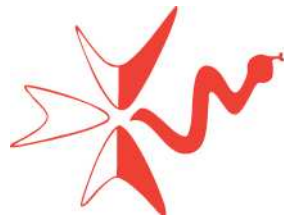




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<b>Social Network Event</b>	N/A
<b>Minutes of Meeting</b>	N/A

