

Reminder: European 24+ Matching Support Workshop for 2nd Generation

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When: 26th – 29th September

Where: Prasnik-Dubrava Resort, Slovakia

We want to warmly invite you to the upcoming European 24+ Matching Support Workshop. The workshop is designed for 2nd Generation and Jacob Children who are at least 24 years old and their parents. It is tailored to the needs of young adults in this age group who would like to be matched and blessed.

[Invitation to 24+ Matching Support Workshop](#)

There will be separate programmes for parents and young people, which will be a mixture of talks and activities to enable people to get to know each other in a supportive environment. There will also be opportunities to receive support in using the website and developing your blessing profile, and time to discuss personal situations with members of staff on a one-to-one basis. There will be matching supporters, BFD and ESGD staff available for personal talks and consultations.

[Register Here](#)

Workshop Details:

Invited are: All Second Generation and Jacob Children over 24 years of age, and their parents

Arrival: by 18:30 on 26th September (Thursday) to Prasnik-Dubrava Resort or by 17:30 to Bratislava Airport in case you take a private coach

Departure: after 12:30 on 29th September (Sunday) from Prasnik-Dubrava Resort

Please plan your departure from Bratislava Airport after 16:00 and from Vienna Airport after 17:30 on 29th September

Address: [Prasnik-Dubrava Resort](#), 922 11 Prasnik District Piestany, Slovakia

WS fee:

Early bird – 115 EUR per person (if you register by 1st August)

Regular – 130 EUR per person

Registration: Deadline for [registration](#) is 31st August

Transport: (please find detailed information in the memo above)

If you need more information about the Blessing application process or about the European Blessed Family and Education Department, please visit their [website](#). There you will find all forms required for administration and contact information of support team. For all those who had attended a Blessing preparation workshop more than 2 years ago, this 24+ Matching Support WS will be counted as a renewal.

European 24+ Matching Support WS is organized and will be directed by the ESGD and the BFD staff.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact the ESGD at blessing@esgd.org.

European 24+ Matching Support WS for Second Generation

The workshop designed for Matching candidates and their parents

26th – 29th September 2019, Prasnik, Slovakia

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European 24+ Matching Support WS – key information

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Place: Prasnik-Dubrava resort <http://rekreacnestrediska.sk/rz-prasnik-dubrava/>
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Regular 130 EUR per person

Registration: Register the latest **by the 31st August** online at <https://esgdmedia.org/registration/>

Local transport: We plan to organize a private coach (bus) from Bratislava airport to the WS venue for arrivals and then from the WS venue to the airport for departures (additional charge of 20 EUR for return trip will apply). If you would like to travel with the coach please indicate when registering for the workshop.

Otherwise we can arrange pick up from Prasnik bus station. You can find more details at the end of the letter.

When making your travel-plans note that Vienna airport is only 90 minutes away from Bratislava airport. There is regular bus connection between Vienna airport and Bratislava airport.

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Yours Sincerely,

Orlande Schenk and Martin Alexy

On behalf of *European Second Generation Blessing Department and European Blessed Family Department*

Travel information

1. Private coach from (and to) Bratislava airport

We plan to organize a private coach (bus) for those who wish to take it. It is the most convenient way how to come to the WS place unless you travel with your car or with a taxi. On 26 September (arrival day) the coach will leave from Bratislava airport at 17:30. Therefore you need to plan your arrival to the Bratislava airport early enough. The drive to the WS venue takes about 60 min. On 29 September (departure day) the coach will leave at 12:30 from the WS venue (Prasnik-Dubrava resort). The drive to the airport takes about 60 min. Therefore, you need to plan your flight from Bratislava airport after 16:30 on 29 September. You will be kindly asked to pay 20 EUR for the return trip with a private coach. You need to register for the coach latest by 5 September.

2. Travel by car

If you travel by car, please arrive between 17:00-18:30 on 26 September to the Prasnik-Dubrava resort <http://rekreacnestrediska.sk/rz-prasnik-dubrava/> Address: Prasnik-Dubrava resort, 922 11 Prasnik district Piestany, Slovakia. [Google maps view](#)

3. Travel by local public transport

We can provide pick-up from *Prasnik bus stop*. Connection to *Prasnik* is by bus (Slovak Lines) from *Piestany city*. Note that the bus station in *Piestany city* is next to the train station. You can check your bus connection at www.cp.sk (select English language at the bottom right corner of the homepage). However, we recommend you to take a private coach from Bratislava airport which is certainly more convenient and much easier.



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* Required

Email address *

Your email

Given name *

Your answer

Family name *

Your answer

Gender *

Male

Female

Day of birth *

Date

Country of residence *

Your answer

Private coach (bus) from and to Bratislava Airport *

We are arranging a private coach (bus) from Bratislava airport to the WS venue and back. On 26 September (ARRIVAL DAY) the coach will leave from Bratislava airport at 17:30. On 29 September (DEPARTURE DAY) the coach will leave at 12:30 from the WS venue (Prasnik-Dubrava Resort). Estimated travel time is 60 minutes. You will be kindly asked to pay 20 EUR for the return trip with a private coach. Places will be given on first-come first-served basis. If you do not know at this point, please contact us the latest by 5 September.

- Yes (binding reservation)
- No
- I will contact you by 5 September about it, I do not know yet

Phone number

Your answer

Food restriction

We will do our best to provide meal alternatives for people with food restrictions, but we cannot guarantee to meet all required dietary restrictions.

Your answer

Comments

Your answer

A copy of your responses will be emailed to the address you provided.

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