We are now happy to send out the final invitation to the Blissymbolics International Panel meeting 2013 and welcome everybody interested in developing the Blissymbolics Authorized Vocabulary. We all know the importance of a wide international participation at these meetings to keep the international agreements high in formation of the Blisswords.

As always we look forward to a productive meeting and hope you will be able to come.

Annemie van Roy and the Belgian group will host the meeting. The meeting place is Domein Hooidonck Zandhoven. The whole meeting area is fully accessible.

At these IP meetings we want to work on missing Bliss-words which are in demand from persons using Bliss. On our lists of desired Bliss-words for the 2013 meeting are animals and nature, more body parts and diseases, persons and relations, modern IT, and requests on specific Bliss-words in Bliss on Line and also some Bliss-words for different kinds of bread. Please, if you have other missing Bliss-words in mind, send your request as soon as possible to BDS, margareta.jennische@neuro.uu.se. We will also spend some time discussing the growing Unicode font.

During this meeting we will try an alternative meeting procedure. We will work on themes in small groups and report results step by step to the full panel for acceptance. We hope that we will gain time and be more efficient in this way and also make it easier for everyone to participate in the discussions. We will as before also have a Canadian group working with us reporting on Skype during the meeting. Are there other international groups who would like to participate at a distance? Please tell. More information will be sent out to the participants before the meeting.

Don’t hesitate to join the meeting also if you haven’t attended a meeting before.

Most Welcome!

Margareta Jennische
Chair of BDS

Uppsala, Sweden 2013-05-30
Preliminary program

Oct 17th Thursday
13.00  Get together at Domein Hooidonck
14.00  Start of vocabulary development
15.30  Get the rooms
16.00  Cont. voc. development until dinner time

Oct 18th Friday
Full day Vocabulary development
    with breaks for coffee and lunch.

Oct 19th Saturday
am   Cont. voc. development
pm   BCI organization update

Oct 20th Sunday
am   Cont.Vocabulary development
pm   Cont.Vocabulary development
16.00 Meet Bliss-users and together
     with them visit an old mill.

Oct 21st Monday
(leave rooms before 10.00)
am   cont.Vocabulary development
pm   until 15.00, end of meeting

Travel information:
There are direct trains from Brussels Zaventem airport to Antwerp and from there, Annemie or taxi
will help with transportation to Zandhoven.

Costs:
Accommodation and all meals is 75 Euros/night+day thus 4 x75 = 300 Euros
Early arrivers can have lunch on Thursday, extra 18 Euros.
If you leave late on Monday or stay another night, you can have dinner on Monday, extra 18 Euros
The number of beds are limited to 24. For additional participants rooms will be arranged at hotels
in a close village.
Conference fee 10 Euros/day. (5 days x 10 Euros = 50 Euros)

The total accommodation + conference fee will be payed before Oct 10th to the account:
VZW Bliss-symbolen Beukenlaan 54 9051 Gent
IBAN BE 12 7370 3431 3892
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Application for the meeting will be e-mailed to Margareta.jennische@neuro.uu.se
before Sept. 1st to ensure that we get the conference venue.

A few weeks before the meeting you will get vocabulary of the different themes which will be
worked on during the meeting. The more you have time to prepare ideas - the better!

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