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**To all group leaders
with the request to forward to all participants!**

Here is the latest **IMPORTANT INFORMATION** about the **Samba-Festival 2024**

Dear group leaders, dear sambistas, dear bateristas,
here you will find the latest information for the 2024 Samba Festival in Coburg:

1. Accommodation & artist wristbands

The loading and unloading of the buses must take place via "Seidmannsdorferstraße" and "Hinteren Glockenberg", as the direct access to the high schools is too narrow for coaches!

After your arrival, please report to the new cafeteria **at the Ernestinum Gymnasium from 2 p.m.** There you will receive your artist wristbands as well as food chips worth €6.00, samba buttons for the whole group and the latest information. If possible, only 1-2 authorized people should collect the wristbands. If the group leader (from the registration form) cannot collect the wristbands themselves, please provide a short **written authorization** from the person who will collect them. **Please note: The classrooms/gyms can be occupied from 3 p.m. at the earliest!**

Please remember to bring your **own breakfast dishes, air mattress and sleeping bag! There are no rental air mattresses available!**

The catering is organized as in 2023! Each group receives 3 food chips worth €6.00 per registered participant. These can be exchanged at all food stands on the festival grounds (Schlossplatz, Hofgarten, Marktplatz, Albertsplatz and Spitalgasse).

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This year you will find the supply tent (“**Versorgungszelt**”) in the courtyard of Ehrenburg Castle. We have set up a quiet zone for you there - free drinks included. You can eat food bought at the stands here in peace and quiet.

The breakfast buffet (7:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.) is located in the new cafeteria of the Ernestinum. Bags, thermos flasks or other large items for carrying food are not permitted out of respect for the participants coming after you - checks will take place.

Flammable items (such as fuel containers, transformers, grills, etc.) are prohibited on any school premises.

Bus shuttles - "The Samba Bus" will also be available on this one. Notices are posted at every school.

2. Early arrival on Friday

For all those who arrive on the Friday before check-in at the schools, i.e. between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.: We will support your meal with €5 per registered person in the Hartmann's restaurant, Karchestraße 2, Coburg.

3. No stage at Prinzengarten

As in 2023, there will be NO stage or play area in the Prinzengarten this year! Instead, the new play area is outside, in front of the VR-Bank at the Theaterplatz/bus station. Please post “**Play area VR-Bank**”!

4. Parade

As in 2023, there will be NO big parade on Sunday. Instead, we will call a small parade on Sunday with a few samba schools the "Samba Parade". Sunday is again a colorful family day with many highlights.

And don't forget: Sunday, at 11.30 a.m. in front of the Schlossplatz stage: "**Drums for Peace!**"

5. Information stand & CDs

If you want to sell your own CDs, please bring them to the information stand at Schlossplatz/Theaterplatz. We will be happy to sell them for you there.

This year's service stand at the festival:

KALANGO (www.kalango.com/de), at the well-known stand at Schlossplatz/Ehrenburg in front of the supply tent.





6. Tents/caravans

Please **do not camp in the playground of Alexandrinum and Ernestinum or the CO I!** Individual camping is permitted in designated areas at the Pestalozzi School and the Rückert School.

If you would like **to camp** or are coming with a **camper van**, please register directly on our homepage for the campsite/parking space on the Coburger Turnerschaft sports grounds:
<https://www.samba-festival.de/zeltplaetze/> or <https://www.samba-festival.de/wohnmobilplaetze/>

7. Baggage

IMPORTANT: Your luggage must be removed from the classrooms and gymnasiums **by 12 noon on Sunday**. You can leave it in the **old Ernestinum break hall by 3 p.m. at the latest**. There is also the option of leaving your luggage in the **supply tent in the courtyard of Ehrenburg Castle** or in the Angerhalle (Karchestr. 2). Please also inform your bus driver about this.

8. Free drumming

This year we will also provide you with numerous stages, playing areas and special activities such as “Rhythm for peace” or “samba-session”.

That's why we ask you to deal responsibly with free drumming in the city!

You will receive the **most current performance schedule** on Friday, **July 12, 2024**, when you pick up your documents.

After the end of the stage, it is no longer allowed to play in the streets. This is a requirement of the public order office of the city of Coburg and must be strictly adhered to! In principle, it is only allowed to play in the event zones!

9. Parking Fees

For understandable reasons, Sambaco cannot cover parking fees for group members.

10. Workshops and competitions

Please take part in the “Pitú-Rainha da Bateria” and “Capoeira Rei” competitions and in the workshops. You can find information and registration forms on our website www.samba-festival.de/samba-2024/workshops.

Please pass the information on to all group members!!!

We wish you all a great Samba-Festival 2024 in Coburg!

Rolf, Irene, Nini, Lotty and the whole Samba Team

