



# MIT Club of Switzerland

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Newsletter October 2006

## **Dear Members of our MIT Club of Switzerland**

The club has experienced many successful and enjoying activities this year, and we are already busy planning the upcoming events and services.

### **Past Event: A wonderful hike in the pre-alps**

When you read the attached hike report, I am sure you will either start planning your own hike tour immediately or at least you will become hungry. It was a good outdoor day with lots of smiling faces. See the attached report which has been written by Martin Hahn. Many thanks.

### **Upcoming event: Visit to CERN on Nov 18**

For the upcoming visit to CERN we already have more than 20 subscriptions and therefore reached the maximum participant level. Jean-Pierre Revol, our Club member and senior CERN staff, is about to organize and finalize the details of the tour. Many thanks to his great effort and we are all looking forward to a day digging deep into the secrets of particle physics, discovering the forces that created our world and are holding it together.

### **Activities in 2007**

We are already thinking about what could be fun and interesting for the club to do in 2007. And here we need your help: Please let us know if you have a good idea for an event, and if you would also be willing to help with the organization.

We are also considering organizing a ski-weekend. Please let me know (quick email) if this idea would be – in general - of interest to you. If we have enough interest we will go ahead with planning.

### **Website**

Our Website is regularly updated thanks to our webmaster Alysa Kodisch, and she is striving to continually improve this news platform. You may also take a look at the pictures which document our activities. If you have other interesting photos or news that is linked to our club, please send an email to Alysa. <http://alumweb.mit.edu/clubs/switzerland/default.htm>

### **Reminder for dues 2006**

Many members already paid their dues for 2006, and we wish to thank them for their contribution and for staying with the Club. For those who did not yet had the chance to pay dues, please do so as soon as possible with the payment slip you received in the last newsletter, or electronically (CHF 50 is the regular fee). Thank you.

Electronic payment information:

BIC: UBSWCHZH80A  
IBAN CH80 0025 0250 7003 0140 Q

Or:

BLZ: 250  
Acct. Nr: 250-700301.40Q

### **Email address update**



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More and more email is the preferred way of communication. For short-term information, reminders or short announcements we will use email. Therefore, please make sure your email address in the MIT database is up to date (<http://alum.mit.edu/index.html>).

I would like to thank everybody who contributed to the ongoing success of our Club. If you did not have the chance to being an “active” club member, give it a try. It is worth it. Looking forward seeing you at our next gathering.

All the best

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Donald Tillman".

Donald Tillman, President

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Enclosures: Report of hike event

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