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Board meetings held during the year

Board meetings (July 2022 - June 2023)

- 15 August 2022 (remote)
- 14 November 2022 (remote)
- 22 February 2023 (remote)

Annual branch meetings

Annual general meeting held on April 28, 2023 in Tallinn attended by 11 institutional members (25 people).

Branch membership figures

Total number of members: 12 (previous year 13)

Institutional members: 11 (unchanged)

Individual member: 1 (previous year 2)

Branch activities

2022 two-day autumn seminar was held in Viljandi on September 16-17. The topic was traditional music - preserving roots and keeping tradition alive. The programme included excursions to the Traditional Music Centre, the Culture Academy and the Music School, a workshop on playing jew's harp, instructed by the excellent jew's harp and also bagpipe player Cätlin Mägi, and a lecture-concert on traditional wind instruments, presented by the outstanding musician, teacher and wind instrument maker Juhan Suits.

2023 spring training course was held at the Tallinn Music and Ballet School MUBA on April 28. In addition to the guided tour in the new building, a lecture titled "From body language to dance" by Teet Kask, the renowned choreographer and creative director of ballet at MUBA, was given.

Branch website

<https://www.luts.ee/emky/>

Branch educational activity

On June 8, 2023, an online training course on RDA cataloguing for music librarians was given by Rena Tüür and Heidi Heinmaa (National Library of Estonia).

RILM and RISM contributions

RILM contributors are Maarja Leemet (Estonian Academy of Music and Theatre) and Heidi Heinmaa (National Library of Music).