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Helping Young People Make Friends Around The World

(NAPSA)—The latest twist on an old-fashioned pastime is helping young people make friends around the world.

Long before the invention of e-mail and the Internet, pen-pal clubs helped people communicate and learn about life in other countries.

Now, an effort that began five years ago as an agency for “brokering” pen-friendships between German and British teenagers has become a global network with more than a quarter of a million members.

Called Letternet, the organization arranges worldwide pen-friendships and promotes the intercultural exchange between young people. From Africa to America, Australia via Asia to Europe, young people in 100 countries maintain contact through this organization. They make friends while improving their language skills.

To make sure that Letternet-ties—the name for members of the international club—are never short of something to write about, the international club publishes the magazine *Lettermag*.

The magazine is published quarterly and features current topics on letter-writing alongside news and trends related to music, sports and lifestyle—in English and German. Young people who want to join can visit the Web site at www.letternet.de, where they will find tips and information on the international pen-pal club.



A pen-pal club active in 100 countries is helping young people make friends and practice their language skills.

So far, more than 20,000 young people all across America have discovered the joys of letter writing while making international pen pals and learning about the world.

There is no charge to become a club member and all club members receive *Lettermag* free of charge. *Lettermag* is bilingual (German and English) and comes out four times a year.

The pen-pal club is a project of Deutsche Post World Net. With its brands Deutsche Post, DHL, Danzas and Postbank, it is one of the largest high-performing logistics companies in the world. The group offers integrated solutions for domestic and international customers, including worldwide mail, parcel, express and logistics services alongside a wide range of financial services.

To learn more, visit the Web site at www.dpwn.com.