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## HAPPY VAPPU! By JUHA-MATTI HUUSKO

This newspaper is highly experimental. It has been brought to you by UEFDSA (University of Eastern Finland Doctoral Student Association).

UEFDSA has a new active board for year 2019. Its members are arranging many activities. The treasurer thought to greet you during the largest student event of Finland: Vappu.

English Wikipedia knows Vappu as International Workers' Day.

The main thing of the Vappu celebration is that the summer is coming and the weather finally allows us to comfortably hang outside. Even though winter can still surprise us, the snow is almost gone.

There are many activities on 30.4. and 1.5. Student union's list is available at the web page

https://www.isyy.fi/en/
recreation/events/vappu.html

### **ETEX**and TikZ

Researchers working with math and physics write their results usually by LATEX, which allows easy typesetting of formulas. Enthusiasts want to write everything by LATEX and have created many templates, also this one for newspapers.

LATEX can also produce images. Take a look on

• TikZ-manual:

https://tinyurl.com/b8x43v2

• TikZ-figures:

http://integraali.com/figure/
figure.html

Also many software can output TikZcode, for example GeoGebra. • Some GeoGebra-figures: A PhD in mathemat-

http://integraali.com/geogebra/
geogebra.html

#### Easy linguistics

When trying to learn something new, it is useful to relate the study materials to knowledge which already resides in the brain. Best connections are either logical or fun.

For example, the word *lato* means *summer* in Polish and *storagehouse* in Finnish. Moreover, students living in Latolankatu, Joensuu, can easily grasp this word

Word of the day:

சிவப்பு

= sivappu

= red (Tamil)

Vappu

= May 1st (Finnish)

More about funny coincidences in Finnish and Bengali:

https://imgur.com/a/cCMCq

#### **Introducing board members**

Juha-Matti is the treasurer of UEFDSA. He keeps eye on the associ-

ation's bank account and financial matters. A PhD in mathematics can help with the numbers, but it would also be great not to lose any re-



ceipts... Juha-Matti also manages our web pages, which you can find at https://www.uef.fi/fi/web/dsa

#### Comments by SMS

Whoever took my bed sheets from the drying room in Peltolankatu 5B, return them ASAP.

I am watching you

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