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Annual General Meeting

May 15, 2026

Residence of the Belgian
Ambassador, Singapore

Agenda

- Quorum & Legal Comments Related to Registry of Societies (SG)
- Approval Minutes AGM 2025
- Recap activity year
- Activity Year 2025-26 in facts & figures
- Treasurer Report
- Election of the New Committee
- Closing Remarks - The New President



Quorum & Legal Obligations

- Quorum = 20
 - Members in attendance
 - Members voting by proxy
- ROS (Registry of Societies) Legal Obligations:
 - BLAS is a recognized non-profit organization under Singapore Law.
 - There are a set of clearly defined obligations we have to comply with.
 - This meeting is one of them.



BLAS - ROS Details

No	Society Name ↑	Society Last Known Name ↓	UEN ↓	Society's Registered Address ↓	Registration Date ↓
1	Belgian and Luxembourg Association of Singapore (BLAS), The	Belgian and Luxemburg Association of Singapore (BLAS), The	S85SS0051H	4 PANDAN VALLEY, #02-411 PANDAN VALLEY, EUGENIA COURT, Singapore 597628	04/07/1985



Approval Minutes AGM 2025



Strategy and objectives set for 2025-2026 activity year

- Increase attendance
- More variety of activities
- Listen more to our members
- Ensure new people feel welcome
- Focus on creating memories and friendships
- Collaborate and team up with BLCC
- Improve financials



Recap July



New Logo



New flyer



Whatsapp community

Recap August

WE walk
Sentosa sailing
Nova rooftop



Recap September

Mussels @HC

G2G Cricket club

Virtual Reality game



Recap October

Newcomers@residency

Café Belge friterie Monthly walk



Recap November

**Saint Nicholas
Guide tour Chinatown
Mc Ritchie walk**



Recap December



**Walk to Tanjong Beach
Café Belge Hot dog**



Recap January

**Changi Terminal 5
New Year's reception
with BLCC
Pancake event at HIS**



Recap February

Café Belge BBQ
Lazarus Island
weekend walk
Peranakans Joo
Chiat



Recap March

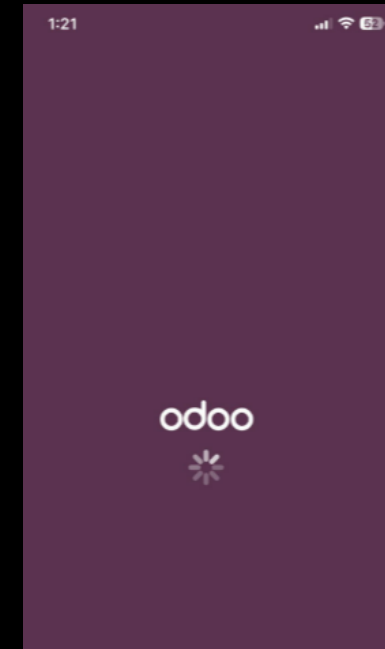
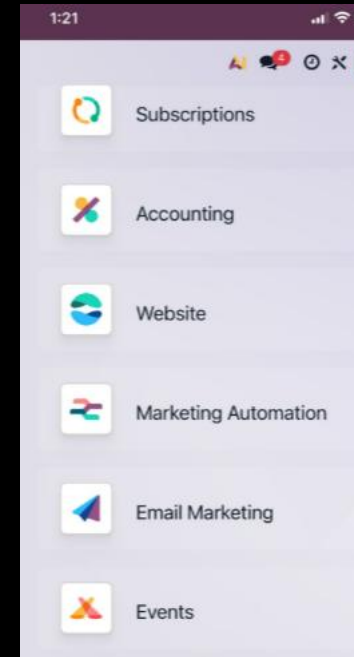
Surprise dinner
Pulau Ubin
BELGIAN QUIZ NIGHT



Recap April

Café Belge vol-au-vent
Hyundai innovation center
Pasir Ris Walk





Recap May

Sailing Sentosa with BBQ
Odoo go-live with <https://www.blas.org.sg>
AGM 2026 (today)

Activity Year 2025-26 in facts & figures

Events

33(*) events - 914 registrations

() +38 weekly walks*

BLAS Events reach :

174 members (incl. kids)

200+ guests registered

Communication :

220 WhatsApp community members

690 emails, with opening rate around 50%



Activity Year 2025-26 in facts & figures

Events

French Club de lecture very active

**Active and increased attendance of
French compatriots**

**Return of some lost members and
long-term residents**

**Increased attendance of cafe
Belges**



Activity Year 2025-26 in facts & figures

Events



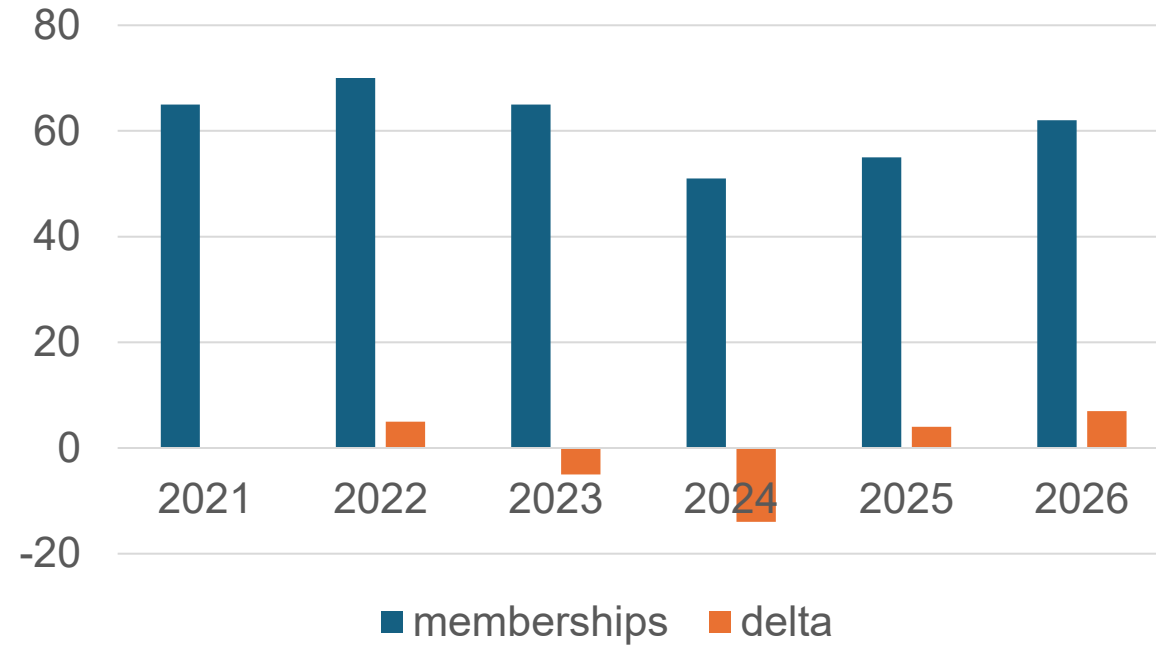
Events with highest amount of registrations Y2025-26	Date	Total reg.
Saint Nicholas is coming to Singapore!	22-Nov-25	100
BLAS Easter Egg Hunt with breakfast	28-Mar-26	82
BLAS Quiz Night 2026	27-Mar-26	82
Pancake Playoza @ Holland Intern School	24-Jan-26	65
Café Belge Friterie	24-Oct-25	56
Café Belge Frites Vol-au-vent	17-Apr-26	52
Café Belge Year-end with BBQ Hot dog	05-Dec-25	48
BLAS Get-Together	22-Aug-25	44
New Year Reception 2026	15-Jan-26	31
BLAS Sunset Sailing Cruise with BBQ	09-May-26	30
G2G - Café Belge - BBQ	27-Feb-26	28

Activity Year 2025-26 in facts & figures

Member(ships)



Membership



59 memberships (excl. 3 honorary)
25 new, 21 churned

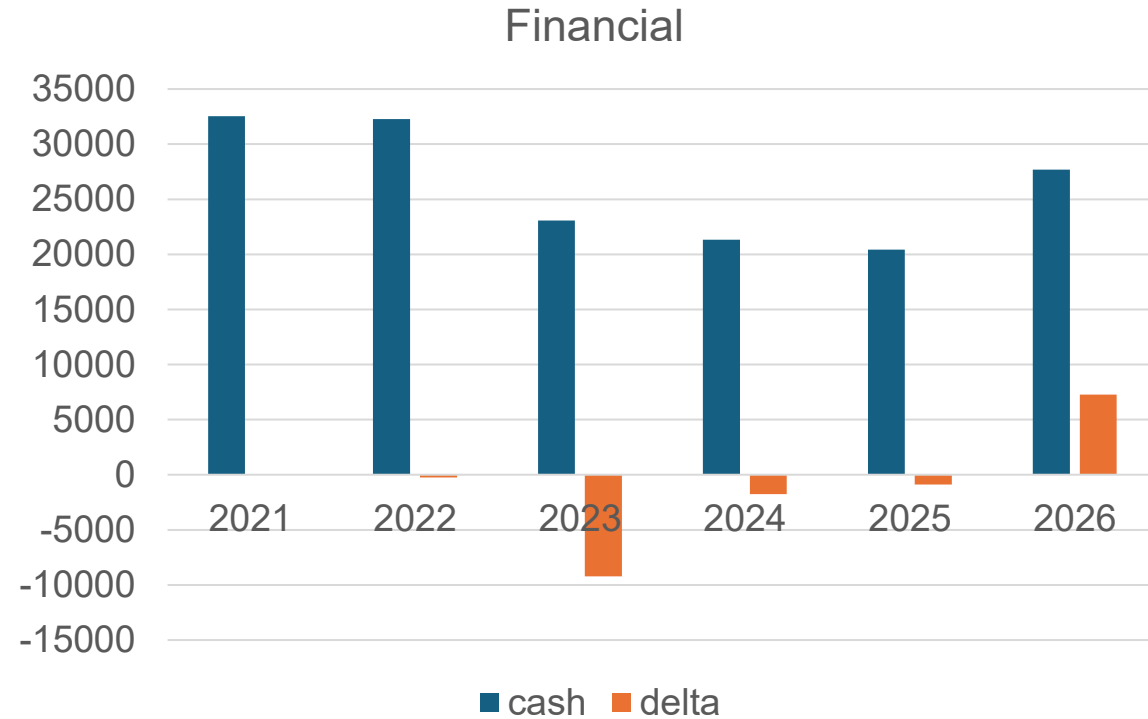
174 members
(4 cat 30y-, 15 single, 42 couple, 98 family)

Activity Year 2025-26 in facts & figures

Financial



7.404,53 SGD cash positive
27.845,57 SGD FY closing balance



Activity Year 2025-26 in facts & figures

Financial
Treasury Report
Auditors :
Olivier Vijverman and
Mieke Hautekeete



Belgian and Luxembourg association of Singapore
Financial Accounts for the Fiscal Year 2025-2026
(in Singapour Dollars)

A. BLAS CONSOLIDATED ACCOUNTS

01.05.2025 - 30.04.2026

I. Opening balance @ 01.05.2025

BLAS	Bankaccount		20.255,44	
	Cash		<u>185,60</u>	
				20.441,04

II. Incomes and Expenses Fiscal Year 2025-2026

		Income	Expenses	
BLAS	Membership - bankcost	8.025,00	178,98	
	Activities	17.087,26	12.352,20	
	Administration & Website	<u>581,14</u>	<u>5.757,69</u>	
		25.693,40	18.288,87	7.404,53

III. Closing Balances @ 30.04.2026

BLAS	Bankaccount (02.05.2025)		27.717,97	
	Cash		<u>127,60</u>	
				27.845,57

TOTAL BLAS

27.845,57

Activity Year 2025-26 in facts & figures

Financial



01/05/2025 to 30/04/2026	Sum of Deposit +	Sum of Withdrw-	+/-
Admin	8.606,14	5.936,67	2.669,47
AGM	0,00	0,00	0,00
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Bankcost	11,14	106,98	-95,84
Cost	0,00	106,98	-106,98
Cash Rebate	11,14	0,00	11,14
Committee	20,00	568,41	-548,41
Print	0,00	75,00	-75,00
WE Walk - New Year	20,00	334,52	-314,52
Gift	0,00	158,89	-158,89
Sponsoring - Donation	550,00	0,00	550,00
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Donation	50,00	0,00	50,00
IT-Internet	0,00	5.082,30	-5.082,30
Vodien : domeinnaam (2 years-Nov)	0,00	12,22	-12,22
ODOO	0,00	1.677,38	-1.677,38
Microsoft : Photo	0,00	39,99	-39,99
Microsoft : Google	0,00	237,71	-237,71
<u>Glue-up contract 3.800 + 5*650 + Softw + Stripe</u>	<u>0,00</u>	<u>3.115,00</u>	<u>-3.115,00</u>
Glue-up: Annual Management Software Fee (A	0,00	2.975,00	-2.975,00
Glue-up : Annual fee Strip (Oct)	0,00	140,00	-140,00
Member	8.025,00	178,98	7.846,02
Membership Application	2.560,00	96,39	2.463,61
Membership Renewal	2.210,00	82,59	2.127,41
Membership Renewal or Application - Bank	3.255,00	0,00	3.255,00
Culture	1.571,00	1.030,56	540,44
Discover SG	1.571,00	1.030,56	540,44
DSG Chinatown	711,00	399,56	311,44
DSG Peranakan - Annulation	235,00	259,20	-24,20
DSG Joo Chiat	580,00	369,77	210,23
DSG Hyundai	45,00	2,03	42,97

Activity Year 2025-26 in facts & figures

Financial



01/05/2025 to 30/04/2026	Sum of Deposit +	Sum of Withdrw-	+/-
Family	2.063,00	3.159,25	-1.096,25
Easter	1.225,00	1.693,23	-468,23
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Santa Claus	756,00	1.384,68	-628,68
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Taste of Home	82,00	81,34	0,66
Pancakes	82,00	81,34	0,66
Social & Fun	13.453,26	8.162,39	5.290,87
Café	7.033,26	3.540,56	3.492,70
G2G BBQ	987,00	566,46	420,54
G2G Friet	1.755,26	963,12	792,14
G2G Hot Dog	1.192,00	457,70	734,30
G2G Vol-au-Vent	2.329,00	1.004,24	1.324,76
G2G SCC	770,00	549,04	220,96
Blas After Work Drink	0,00	0,00	0,00
Café 25/10/2024	0,00	0,00	0,00
Quiz	1.910,00	241,88	1.668,12
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Sport	4.510,00	4.379,95	130,05
Sunset Boattrip	1.425,00	1.124,00	301,00
VR	409,00	456,47	-47,47
WE Walk Lazarus	24,00	0,00	24,00
WE Walk Punggol	10,00	0,84	9,16
WE Walk Pasir Ris	16,00	1,04	14,96
WE Walk Palau Ubin	16,00	0,00	16,00
WE Walk Mac Ritchi	20,00	0,00	20,00
Cruise EVENT 9-5-2026	2.590,00	2.797,60	-207,60
Grand Total	25.693,40	18.288,87	7.404,53

Activity Year 2025-26 in facts & figures

Financials



Migration GlueUp to Odoo

- reduces the yearly cost around 3kSGD
- IT-cost / membership reduced from 65% to 25% (26-27)

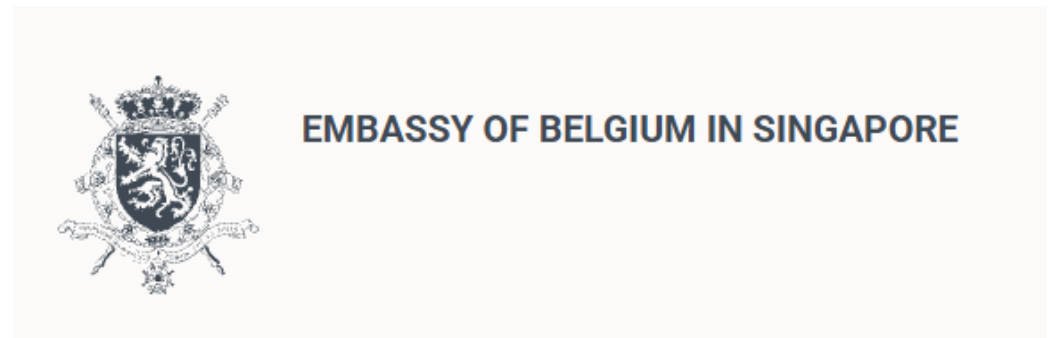
Family events and quiz

- Event venue cost has been very favorable due to support and hospitality of ambassador, Holland International School and Hollandse Club
- Very thankful for the financial and material sponsoring

Last but not least

- Your willingness for new or renewal membership makes a big difference

Financial and gift Sponsors



Your opinion



**Survey (closed, link to results
please visit
<https://www.blas.org.sg/gm>**



Thank You “Retiring” Members



- **Liesbeth Van Baelen**
 - After being 10 years in the committee, Liesbeth is moving to Boston
- **Jonathan Feyaerts**
 - Will keep supporting BLAS IT, but as volunteer, no longer as committee member
- **Anne Marroyen**
 - Anne will stay one more year in Singapore, but due to busy travel, decided to support as volunteer instead of committee member
- **Mieke Hautekeete**
 - Moves for work end of May with 2 dogs and a cat to Brussels
- **Peter Vande Kerckhove**
 - Follows Mieke and the pets ...

Election



Election of the new committee



President : Caroline Maes

Secretary : Erik De Block

Treasurer : Sylvie Couvreur

Committee member : Mariane De Wilde

Committee member : Magdalena Reynaerts

Committee member : Kevin Jadin

Extended team with volunteers



Brigitte Weiss

Kerstin Leonard

EK Enoch Kevin

Jan Matthé

William De Vos

Anne Marroyen

Jonathan Feyaerts

Anthony Degeest

Fred Grysolle

Amalya B.

Claudio M.

Lisa Susanto

Volunteers appreciation



- H.E. ambassador
- Brigitte Weiss
- Nele Desutter
- Luc Van Laere
- Mariane De Wilde
- Anna H.
- Claudio M.
- Fabrizio M.
- Amalya B.
- Jan Matthé
- Allesandro Mastellone

Closing Remarks

- **The President-Elect**

