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# NPP Newsletter

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## New NPP Board

*Since January of this year, we have started as the new board of the NIOK PhD Platform, taking over from Jana and Evelien.*

*First of all, we would like to thank them for all their enthusiasm and the hard work they put into the NPP. Thanks to them, this organization has grown and engaged more and more people.*

*This is a new challenge for us, but our intention is to keep up with the same positive spirit and continue organizing interesting activities for all of you.*

## NIOK Sports Tournament 2013



### and BBQ!!!



If you like to play sports or you just want to have a good time with us and more PhD's working in catalysis, you are still on time to register for the NIOK Sports Tournament 2013!!!

Afterwards there will be free BBQ and drinks, sponsored by NIOK, for all the attendees.

**Where:** Sportcentrum Olympos , Utrecht

**When:** Friday 28th June from 12pm to 17 pm

**Sports:** Football and Volleyball

**How to register:** Send an email, indicating the number of players, the sport you want to play and your affiliation to [r.vandenberg1@uu.nl](mailto:r.vandenberg1@uu.nl).

If you are not so much into sports, you are more than welcome to come and support your team!

If you have questions, don't hesitate to contact us. You can also find us, and pictures of our activities in:

<http://www.linkedin.com/groups/NIOK-PhD-platform-4481826/about>

## Happening in 2013

We already have some activities prepared for this year. Here are some highlights:

- NIOK Sports event + BBQ
- Company tour 3.0
- Visit to Albemarle in November 2013

### CAIA Borrel

Like every year, a borrel was organized for the students taking the CAIA exam in January and April



### Winner II NCCC Bowling Competition

#### Skiwis (UU)

Jesper Sattler	Thomas Eschemann
Korneel Cats	Roy van den Berg
	Zoran Ristanovic

### Company Visit to Norit/Cabot



The 10<sup>th</sup> April, NPP, with a group of 16 PhD students, visited the facilities of Norit/Cabot in Amersfoort. We had the chance to learn about the company and visit their labs.