

Referencia: 1**Code:** ALLI13-14**Year:** 2014**Name:** FRIENDS OF NATURE**Location:** HELSINKI**Address:****Url:** www.nuorisovaihto.fi**Project:** ENVI - Environmental**Initial Date:** 20/07/2014**Final Date:** 02/08/2014**Min Age:** 18**Max Age:** 30**Places:** 1**Description of Workcamp:** ALLI13, Friends of Nature Loppi 20.7-2.8, ENVI, Vols 12, Age: 18+

W: Friends of Nature in Loppi is a member of Finnish Association of Nature Conservation (FANC). One of the FANC's aims is to get rid or reduce the occurrence of non-native, invasive plants in Finland, one of the worst being *impatiens glandulifera* (better known in English as 'Himalayan Balsam'). The plant is non-toxic, annual and it is very easy to tug up, but when left alone, it spreads quickly and suffocates other plants in the area. The aim of this summer camp is to clear as many of the plant's growing areas in Loppi as possible.

A: The accommodation is in former summer camp center. It is situated in a beautiful place between two small lakes, a small river running just outside the building. The volunteers will cook breakfast, dinners and evening snacks together.

L: The closest towns are Loppi and Karkkila, both about 15 km away. Pilpala is one of Loppi's small rural villages and the distance to Helsinki is about 70 kilometers.

T: Karkkila

SR: There are animals (dogs, cats, hen) in the yard, which volunteers should take into account (possible allergies).

INSURANCE

The volunteers need travel insurance for the duration of their stay.

Referencia: 2**Code:** ALLI18-14**Year:** 2014**Name:** FACES FESTIVAL**Location:** HELSINKI**Address:****Url:** www.nuorisovaihto.fi**Project:** FEST - Festival**Initial Date:** 27/07/2014**Final Date:** 14/08/2014**Min Age:** 18**Max Age:** 30**Places:** 2**Description of Workcamp:** ALLI18, Faces Festival, Raasepori 27.7-14.8, FEST Vols: 15, Age: 18+

W: The organizer of the camp is Etnokult Culture Association which has been responsible of the organization of Faces Festival several years. Faces Festival is a multicultural and ideological festival that takes a stand against racism and prejudice. This year the festival will be organized in its current form for the last time, and therefore its theme this year is 'the Last Waltz'. The festival will be a celebration for all minorities and cultures. Many art forms, such as music, dance and theatre are represented at the festival. The international volunteers will be working together with Finnish volunteers to build and create the festival. The work includes cleaning, building, helping in the kitchen, decorating and painting. The work is often heavy, slow and dirty, but also creative and social.

A: The volunteers will be accommodated in the youth house Villa Haga in the centre of Karjaa.

L: The festival area is a part of Raasepori municipality by the Baltic Sea and about 80km from Helsinki.

T: Karjaa

SR: Be prepared to heavy work in all weather conditions.

INSURANCE:

The volunteers need travel insurance for the duration of their stay.

Referencia: 3**Code:** ALLI20-14**Year:** 2014**Name:** WORMS AND UNIVERSE**Location:** HELSINKI**Address:****Url:** www.nuorisovaihto.fi**Project:** RENO-KIDS - Restoration-Work with kids**Initial Date:** 03/08/2014**Final Date:** 10/08/2014**Min Age:** 18**Max Age:** 30**Places:** 2**Description of** ALLI20, Worms and Universe**Workcamp:** Poytya 3.8-10.8, RENO/KIDS, Vols: 10 Age: 18+

W: This camp is organized together by Municipality of Poytya, local church and local 4H-club. The volunteers will be renovating and cleaning the surroundings and the hiking trails. Volunteers will also assist in the local children's summer camp by organizing art workshops, presenting their own country's culture and other activities with local children and youth. During leisure time the organizer will arrange activities for volunteers, such as trip to Kurjenrahka National Park (www.outdoors.fi/kurjenrahka) and canoeing in the River Ylaneenjoki. There are also possibilities for several other summer activities, e.g. sauna and swimming.

A: Volunteers will be accommodated in the local Youth Centre. In the same buildings there is also 'Luontokapinetti'-Nature Centre, which runs exhibitions and environmental education.

L: Ylane is a small village surrounded by lakes and forests in Western Finland, about 190 km from Helsinki.

T: Turku

INSURANCE:

The volunteers need travel insurance for the duration of their stay.

Referencia: 4

Code: ALLI22-14

Year: 2014

Name: AUKUSTI FESTIVAL

Location: HELSINKI

Address:

Url: www.nuorisovaihto.fi

Project: FEST - Festival

Initial Date: 10/08/2014

Final Date: 23/08/2014

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 1

Description of Workcamp: ALLI22, Aukusti Festival Jalasjarvi 10.8-23.8. FEST Vols: 8 Age: 18+

W: Mukula is a local association which aims to improve the local cultural life for the children and the youth. Aukusti Festival is a small local rock festival that gathers about 3000-4000 people to a small municipality of Jalasjarvi in August. This year the festival is being held for its 14th time on 15th-16th of August. International volunteers will take part in organising this event. Our goal is to build the festival, mostly simple but sometimes hard work such as building fences and tents. The first week will mostly consist of building and setting up, and the week after the festival we'll clean everything up and wrap up. Be prepared for physical work in all weather conditions.

A: Accommodation will be just a few hundred meters away from the festival area, at a Youth Center Wilhola. The volunteers will take turns to prepare food, and also be prepared to introduce a dish from your country!

L: Jalasjarvi is a small municipality of 8000 people. The nearest town is Seinajoki, about 30km away and the distance to Helsinki is about 300 kilometers.

T: Seinajoki

INSURANCE:

The volunteers need travel insurance for the duration of their stay.

Codes Order

Workcamp	Code	Type	Ages	Date	Places	Ref.
Finlandia						
FRIENDS OF NATURE	ALLI13-14	ENVI	18 - 30	20/07/2014 - 02/08/2014	1	1
FACES FESTIVAL	ALLI18-14	FEST	18 - 30	27/07/2014 - 14/08/2014	2	2
WORMS AND UNIVERSE	ALLI20-14	RENO-KIDS	18 - 30	03/08/2014 - 10/08/2014	2	3
AUKUSTI FESTIVAL	ALLI22-14	FEST	18 - 30	10/08/2014 - 23/08/2014	1	4
Total N° Campos: 4				Total N° Plazas:		6

Dates Order

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FACES FESTIVAL	ALLI18-14	FEST	18 - 30	27/07/2014 - 14/08/2014	2	2
WORMS AND UNIVERSE	ALLI20-14	RENO-KIDS	18 - 30	03/08/2014 - 10/08/2014	2	3
AUKUSTI FESTIVAL	ALLI22-14	FEST	18 - 30	10/08/2014 - 23/08/2014	1	4
Total N° Campos: 4				Total N° Plazas:	6	