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Code: HONDAO15-06

Year: 2015

Name: Singing your tone and bring the love on top!

Location: TAIPEI CITY

Address:

Url: www.vya.org.tw

Project: ENV-FES-MAN-STU - Environmental-Festival-Manual work-Study camp

Initial Date: 03/07/2015

Final Date: 17/07/2015

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: VYA-Hondao 15-06 ; TouBian, Taiwan ; 3rd Jul-17th Jul; 15 days ; ELD/FEST/SOCIAL

Aging population has been rapidly growing in the whole world and aged care becomes a crucial issue to care about. Hondao Senior Citizen's Welfare Foundation (Hondao), established in 1995. It has been almost 20 years that we've promoted "aging in place" in Taiwan. Senior citizens who live in their familiar surroundings can have good care and support from their neighbors and community center, and also helped elders to fulfill their dreams.

Taiwan is a kingdom of fruits, there are many kinds of it that we harvest in different seasons, especially in Summer. Toubian community is a small agriculture-based village in center-western Taiwan, it also has many kinds of fruits, and especially famous for lychee and longan. Many elders grow those fruits by themselves, so when you come to Toubian, maybe you will have a chance to help them for a while, to experience Taiwanese farming, and enjoy those fruits as well. Those elders who live in Toubian are smart but shy, they don't know how to show their passion to others, so what we want to do for them is to regain their confidence and help them to display. And we also have other goal is to find two unique songs which represent Toubian (one in Chinese, other one in English.), volunteers and elders will learn both languages at the same time while they are practicing together. After this, we will paint on a wall and make a special memory together.

If you like music, fruits, and simple life, please come to Toubian, it is going to be an amazing experience of your life. Welcome to join us, singing your tone with us, and bring the love on top!

Aims: Many people think elders are fragile, but they are not. We want to tell people how different they are. They still can have a dream, and make the dream comes true, they are wise and can learn things quickly; they can teach people many things that we don't know. They are energetic, powerful more than we are. Also, we want to help elders to gain the confidence and see their own value, encourage them to go out and join social interaction.

W: 1、 Could you imagine when you are eighty years old? Let's participate the Aging Simulation to experience some of the sensory changes that elders may have. Aging Simulation makes you become older immediately and know more about elders body.

2、 Visit local elders and accompany them. We provide services such as house cleaning and chat to find out their dreams and help to make the dreams come true.

3、We will find out a characteristic of Toubian community, and use two unique songs (one in Chinese, another one in English.) to represent it. In the end, we may group a top band with seniors!

4、Painting your memory of camp on the wall which nearby community center.

5、To experience Taiwanese culture, for example: Taiwanese food, fruits, temples, night markets, beautiful mountain.

AD: Local community centre. Sleeping bag is needed (You must bring it here by yourself, please). Cooking by volunteers, and we also have chance to exchange your countries' special meal with local people!

L: No.18, Ln. 11, Sec. 2, Changlong Rd., Taiping Dist., Taichung City 41150, Taiwan (R.O.C.)

T: Taoyuan international airport to Taichung train station./ Taichung airport to Taichung train station.(for Hong Kong)

LA: Visit Taiwan scenic spots: Sun-Moon lank, Lukang old town, night market, temple cultures, farming resort, etc.

SR: High motivation for learning and more passion for elders. Like team work, like to learn new things, respect, responsible and open mind.

PF: Free (Hondao will provide meals & accommodations). Volunteers should cover the transportation and living expenses by themselves during free schedule.

Referencia: 2

Code: HONDAO15-07 Year: 2015

Name: A Fountain of Youth! Let's Work And Feel Fun In Ho

Location: TAIPEI CITY

Address:

Url: www.vya.org.tw

Project: ELDE-FEST-SOCI - Work with elderly - Festival - Social project

Initial Date: 06/07/2015 Final Date: 20/07/2015 Min Age: 18 Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: Hondao15-07 ; Yilan County, Taiwan；6th Jul. ~20th Jul; 15 days ; ELD/FEST/SOCIAL

According to the statistic the elderly population in Taiwan will be exceed 42% and soon we will be one of the super- aged nation. Hondao Senior Citizen Welfare Foundation (Hondao) was founded in 1995 and aims to let seniors in Taiwan live happy, safe, and dignified lives in their own homes and communities. Its programs center around three core values: Filial Piety, Community Care, and Dream Never Gets Old.

In order to make more young people concern about the issue of elderly in Taiwan, Hondao foundation and Houpi Community Organization would like to deliver a warm welcome to youth from all over the world to Taiwan and participate into Houpi community as an international work camp. Houpi community is located at the east side of Pacific Ocean, and it is a small, lovely town. Our work campers will accompany with elderly and experience Taiwan's local culture while interacting directly with local residents. You may experience the traditional fish catching way that harvest with everyone's efforts, use the driftwood carried from ocean to decorate the public space of community and make and taste the peanut brittle that is Houpi's famous food.

Aims: 1. Collaborate with a college on community building project by using the driftwood to beautify the environment.

2. Let the volunteers wear the Aging Simulation experience the feeling of sensory perceptions that elders may have, to feel empathy and care about the needs of elders.

3. Hold or participate some activities and exchange different culture events, to deepen the friendship and understanding among the volunteers and the residents.

W: There are three main topics of work we will do in the camp, Community Service, Elders Care and Culture Exchange. Community Service, we establish the specific image for the community by using local driftwood. Elders Care, we clean the special needed elderlies' houses and we also invite the local senior baseball team to have a friendly game with us. Culture Exchange, we may have a food carnival or culture night party to experience different cultures.

AD: We will sleep at the old house of community. Sleeping bag is needed (You MUST bring it here by yourself, please). Meals will be cooked by the volunteers.

L: No. 283, Section 2, Zhuangbin Rd, Zhuangwei Township, Yilan County, 283
Google Map ([click here to see the map](#))

T: Taiwan Taoyuan International Airport. 2.5 hours of bus away from Houpi (about

NTD\$ 300, passengers need to transfer in Taipei to get to Houpi.)

LA: Excursion, eco-tourism, night market, water sport, exchange parties, etc.

SR: We are keen to have the volunteer who has passion for the elderly, like work with group. Willingness to accept and respect for local culture.

PF: Free (Hondao will provide meals & accommodations). Volunteers should cover the transportation and living

Referencia: 3

Code: HONDAO15-08

Year: 2015

Name: Share your style. Let's work and play in Longtan!

Location: TAIPEI CITY

Address:

Url: www.vya.org.tw

Project: ELDE-FEST-SOCI - Work with elderly - Festival - Social project

Initial Date: 13/07/2015

Final Date: 26/07/2015

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: Hondao15-08 ; Longtan, Taiwan ; 13th Jul-26th Jul; 14 days ; ELD/FEST/SOCIAL

Aging population has been rapidly growing in the whole world, and elderly issues become much more important. Hondao Senior Citizen's Welfare Foundation (Hondao), established in 1995 has been promoting "aging in place" in Taiwan for nearly 20 years. Therefore, senior citizens can live in their familiar surroundings while enjoying the care and support from the community center, and also helped each other to fulfill their dreams.

Longtan, located in the countryside of Taoyuan City, and the township is known for the Buddhist temple in the center of Longtan Lake. Longtan community is a multi-ethnic society, the residents there are quite looking forward to your coming for our international work camp. We will paint a wall with a draft that seniors designed, grow agro products and have a workshop for global issue of aging; moreover, we will have lots of fun with seniors! If you like simple but colorful life, please come to Longtan, it's going to be an amazing experience of your life.

Aims:

- 1). Painting the wall in a primary school.
- 2). To communicate and interact with elders.
- 3). To experience local Longtan culture, especially to grow vegetables and bake sweet potato.

- W: 1. Painting a draft that seniors designed on the school wall.
 2. Invite the residents to join our party and share the ideas for workshop.
 3. Visit local elders and accompany them. We provide services such as chat, or clean elders' house, help them to find out their talents or dreams, and help them to show out or make their dreams come true.
 4. Let's participate the Aging Simulation to experience some of the sensory changes. Aging Simulation makes you become older immediately and know more about elders body.

AD: Classroom in local primary school. Sleeping bag is required (You must bring it here by yourself, please). Meals will be cooked by the volunteers.

L: Longtan is located in the northeast of Taiwan in Taoyuan City.
 No. 100, Wuhan Rd, Longtan Township Taoyuan County, 325.

T: Taoyuan international airport. 40 minutes by bus to Longtan (about NTD\$ 60).

LA: Excursion, exchange parties with local people, eco-tourism, etc.

SR: High motivation for learning and respect to local culture. Like team work, like

to learn new things, respect, responsible and open mind.

PF: Free (Hondao will provide meals & accommodations). Volunteers should cover the transportation and living expenses by themselves during free schedule.

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Code: HONDAO15-09

Year: 2015

Name: BUIL A XANADU FOR ELDERLIES!

Location: TAIPEI CITY

Address:

Url: www.vya.org.tw

Project: SOCI-ELDE - Social project - Work with elderly

Initial Date: 20/07/2015

Final Date: 03/08/2015

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: VYA-Hondao15-09; Yangmingshan National Park, Taiwan; 20th Jul-3rd Aug; ELD/SOCIAL

Hondao Senior Citizen Welfare Foundation (Hondao) was founded in 1995 and dedicated to promote senior citizen's welfare in Taiwan. Active aging is the process of optimizing opportunities for health, participation and security in order to enhance quality of senior citizen's life. Community plays an important role in Taiwan. Senior citizens can live in their familiar surroundings while enjoying the care and support from their neighbors.

Hosan community is locating in the Yangmingshan National Park. It has natural scenery and hot spring, as like a paradise without the world's disturbance and is an hour bus ride away from Taipei city but only few buses coming every day. Since residents over there live quite apart, it is not easy for seniors to interact with each other. In the end of 2014, the government had finally built up an activity center, so they can have fun together. This year is the first year we hold an international work camp in Hosan community, we would like to invite young people around the world to join us and change this place to a real paradise for the seniors. The works you may do in the camp included: ditch cleaning, garden work and design the activity program. You might also have a chance to do sightseeing in Taipei when you're free, so hurry up to join Hosan community work camp.

Aims:

- 1)To transform the community into an attractive paradise for seniors to live.
- 2)To wear the Aging Simulation experience the feeling of sensory perceptions that elders may have, to feel empathy and care about the need of elders.
- 3)To visit local elders and provide services like house cleaning and keep company.
- 4)To plan the summer celebration, you may participate in elderlies' orchestra.

W: Build up a garden with your creativity. Clean up ditches to avoid typhoon damage in summer. Visit seniors who live alone in the community and encourage them to join our activities.

AD: Local primary school. Sleeping bags are required! Meals will be cooked by the volunteers, and local residents have the opportunity to exchange and share their national cuisine.

L: No.11, Hudi Rd., Beitou Dist., Taipei City (It is located in Yangmingshan National Park.)

T: Taipei Songshan Airport.(16 minutes by MRT to Taipei Main Station about NTD\$25 and 1 hour by bus to Yangmingshan National Park about NTD\$30)
Taiwan Taoyuan International Airport.(50 minutes by bus to Taipei Main Station about NTD\$105 and 1 hour by bus to Yangmingshan National Park about NTD\$30)

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LA: Hiking in Yangmingshan National Park. Enjoy the hot springs In the summer.
Or visit Taipei City by bus.

SR: We are keen to have the volunteer who has passion for the elderly, like work with group. Willing to accept and respect for local culture.

PF: Free (Hondao will provide meals & accommodations). Volunteers should cover the transportation and living expenses by themselves during free schedule.

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Code: HONDAO15-10 Year: 2015

Name: Be a Temporary Grandson! Pass Love For Elderlies

Location: TAIPEI CITY

Address:

Url: www.vya.org.tw

Project: ELDE-FEST-SOCI - Work with elderly - Festival - Social project

Initial Date: 23/07/2015 Final Date: 06/08/2015 Min Age: 18 Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: VYA-Hondao15-10 ; Chaozhou Town, Taiwan ; 23rd Jul.6th Aug. ; 15 days ; ELD/FEST/SOCIAL

Hondao Senior Citizen's Welfare Foundation (Hondao) was founded in 1995 and dedicated to promote healthy ageing. In order to encourage elderlies to keep active and ensure their quality of life, Hondao has developed quite a lot volunteer stations in the communities for senior services. Chaozhou volunteer station is one of them located in Pingtung County, which has been operating for 15 years, the services they provide including home care visit, meals delivery and recreational activities.

Chaozhou Town has much delicious Taiwanese food which is a well-known tourist spot. The residents there mostly speak in Mandarin and Taiwanese. Dong-gang Liouciou, and Kenting the two famous attractions are also quite close to it. During the work camp, we will invite the volunteers from Chaozhou volunteer station to join us and paint a wall in a community, also to fix and clean elders' houses. Furthermore, there are different activities would be held such as cultural workshop, gastronomic party and so on. Therefore, we want you to share your own ideas with us and we will create a lot fun activities for them. In the end, we believe you will see many elders' precious side. During the free days, participants in our camp have the opportunity to experience traditional local markets, night markets, and chat with local people and enjoy the passions from them. If you are interested in Taiwanese culture, Chaozhou work camp is your best choice.

Aims:

- 1) To paint for community.
- 2) We visit local elders and accompany them. We provide services such as chat, hot meal service and clean or fix elders house, etc. You will have a lot fun to help elders and have a very good time and memory with them and your workcampers.
- 3) To celebrate Taiwanese Father's Day and experience varies international and local culture.
- 4) Could you picture yourself when you are eighty years old? Let's participate the Aging Simulation to experience some of the sensory changes that elders may have. Activities you may take includes becoming insensitive to changes in touch, sight, Dexterity and balance. Aging Simulation makes you become older immediately.

W: We believe elders have a lots creativity, but most people think when they become old they are "useless", no "productive forces". That stereotype thinking causes lack confidence of elderlies in Taiwan, so we need to change this situation. In Chaozhou workcamp, we can help elders improve confidence and "see" their own "Value", and encourage elders to "go out" and join activities in community, also find their possibilities. After Aging Simulation, we can design appropriate

activities for elders and invite them to participate. In addition, we play a very important role that we're "Temporary Grandsons". We hope elders can have a different experience through the interacting process they can feel full of love and concern. Furthermore, you can find a lots "know how" knowledge from elders and pass your "Love" for them. It will be very wonderful because you get a lots of "treasure"!

AD: Local district. Sleeping bag is needed (You MUST bring it here by yourself, please). Cooked by volunteers and volunteers have chances to cook your countries' feature food to share with local people!

L: No. 118, Xinglong Rd., Chaozhou Town, Pingtung County.

T: (1) Taiwan Taiyuan International Airport. Transfer to Kaohsiung City by train
(2) Kaohsiung international airport. (18 minutes by MRT to train station about NTD\$35 and 1 hour by train to Chaozhou about NTD\$82).

LA: Pingtung country, night market, temple cultures, Kenting and Liouciou Island etc.

SR: High motivation of learning and more passion for elders.

PF: Free (Hondao will provide meals & accommodations). Volunteers should cover the transportation and living expenses by themselves during free schedule.

Referencia: 6

Code: HONDAO15-11

Year: 2015

Name: Dream Never Gets Old - BAITANG International Work

Location: TAIPEI CITY

Address:

Url: www.vya.org.tw

Project: CUL-ELD-SOC-CON - Cultural-Work with elderly-Social-Construction

Initial Date: 02/08/2015

Final Date: 16/08/2015

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: Hondao15-11; Changhua County, Taiwan; 2nd Aug. -16th Aug.; 15 days; CULT/ELD/SOCIAL/ CONS

The world population is rapidly ageing. By 2050, the proportion of the population over 60 years will be about 20%. The absolute number of people aged 60 years and over is expected to be 2 billion. Hondao Senior Citizen's Welfare Foundation (Hondao) was founded in 1995 and aims to let seniors in Taiwan live happily and safely, it also committed to promoting filial piety and encouraging everyone to take care of their own aged parents.

Baitang Community is located in Dacun Township, Changhua County. The residents are very friendly, and you can feel the passion from them. Also, there are two famous features in Baitang Community, one is their local agro product grapes, summer (from June to July) is the peak season, and you will have a chance to help out picking. The other is Seniors Orchestra, an ensemble comprised of seniors who are around 75 years old and they really enjoy performance and Flash Mob.

Aims：

1)To experience Aging Simulation that makes you feel like an old people and become insensitive to change in touch, sight, dexterity and balance.

2)To promote friendship/understanding/solidarity among local people and cross-national volunteers.

3)To enrich local people international vision and create a local landmark in the community.

4)To attract younger people come back home, and keep serving in community for a long time.

W：

1)Experiencing Seniors Orchestra with elders, serving in community, and organizing some events for exchanging different cultures like singing your country's songs, dancing for elders.

2)Painting the ditch fences for creating the specific image of community .

3)You can experience the grape harvest, and make creative food with grapes.

4)Learning how to make handicrafts for residents from the volunteers.

5)We can experience the performance of Chinese traditional wedding.

S：We encourage workcampers to share the situation about aging of every country. During the camp, we hope you understanding and experiencing active ageing, which is important for elders.

AD：We will sleep at local child care center. Sleeping bag is required! Meals will be cooked by volunteers.

L#65306; No.3-4, Baitang Side Ln., Dacun Township, Changhua County 515, Taiwan (R.O.C.)

T#65306; Taiwan Taoyuan International Airport. (2.5 hours by bus to Taichung station about NTD\$ 240 and 1hr by train to Dacun station about NTD \$ 42.)

LA#65306; Excursion, exchange parties with local people, eco-tourism (optional), etc.

SR#65306; We are keen to have the volunteer who has passion for the elderly, like work with group. Willing to accept and respect for local culture.

PF#65306; Free (Hondao will provide meals & accommodations). Volunteers should cover the transportation and living expenses by themselves during free schedule.

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Code: HONDAO15-12

Year: 2015

Name: Lights up the life with color- Fuxing Internationa

Location: TAIPEI CITY

Address:

Url: www.vya.org.tw

Project: CUL-ELD-SOC-CON - Cultural-Work with elderly-Social-Construction

Initial Date: 16/08/2015

Final Date: 30/08/2015

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: Hondao15-12; Chunghua County , Taiwan ; 16th Aug.-30th Aug. ; 15 days ; CULT/ELD/SOCIAL/ CONS

¿Global aging¿ is a highly foreseeable long-term trend and will drastically change the way that societies and economies work. Hondao Senior Citizen¿s welfare Foundation established in 1995 addressed this issue by proactively changing the seniors and the public¿s perception of the ageing while providing community service to enhance health of the seniors. Hondao aims to let seniors live in the happier and more dignified lives in their own homes and communities.

This project first took place in Xishi community which is located in Fuxing village in 2009. Last year, Xishi and four other communities established a Fuxing Elderly Community Alliance. Through their combination, the services were expanded and they all looking forward to the young people coming all over the world to participate in the work camp here.

In 2015, Xishi community will build an Elder Day-Care center, providing services on the basis of Maslow¿s theory (Physiological needs, Safety needs, Love and belonging needs, Esteem needs, Self-actualization needs)for different needs of healthy elders. You can fully get along with elders in camp, attain to different cultural exchange through chat with them, design courses, held activities.

Aims:

- 1).To take care of elderly living in the countryside lack of resources.
- 2).To promote friendship/ understanding/ solidarity among local people and cross-national volunteers.
- 3).To enrich local people international vision and create a local landmark in the community.

W: 1).To paint and decorate the place of local Elder Day-Care center in Xishi Community.

2).You will serve in the local Elder Day-Care center, doing things with elders like handicraft (ex: traditional bamboo broom, lion mask), stories sharing and preparing meals.

3).In order to hold an activity of cultural event or elderly care during your stay, please prepare some performances, like dancing or singing, to have crazy fun with all the participants.

4).Elderly Care: In order to realize how OLD is like, volunteers will have chance to take part in the ¿Aging Simulation¿ to sense how old is like.

A: A 2-storey community center in Xishi community. Sleeping bag needed (You MUST bring it here by yourself, please) & food cooked by vols. Hot shower in local resident¿s place, 5 minutes¿ walk.

L: A small & quiet township in Chunghua County, located in the middle of Taiwan which is 3.5 hours away from Tao-Yuan CKS International Airport by bus.

Address: No.18-4, Xishi St., Fuxing Township, Changhua County 506, Taiwan (R. O.C.) [Google map](#) (Click to see the map)

LA: Excursion, exchange parties with local people, eco-tourism (optional), etc.

SR: We are keen to host volunteers for this project who have passion for the elderly and will to learn. You are welcomed to join us with an open mind to discover the differences in Taiwan through the culture and nature of Fuxing Elderly Community Alliance.

PF: Free (Hondao will provide meals & accommodations). Volunteers should cover the transportation and living expenses by themselves during free schedule.

Referencia: 8

Code: LIUGUI15-04

Year: 2015

Name: My Happiness shop-Part 2

Location: TAIPEI CITY

Address:

Url: www.volunteernatch.org.tw

Project: CULT/CONS/AGRI - Cultura,Construc,Agricultura

Initial Date: 06/08/2015

Final Date: 19/08/2015

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: Liugui15-04, Liugui District,6th-19th Aug.; 14 days, CUL/COM/AGRI, 10 vols.

W : Type of voluntary work

S : Study theme

A : Accommodation

L : Location T : Terminal (The closest big international airport)

LA : Leisure Activities

SR : Special Remarks

PF : Participation Fees

* For Accommodation, CV = Cooked by Volunteers MP = Meals are provided.

SBI = Sleeping Bag is necessary/ SBN = Sleeping Bag is Not necessary

My Happiness Shop is originated to create the dreams and space for the community, to encourage and teach village women to promote their own model of small business. With 6 main ideas: Culture, Training, Sightseeing, Ecology, Industry and Social Welfare, project purpose is to present the best part of Liugui to everyone. Through project "My Happiness Shop-Part 2", we expect that people live in Liugui community be confidently and proudly.

W:

1. To do the marketing promotion for the shops, to empower local young people.
2. To join the production and manufacturing of local commercial products (Shin-Fa Tea)
3. To Artistic designation: to show Art Without Borders
4. To promote community with multi cultural and more interactive activities between elders and children.
5. To participate the community activities, and to share all good things together.

S: NO.

FB: Liugui International WorkCamp

<https://www.facebook.com/Liugui.workcamp>

A: volunteers will stay in local guest house with domitary room.

L: NO.102, Rd. Guang Fu, Liugui District, Kaohsiung City

Google earth: <https://www.google.com.tw/maps/place/%E5%85%AD%E9%BE%9C%E5%8D%80%E8%BE%B2%E6%9C%83/@22.99549,120.635133,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m2!3m1!1s0x346e5b4279f43049:0x1290da8b33d7de4d?hl=zh-TW>

<https://www.google.com.tw/maps/place/%E5%85%AD%E9%BE%9C%E5%8D%80%E8%BE%B2%E6%9C%83/@22.99549,120.635133,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m2!3m1!1s0x346e5b4279f43049:0x1290da8b33d7de4d?hl=zh-TW>

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T: Taiwan Tourism International Airport & Kaohsiung International Airport

T: Taiwan Taoyuan international Airport & Kaohsiung International Airport

LA: To visit taiwan aboriginal tribe, famous Kenting beach, and local Night Market

SR: need to bring sleeping bag and keep your mind opening !

PF: no extra fee

6-2[Children Education and Cultural]

Referencia: 9

Code: LUOYOUN15-

Year: 2015

Name: Let`s Repair Old Houses in Xiluo

Location: TAIPEI CITY

Address:

Url: www.volunteernatch.org.tw

Project: CONS-CULT - Construction - Cultural

Initial Date: 26/07/2015

Final Date: 08/08/2015

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: VYA-Louyoung15-02, Xiluo Township, 7/26-8/08, 14 days, Rev/Cul/Commu

W : Type of voluntary work

S : Study theme

A : Accommodation

L : Location

T : Terminal (The closest big international airport)

LA : Leisure Activities

SR : Special Remarks

PF : Participation Fees

Xiluo has more than 360 years of history. It located in the middle of Taiwan, the northern Township of Yunlin County. Xiluo is the nearest township by the great Zhuo Shui River. Here is Rich in rice, fruits and vegetables. Near by river make transport facilities. about 100 years ago, Xiluo had street type Marker.

In 1937, Taiwan was a colony by Japan. at the time, Xiluo made plans to reorganize a modern Town, in order to cooperate with the street-widening process, architectural facades were removed and buildings' heights were altered. During the 1925-1945 period, there were many styles visible on Yenping Street, with various unique architectural styles. Within a few years, an 840 meters stretch of street saw the construction of hundreds of Art Deco houses, which contain the essence of Xiluo`s history and Culture.

In Yenping Historical Street where have 142 elegant houses remain now. Most of them were built 90 years ago. At pass time, Yenping street was town center, every shop were opening and busy very much. Near by now, most of houses are empty, some are useless. The residents got away from here. Yenping Street become silence; People has no confidence. Now, street got in return to glory, at the hard work by our Foundation and Xiluo Yownship Government. We want to keep the the street environment, It's because so classical and elegant the houses that we need to keep them useful.

At last 5 years, we had finished 6 times international workcamp, Mended 2 old build, and use in the plan of rebuild Yenping History Street. Completed 8 kind Puplic Art, Planning, design of a garden and work in organic farm...etc. This year we are going to fix an old house in No.93 Xiuwen RD. . We are going to set up a place for local cultural center. The place will helpful to cultural developments of local community in Xiluo. We also plan to make one Public Art, The volunteers will help the artist to do the work, and. It does will be a work of art. Make better live quality in Xiluo.

Aim and Work:

Work A: To repair an old house in No.93 Xiuwen RD. . Volunteers will repair the house, paint it's wall and make a new big frame. It will be a place for local cultural

center. The place will be helpful to cultural developments of local community in Xiluo.

Work B: Making a public Art. Volunteers will learn how to do the public Art.

S: The future plan of Old Street.

A: We will stay in Xiluo International Volunteer House. The house is offered by Xiluo township government, there is a new place, the comfortable beds, the room with air conditioner, toilet; 2 for male, 2 for female; , shower with hot water; 1 for male, 1 for female; with a wide yard and beautiful view. You will have a great time there. But a little inconvenience is that you have to use the kitchen in the no.81 Yenping Rd.; Xiluo backpacker house; and will be the rest place at the break time. Where is just nearby the working place. So the sleeping place and eating place are at the different way, but it's not far away, only 10 min. by bike. Everyone will have their own bike in the time. The rest place belongs to Rotary Club of Xiluo. They are welcome you too. For their kindly, we need to keep good manners; (to always keep clean, no smoking inside building, etc.).

* We will cook by ourselves but still have opportunity to eat in the local restaurants or packed meals.

* Internet can be available in Luoyoung Foundation office; backpacker house and Volunteer House.

* There is no washing machine, so let's enjoy washing clothes by hands.

L: Xiluo Township, a historical place in Yun-Lin County, located in the middle of Taiwan. 50 minutes to Taichung City by bus, 2.5-3 hrs by bus from Taipei City.

Google Map: 648; 26519; 32291; 35199; 34746; 37806; 24310; 24179; 36335; 92; 34399;

T: After arriving at Tao-Yuan international airport, volunteers need to take a shuttle bus to Taipei Bus Station first; 50 min. ,NT\$ 110-140; . Then transfer with Kuo-Kuang Motor Transportation (22283; 20809; 23458; 36939;) from Taipei West Bus Station, Terminal B (21488; 21271; 35199; 31449;) to Xiluo ; 3 hours, NT\$350; 12290;

L.A.: Excursion, exchange parties with local people, Kong Fu exercise, Puppet show, Bike riding, Night market, eco-tourism (free day optional), etc.

S.R.: High motivation for community service and with open minded. Basic mandarin and artistic skills are welcomed!

P.F.: Free (host organization will provide meals & accommodations). Volunteers should cover the transportation and living expenses by themselves during free time.

Referencia: 10

Code: TAISI15-3

Year: 2015

Name: Post Card making and kid's toys exhibition in Taisi

Location: TAIPEI CITY

Address:

Url: www.volunteermatch.org.tw

Project: ART-CULT - Art camp - Cultural

Initial Date: 22/07/2015

Final Date: 03/08/2015

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: Project 15-03, Taisi, Taiwan 7/22-8/3, 2015; 13 days, Art/Cul, 8 vols.

W : Type of voluntary work

S : Study theme

A : Accommodation

L : Location

T : Terminal (The closest big international airport)

LA : Leisure Activities

SR : Special Remarks

PF : Participation Fees

* For Accommodation, CV = Cooked by Volunteers MP = Meals are provided.

SB! = Sleeping Bag is necessary/ SBN = Sleeping Bag is Not necessary

WORK/PROJECT: This is the 9th year that VYA organizes series of International workcamp in Taisi for painting and education etc. And now Taisi is famous for its painting Art. People call it Taisi international art village.

This Year VYA was invited by local government to maintain an eco center in Taisi to promote the beauty of traditional fish village.

The project will like to invite participants to photograph the beauty of Taisi and to share with people how amazing Taisi it is. In the end of project we will select top 10 photos to make post card for promotion Taisi eco-trip in the future

On the other hands, since international workcamp involved many youth from different countries, so we hope to share the culture diversity via Kid`s toys. This is the best way to educate the children about global culture and make it with great fun. So all participants will be request to bring 10 kid`s toys to VYA from their country and organize a global kid`s toys exhibition.

One of our main objectives is to deliver messages and draw the attention to the public through pictures and photos made during the camp. The main idea and task of the project are involvement and participation of the volunteers and local people in the Photo exhibition to have better understand of Taisi and kid`s toys exhibition to know about global culture diversity.

VYA will prepare different topics on which the participants will base their entries; these topics will be mostly related to the image of Taisi fish village, such as eco Taisi and Taisi international art village for photographing.

Participants need to take their own digital cameras and its main work will be done taking photographs on the issues given; the best pictures will be selected for a final exhibit and making post card;

Participants have to prepare a photo exhibition and selected top 10 from them to make Taisi post card and to prepare a kid`s toys exhibition, too. Please be ready for walking and working with flexible time schedule.

Participants with artistic skills, such as singing, juggling, playing music are

encouraged to apply for this camp as they will have the chance to help create a nice and friendly atmosphere.

By the way, we will also join some events with local people. Participants will also have opportunities to experience traditional local market, night market, and eco-tourism in free schedule, chat with local people and enjoy the passions from them.

Aims:

- 1) To know the beauty and culture of Taisi.
- 2) To organize a photo exhibition and selected top 10 from them to make Taisi post card
- 3) To prepare a kid`s toys exhibition for sharing the global culture diversity.
- 4) To promote Taisi eco-trip.
- 5) To promote friendship/understanding/solidarity among local people and cross-national volunteers

Objective:

- 1) To organize a photo exhibition and selected top 10 from them to make Taisi post card.
- 2) To prepare a kid's toys exhibition.
- 3) To share international culture to community and to make friends with local people.
- 4) To enjoy the Taiwan life in Taisi.

W:

- 1) To photograph the beauty of Taisi and to share with people how amazing Taisi it is. In the end of project we will select top 10 photos to make post card for promoting Taisi eco-trip in the future
- 2) To prepare and to organize a kid`s toys exhibition.

S: NO.

FB: <https://www.facebook.com/hicall1066>

A: Guest house of Ma-zu Temple or community center. Sleep in shared room with woody bed. Sleeping bag is required! Showers and toilets are available. Volunteer will cook by turns and Food will be offered by VYA. Volunteers will also have a chance to cook their traditional food in some cultural exchange events.

L: A small fishing village in Yun-Lin County located on the mid-western coast of Taiwan.

Google earth: <https://www.google.com.tw/maps/place/%E5%8F%B0%E8%A5%BF%E6%B5%B7%E5%8F%A3%E7%94%9F%E6%B4%BB%E9%A4%A8/@23.724463,120.174281,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m2!3m1!1s0x346ea79a4cd9dced:0xf7b606d423f4456b?hl=zh-TW>

<https://www.google.com.tw/maps/place/%E5%8F%B0%E8%A5%BF%E6%B5%B7%E5%8F%A3%E7%94%9F%E6%B4%BB%E9%A4%A8/@23.724463,120.174281,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m2!3m1!1s0x346ea79a4cd9dced:0xf7b606d423f4456b?hl=zh-TW>

[0xf7b606d423f4456b?hl=zh-TW](https://www.google.com.tw/maps/place/%E5%8F%B0%E8%A5%BF%E6%B5%B7%E5%8F%A3%E7%94%9F%E6%B4%BB%E9%A4%A8/@23.724463,120.174281,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m2!3m1!1s0x346ea79a4cd9dced:0xf7b606d423f4456b?hl=zh-TW)

T: Tao-Yuan international airport is 4 hours of bus trip away from Taisi (the transportation fee costs about NTD\$380-480 per service, passengers may need to transfer in Tai-chung city to get to Taisi or take bus from Taipei directly).

LA: Excursion, culture exchange events with local people, eco-tourism (optional), etc. We will have two weekends free; volunteer can arrange their free day trip during on weekend. Volunteers should cover the transportation and living expenses by themselves during free day.

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SR:

- 1)Participants are request to bring 10 kid`s toy from heir country to VYA for global Kid`s toy exhibition
- 2)Participants need to take their own digital cameras.
- 3)The main transportation in community will be Bicycle so participants have to know how to bike.
- 4)Good in photograph and high motivation for learning and respect to local culture.
- 5)Chinese language and other skill are welcomed but not necessarily required!

PF: no extra fee

Number of Volunteer: 8-10 from international

Referencia: 11

Code: TFCF15-05-15

Year: 2015

Name: INSEPARABLE SPINDRIFT AT TWIN HEART ISLE

Location: TAIPEI CITY

Address:

Url: www.vya.or.tw

Project: KIDS-CULT - Work with kids - Cultural

Initial Date: 13/07/2015

Final Date: 25/07/2015

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: Project VYA15-05, Penghu County, Taiwan 13th-25th July, 2015; 13 days, Kids/Teen/Community, 10 vols.

Penghu is located between China and Taiwan in the Taiwan Strait. It is a beautiful island county of Taiwan, and Penghu includes a plenty of isles. More than a hundred of isles will appear once the tide ebbs, but generally less than hundred isles can be seen. Therefore, the number of isles varies with the tidal cycle. The Penghu Branch of TFCF, established in 1965, aims to assist children and their families who suffer multiple difficulties. As a result, these children do not have changes and resources to connect the world. Thus, we work with VYA started in 2010 and invite international volunteers to visit Penghu and to work with local youth volunteers. By doing so, international volunteers create wonderful and unforgettable memories with the children and the local people. We expect that local children and people can experience being a part of the world through the visit of the international and TFCF volunteers.

In 2015 summer, this is the sixth year for TFCF Penghu Branch to host International WorkCamp. We want to recruit volunteers from different countries for two purposes: one is providing community services for disadvantaged families, and the other is planning the summer activities for local children or young people with various disadvantages. Through this program, international volunteers help the youth assist in planning, interpersonal relationship, leadership training and camping scheme. They become self-reliant and be able to devote themselves to benefiting the needy children and families in the future. We hope we can bring the different international perspective through the WorkCamp.

Aims:

- 1) To promote friendship/understanding/solidarity among local people and cross-national volunteers.
- 2) To create opportunities for the teenagers and the community people to connect the world.
- 3) To encourage inter-cultural life experiences exchanges and help the youth to appreciate and respect cultural differences.
- 4) To inspire TFCF youth volunteers to devote themselves to benefiting society and increase their experiences in international awareness and participation.

Google Map: <http://goo.gl/maps/vxIZu>

Voluntary works

- 1) Provide international experience to children and youth by cross-cultural music, dances, stories, games, etc. during the activities.
- 2) Introduce your home countries by sharing special food, songs, dances, dresses, games, etc.

- 3) Learn more about the community and local life through community services and culture visit.
- 4) Plan the summer activities with local volunteers for children.
- 5) Make handicrafts and charity bazaar.
- 6) Help with daily meals and cleaning.

Other Activities in local community

- 1) Culture Visit: Trawling and intertidal ecology experience.
- 2) Community Visit: Orienteering by cycling.

Special Requirement

- 1) Have a healthy body and mind.
- 2) Be patient and passionate about working with young people.
- 3) Anything from their own (clothes, music, pictures, food, games, performances, art, etc.), you can display their cultures, traditions during or life style, the camp will be introduced by the International Volunteer location of their own country, photos and features. Traditional dance or song, on behalf of their country's culture, international volunteers will lead the children and youth to learn a song or dance team during camp.
- 4) Like to enjoy sunshine, ocean, and natural life. Try to adapt to the local climate.
- 5) Need to bring Sleeping Bag

Life matters

- 1) Please prepare sleeping bags. We will have 8 days (7/13-7/20) to stay at the office of TFCF Penghu Branch. In addition, there must be four night stay at Chimei Isle Center. please prepare seasickness medicine by self.
- 2) There are air conditioners and washing machine in the accommodation, but you are expected to bring your own laundry detergent. Several toilets and (at least one) shower room are facilitated in the accommodation. In addition, we also provide a hair dryer.
- 3) During the camp is part of the volunteers take turns cooking food ingredients will arrange a time to let the volunteers responsible for procurement, cost from TFCF Penghu Branch.

Codes Order

Workcamp	Code	Type	Ages	Date	Places	Ref.
Taiwan						
Singing your tone and bring the love on top!	HONDAO15-06	ENV-FES-MAN-STU	18 - 30	03/07/2015 - 17/07/2015	2	1
A Fountain of Youth! Let`s Work And Feel Fun In Ho	HONDAO15-07	ELDE-FEST-SOCI	18 - 30	06/07/2015 - 20/07/2015	2	2
Share your style. Let`s work and play in Longtan!	HONDAO15-08	ELDE-FEST-SOCI	18 - 30	13/07/2015 - 26/07/2015	2	3
BUIL A XANADU FOR ELDERLIES!	HONDAO15-09	SOCI-ELDE	18 - 30	20/07/2015 - 03/08/2015	2	4
Be a Temporary Grandson! Pass Love For Elderlies	HONDAO15-10	ELDE-FEST-SOCI	18 - 30	23/07/2015 - 06/08/2015	2	5
Dream Never Gets Old - BAITANG International Work	HONDAO15-11	CUL-ELD-SOC-COM	18 - 30	02/08/2015 - 16/08/2015	2	6
Lights up the life with color- Fuxing Internationa	HONDAO15-12	CUL-ELD-SOC-COM	18 - 30	16/08/2015 - 30/08/2015	2	7
My Happiness shop-Part 2	LIUGUI15-04	CULT/CONS/AGRI	18 - 30	06/08/2015 - 19/08/2015	2	8
Let`s Repair Old Houses in Xiluo	LUOYOUN15-02	CONS-CULT	18 - 30	26/07/2015 - 08/08/2015	2	9
Post Card making and kid`s toys exhibition in Tais	TAISI15-3	ART-CULT	18 - 30	22/07/2015 - 03/08/2015	2	10
INSEPARABLE SPINDRIFT AT TWIN HEART ISLE	TFCF15-05-15	KIDS-CULT	18 - 30	13/07/2015 - 25/07/2015	2	11
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