

Referencia: 1

Code: WS14BINN

Year: 2014

Name: NATURE TRAILS

Location: ZURICH

Address:

Url: www.workamp.ch

Project: ENVI - Environmental

Initial Date: 28/06/2014

Final Date: 12/07/2014

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 1

Description of Workcamp: WS14BINN 28/06/14 ¿ 12/07/1 NATURE TRAILS, ENVI PROJECT

In the year 2002 the communities of Binn, Ernen and Grengiols started the project ¿landscape parc Binntal¿. Nine years later in 2011 the nature parc got the label ¿regional parc of national importance¿. The landscape parc Binntal is therefore the first nature parc in the canton of Valais. In the regional nature parcs the protection and the caring of valuable living biotopes and remarkable beautiful landscapes get combined with the economic development. Important duties of these parcs are:

- * Conservation and improvement of the quality of the nature and the landscape
- * Strengthening of sustainable economy
- * Raising awareness and environmental education
- * Management and communication

WORK

The main work of the Workcamp is to clean up work on grasslands and alpine pastures and the installation of hiking paths in the country parc Binntal. Before the hiking season will start, the International Volunteers help to clean the hiking paths and to mark them.

Insurance: The volunteers are responsible to organize their own health insurance and any other insurance they might need when they travel to Switzerland. We have an Insurance for third party liability.

ACCOMMODATION

The Volunteers will either sleep in a holiday flat or similar or in dormitories in a civil protection shelter in the village of Binn close from the working place. The group will have a budget for the food and will prepare all the meals themselves. The Volunteers will also be responsible that the accommodation is clean and tidy. The accommodation is simple.

LOCATION

The valley of Binn is also called «the valley of the secret treasures» and is famous for its richness of minerals. Also the wildlife is multifaceted. The pretty mountain village Binn lies above 1¿400 meters over the sea. The village has national importance and got awarded with the price of places with important cultural heritages in 1992.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Because the Volunteers will work outside all the time, they need to bring warm, robust working clothes (water proofed), trekking shoes (suitable for the mountains) and hand gloves (strong working gloves).

AIRPORT

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The next airports are Geneva, Basel, Zurich or Milano.

LANGUAGE

English/ some German

Referencia: 2

Code: WS14CU04

Year: 2014

Name: SUMMER CAMP (CARTA DE MOTIVACIÓN)

Location: ZURICH

Address:

Url: www.workamp.ch

Project: EDU-KITCH - Educational - Cooking

Initial Date: 13/07/2014

Final Date: 26/07/2014

Min Age: 20

Max Age: 30

Places: 1

Description of Workcamp: WS14CU04 13/07/14 - 26/07/14 SUMMER CAMPEDU/KITCH

PROJECT

The goal of the group 'fRilingue' is to offer teenagers (age: 10-18 years) language camps. The aim of 'fRilingue' is the combination of language courses (French and English) in the morning with free time activities such as sport, music, dance, theatre and cinema in the afternoons. The youngsters will learn outside or in tents if the weather is bad.

During the Workcamp you have also the time for a cool bath in the Lake of Neuchatel, for trips or workshops in the afternoon and discovering the region on the weekend.

WORK

The main work of the volunteers will be the preparation of the daily meals (breakfasts, lunches, dinners). Together with a cook they organise the menu schedule, do the shopping and wash the dishes afterwards. Volunteers will also do housekeeping and cleaning rooms, showers and toilets. It would be helpful if volunteers know how to prepare a meal for a bigger group.

ACCOMODATION

During the spring and autumn camps Volunteers will sleep in dormitories. In the summer camps they will sleep in tents or in a tipi under the sky. It is very simple, but there is a kitchen, toilets and showers.

LOCATION

The village Cudrefin is a getaway and holiday resort on the boarder of the lake of Neuchâtel.

There is an infrastructure for tourists with holiday houses, camping ground, a swimming beach and two big sailing harbours.

REMARKS/ SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Volunteers should have interest in leading a group of young people. We are looking for mature people. The group fRilingue is looking for people who like sport and creative activities and who like to support youngsters in their own talents. Volunteers should be able to prepare a meal. The international Workcamps consist of small groups of four Volunteers, additionally they will work together with Swiss Volunteers from fRilingue. If you are interested to be a part of this workcamp please send a short motivation letter. Age: 20+ for summer Camps, 18+ for spring and autumn Camps!

LEISURE ACTIVITIES / BENEFITS FOR VOLUNTEERS

LEISURE ACITIVITIES/ BENEFITS FOR VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers will get to know the magic region of Cudrefin. Twice a week, they will accompany the adolescents on an afternoon journey to the close by region. On the weekends longer excursions are planned. The evenings will involve social events where the volunteers can participate and enjoy.

LANGUAGE

French/English (Affinity for French language)

Insurance: The volunteers are responsible to organize their own health insurance and any other insurance they might need when they travel to Switzerland. We have an Insurance for third party liability.

Referencia: 3

Code: WS14SWE04

Year: 2014

Name: ENGLISH CAMP (CARTA DE MOTIVACIÓN)

Location: ZURICH

Address:

Url: www.workcamp.ch

Project: EDU-KITCH - Educational - Cooking

Initial Date: 27/07/2014

Final Date: 09/08/2014

Min Age: 20

Max Age: 30

Places: 1

Description of Workcamp: WS14SWE04 27/07/14-09/08/14
ENGLISH CAMP EDU/KITCH

PROJECT

The goal of the group 'fRilingue' is to offer teenagers (age: 10 - 20 years) a two week language camp. The aim of 'fRilingue'- English Camps is language courses (English) in the morning in combination with free time activities such as sport, music, dance, theatre and cinema in the afternoons. In the afternoons and on the weekend the group will discover the region. The youngsters will learn outside or in tents if the weather is bad.

WORK

The main work of the volunteers will be the preparation of the daily meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner). Together with a cook they organise the menu schedule, do the shopping and wash the dishes afterwards. Volunteers will also do housekeeping and cleaning rooms, showers and toilets. It would be helpful if volunteers know how to prepare a meal for a bigger group.

ACCOMODATION

In the mountain camps volunteers will sleep in tents or in dormitories. It is very simple, but there is a kitchen, toilets and showers.

LOCATION

Schwarzsee is blessed with nature's bounty and lies 3,435 feet asl. The village is framed by impressive mountains and an idyllic mountain lake. The River Sense Country is on the so-called Röstigraben. The rolling countryside appeals due to its magnificent landscapes and varied cultural assets - it is definitely worthwhile to stay a bit longer.

REMARKS/ SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Volunteers should have interest in leading a group of young people. We are looking for mature personalities.

The group fRilingue is looking for people who like sport and creative activities and who like to support youngsters in their own talents. Volunteers should be able to prepare a meal. The international Workcamps consist of small groups of four Volunteers, additionally they will work together with Swiss Volunteers from fRilingue. If you are interested to be a part of this workcamp please send a short motivation letter. Age: 20+

LEISURE ACITIVITIES/ BENEFITS FOR VOLUNTEERS

Discovering the charming region of Schwarzsee with its fascinating wildlife and

nature - ideal for nature lovers, families and sports lovers! Twice a week, volunteers will accompany the adolescents on an afternoon journey to the close by region. On the weekends longer excursions are planned. The evenings will involve social events where the volunteers can participate and enjoy.

Insurance: The volunteers are responsible to organize their own health insurance and any other insurance they might need when they travel to Switzerland. We have an Insurance for third party liability.

AIRPORT

The next airport is Geneva.

LANGUAGE

English

Referencia: 4

Code: WS14TEUF

Year: 2014

Name: POWER OF NATURE

Location: ZURICH

Address:

Url: www.workamp.ch

Project: ENVI - Environmental

Initial Date: 19/07/2014

Final Date: 02/08/2014

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 1

Description of Workcamp: WS14TEUF 19/07/14 - 02/08/14
POWER OF NATURE ENVI/A4A

PROJECT

The Volunteers will live and work on the biological farm Buehlmatt in Teuffenthal. The farm is run by Edith von Allmen, who lives there with her children and some employees. Buehlmatt is also the home and working place of some adults with mental health problems. The project offers those people professional care, work on the farm and a home. There are about five people and a lot of animals (cows, chickens etc.) living on the farm. The people on the farm are looking forward to the Workcamp and the cultural exchange.

WORK

On the biofarm Buehlmatt there is always a lot of work. The volunteer tasks consist of maintenance around the forest. They will for example help to cut and prepare firewood for the winter months, to clean the forest or to fix fences around the chicken house and the playground, depending on the needs of the farm and the weather.

ACCOMMODATION

The volunteers will stay in dormitories in a small hut close by the farm Buehlmatt. There is a kitchen, a simple toilet and shower. It's a nice, but simple accommodation for real nature lovers who want to live away from a big city. The main meals will get prepared by the project partner together with the Volunteers and everyone is responsible for the main cleaning and to follow the house's rules of the host.

LOCATION

Teuffenthal (close to Thun) is located in the pre-Alps. Teuffenthal consists of farm houses spread across the hills. There are only 180 people living there. Thun is a bit more than 10 km away. Thun is a charming little town with stunning view on lake and the mountains. From Thun it's only 20 minutes by train to reach Bern, the capital of Switzerland.

SPECIAL REMARKS/ REQUIREMENTS

No alcohol and no drugs are allowed inside and around the farm Buehlmatt. If anyone breaks this rule, she/he will have to leave the camp immediately. The motivation of the volunteers has to be very high to work outdoors and it can be physically demanding. They should bring along warm, robust working clothes, sun and rain protection and good shoes to work. Two places are open for Volunteers with any kind of handicap.

FREE TIME ACTIVITIES

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In their leisure time volunteers can go for a hike in the nearby mountains. This region is famous for hiking tourists. There are many hiking trails close by. It's also possible to visit Thun on the weekend.

TERMINAL

Next Airports: Zurich, Basel, Geneva

LANGUAGE

English

Insurance: The volunteers are responsible to organize their own health insurance and any other insurance they might need when they travel to Switzerland. We have an Insurance for third party liability.

Codes Order

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NATURE TRAILS	WS14BINN	ENVI	18 - 30	28/06/2014 - 12/07/2014	1	1
SUMMER CAMP (CARTA DE MOTIVACIÓN)	WS14CU04	EDU-KITCH	20 - 30	13/07/2014 - 26/07/2014	1	2
ENGLISH CAMP (CARTA DE MOTIVACIÓN)	WS14SWE04	EDU-KITCH	20 - 30	27/07/2014 - 09/08/2014	1	3
POWER OF NATURE	WS14TEUF	ENVI	18 - 30	19/07/2014 - 02/08/2014	1	4
Total N° Campos: 4				Total N° Plazas:		4

Dates Order

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POWER OF NATURE	WS14TEUF	ENVI	18 - 30	19/07/2014 - 02/08/2014	1	4
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