

Project details

Code: CPI02-19 **Date:** 2019-07-01 / 2019-07-15 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 28

Name: NATIONAL PARK FORESTE CASENTINESI

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI) - Work with animals (ANIM)

Country: ITALIA

Location: PRATOVECCHIO

Address: PRATOVECCHIO

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English, English

GPS location

GPS: lat: 43.7844148, lng: 11.740994600000

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Description

Partner:

This international workcamp is going to take place for the 4th year, organised in collaboration with social cooperative In Quiete, coordinated by Foreste Casentinesi National Park and Forestry State Corps. Voluntary activities in Foreste Casentinesi were launched in May 2011 with two national camps. Foreste Casentinesi National Park covers an area on the two sides of the Apennine watershed between Romagna and Tuscany regions. The Park territory is outstanding for the great wealth and variety of flora (1000 species recorded up to now) and fauna, which includes elements of great scientific interest: common deer, fallow deer, roe deer, wild boar, mouflon (mountain sheep) and the wolf, 139 types of birds. In 2015 Foreste Casentinesi National Park joined the European Charter for Sustainable Tourism. The main activities of the National Park and Forestry State Corps are the following: study and scientific research, man-environment relationship development, marginal areas recovering and ecological balance protection, safeguard of ecosystems and natural landscapes, sustainable development and local products promotion, didactics (guided tours for school, sensorial path, forestry museum, planetarium etc.). Website (English version available): <http://www.parcforestecasentinesi.it>. The social cooperative In Quiete supports the National Park's authorities by providing hiking activities, eco-friendly touristic, recreation and voluntary activities in the protected area, environmental education and training courses on forestry management and bioengineering, design and maintenance of footpaths, information boards, protection and promotion of historical, cultural and natural heritage of the area. Website (only in Italian): <http://www.cooperativainquiete.it/>

Work:

The team of volunteers will consist of 4 national and 8 international volunteers. The volunteers will support the main activities and the daily life of the National Park Foreste Casentinesi such as monitoring and cleaning trekking paths and facilities, fauna/flora signals advising, fire watching and water source conservation, restoring wildlife habitats, visitors assistance. Please consider that most of the activities will be of control and monitoring but not manual, as nature conservation often requires. The detailed program will be communicated on the day of arrival; however, it may be changed according to the meteorological conditions and to the organisational needs. The volunteers will get a short on arrival training and educational supervision during the workcamp. You should have adaptation spirit and be ready to WALK A LOT during the day (also from the accommodation in the morning and back in the evening) and WORK OUTDOOR with rigorous conditions of mountain environment. Volunteers must have with them an individual mountain equipment for work: trekking shoes, backpack, windbreaker and raincoat, hat, working gloves, flashlight (preferably frontal), water bottle.

Accommodation and food:

Volunteers will be hosted in the mountain shelters at the Park's disposal and particularly in Corniolo (FC) and in Montanino (AR) guesthouses, structured into shared rooms with common bathrooms. Depending on the activities, weather and activities, some nights may be spent in other refuges or tents. Within all the lodgings, a fully equipped kitchen is available. Breakfast, packed lunch and dinners will be prepared by the volunteers themselves in the accommodation (food is provided by the hosting organisation). The volunteers will cook and clean as a team. You must bring a sleeping bag, a mattress pad and a pillowcase. Please make sure you are comfortable with basic living conditions.

Location and leisure:

Foreste Casentinesi National Park - Pratovecchio (AR). The workcamp will take place in a quite isolated area, but it may be possible to visit big cities during your free days (both Arezzo and Florence are 50km far). Nevertheless, you will have a great opportunity to swim in a mountain river, make sightseeing around breathtaking landscapes, enjoy ancient paths and local gastronomic traditions of small mountain villages. Please, bring typical games, recipes, musical instruments from your country.

Requirements:

YAP project-related motivation form is required. This workcamp is recommended for those who love nature, enjoy working outdoors, taking care of the environment and walking a lot. A specific scientific preparation is not required but for everyone's security and the environment's protection the volunteers are asked to follow accurately the instructions of the staff and organisers. You must have a suitable mountain equipment: trekking shoes, backpack, windbreaker and raincoat, hat, working gloves, flashlight (preferably frontal), water bottle.

Additional information**Location:**

PRATOVECCHIO

How to get

Airport: FLR

Bus/train station: Pratovecchio

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 43.7844148, lng: 11.740994600000

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Project details

Code: CPI03-19 **Date:** 2019-07-01 / 2019-07-21 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: BETTER FUTURE FOR SAHARAWI CHILDREN 1

Type of work: Work with kids (KIDS) - Work with people with disabilities (DISA)

Country: ITALIA

Location: GROTTAMMARE

Address: GROTTAMMARE

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English,esp

GPS location

GPS: lat: 42.9853425, lng: 13.8683671

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Description

Partner:

Rio de Oro is a non profit association whose aim is to provide medical care and assistance to Saharawi people, especially kids with different kinds of disabilities (physical, cognitive, mental, sensory, emotional, developmental). Saharawi (desert people) lives in refugee camps in the southwest of Algeria. The Saharawi refugees have survived the great exodus from the Western Sahara: endless marches in the desert in 1975. Rio de Oro was established in 2000 and helps Saharawi people with handicap problems directly in Algeria and in Italy. The main activities of Rio de Oro are: child sponsorship, support to the schools of special education, health care in refugee camps, summer camps and health care in Italy for disabled children (6-11 years old). Website: <http://www.riodeoro.it/>

Work:

The international volunteers will be helping the staff and numerous national volunteers work with Saharawi children (6-14 years old) with different kinds of disabilities (physical, cognitive, mental, sensory, emotional, developmental). This means that most of the kids are not self-sufficient. Make and participate to activities for the children (collective games, didactic activities...), feeding them (breakfast, lunch, dinner, snacks), getting them dressed, changing the diapers, showers, house care (cleaning, cooking...). But also, we need volunteers to come with a lot of energy to play, push wheelchair, go to the beach with the children. The shifts during the day and also night will be very flexible (to be arranged with the camplader and with local volunteers), so flexibility and adaptability are strongly required. English, Spanish and Italian will be the main languages of the workcamp but any language skill is welcome. Along with English, the main spoken languages usually are: Italian (most of our volunteers are local), Spanish (Western Sahara used to be a Spanish colony before the Moroccan occupation; the leaders that come with the kids are fluent Spanish speakers) and, of course, Hassaniya, the arabic dialect the kids speak. Nevertheless, don't worry, you will manage to understand the kids, some of them speak Italian or understand Spanish and there will be a lot of interpreters to help.

Accommodation and food:

The international volunteers will be hosted at the primary school in the city centre along with the national volunteers and the children. The school is equipped with: 5 shared bedrooms that will be appropriately separated for girls and boys, and the kids; bathrooms and a shower for each bedroom common bathrooms; dining room; kitchen; common areas: two halls for activities; gardens with games around the building; rooms for the children physical therapy. Breakfast, lunch and dinner are provided at the canteen by the hosting organization.

Location and leisure:

Grottammare is a really nice seaside town of 15.000 inhabitants on Italy's Adriatic coast, in the province of Ascoli Piceno, Marche region. Nearest airports are ROME (Ciampino or Fiumicino), BOLOGNA and ANCONA.

Grottammare bus station or S. Benedetto del Tronto train station are the nearest terminal. There is a direct bus from Roma Fiumicino Leonardo da Vinci airport to Grottammare.

Requirements:

YAP project-related motivation form is required. We don't need people with specific curriculum but aware about the topic and really motivated to contribute to the project. Any qualification or previous experience as nurse, physiotherapist or educator etc. is very welcome. AFTER the acceptance, you are required to provide an extract of your criminal record (Certificate of Good Conduct).

Additional information

Location:

GROTTAMMARE

How to get

Airport: FCO

Bus/train station: Grottammare

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 42.9853425, lng: 13.8683671

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Project details

Code: CPI06-19**Date:** 2019-08-03 / 2019-08-17**Total places:** 2**Age:** 18 - 30**Name:** ROIATE**Type of work:** Environmental (ENVI) - Manual work (MANU)**Country:** ITALIA**Location:** ROIATE**Address:** ROIATE**Email:****Phone Number:****Web:****Fee:** 0.0 EUR**Languages:** English, English

GPS location

GPS: lat: 41.8748005, lng: 13.065711599999[Click to open in Google Maps](#)

Description

Partner:

Since many years YAP Italy organise workcamps in Roiate in cooperation with the town hall and an NGO called Sentiero Verde (Green Footpath). Roiate is a small isolated and picturesque village, about 60 km from Rome, surrounded by the natural park of Aniene river. There are some ancient ruins in the park: this territory has been inhabited since the pre-Roman era and you can still observe pieces of polygonal walls (aka Cyclopean masonry) built in the Iron Age. In the Middle Age, Roiate fell under control of the monastery of Subiaco and, according to the legend, Saint Benedict from Norcia left his mark on a stone nearby while lying on it. Ever since the IV century a church and then a convent were built to preserve this stone. The church, devoted to Saint Benedict himself, still exists. Rich natural, cultural and historical heritage ensures the constant interest of pilgrims and hikers in visiting this area thanks to several trekking footpaths across the natural park. The workcamp is organised with Roiate Municipality and Sentiero Verde a non profit organisation that since 30 years deals with trekking and ecotourism in Lathium region, creates different extra urban and urban footpaths, organises training courses for mountain guides, promotes sustainable tourism and local development of territory through hiking. Thanks to the previous workcamps, Sentiero Verde has already restored a part of footpath of Roiate, it s time to make a next step

Work:

Volunteers will be involved in outdoor activities such as cleaning and maintenance of the path, cleaning and maintenance of old fountains and ruins, signals and fences restoring, garbage removing, etc Volunteers will be working 6-7 hours per day under the supervision of local technical leader. Be prepared for physical work and hiking mountain paths every day Volunteers will also have the chance to meet the local community, participating in meetings and events and helping Sentiero Verde in hiking events. This workcamp is recommended for those who love nature, enjoy working outdoors, taking care of the environment and walking a lot. You must have a suitable mountain equipment: trekking shoes, backpack, windbreaker and raincoat, hat, working gloves, flashlight (preferably frontal), water bottle.

Accommodation and food:

Volunteers will be hosted in the mountain shelter around 2 km away from the town centre. The lodging is structured into shared rooms with common bathroom and a fully equipped kitchen. You must bring your sleeping bag and a mat. Budget for the food is provided. The volunteers will go shopping, cook and clean as a team.

Location and leisure:

Roiate, 60 km away from Rome, is a very small village (around 800 inhabitants, a bit more in the summertime). Although it is not far from Rome, there is no bus connection after 5 p.m. so it is NOT possible to visit Rome after work or in the free time. Visit to Rome could be arranged only during the free day. You will have a perfect opportunity to get to know a very friendly local community, to hike every day and discover the local traditional cuisine as well. Old ladies of the village would love to teach you some typical recipes. Please, bring with you typical games, recipes, musical instruments from your country. The best option to arrive in Roiate is to take a direct bus (before 05 pm) from Roma Anagnina bus station [Metro A].

Requirements:

YAP project-related motivation letter is required. Please, consider that Roiate is quite isolated and although it is not far from Rome, there is no bus connection after 5 p.m. It is NOT possible to visit Rome after work or in the free time. Visit to Rome could be arranged only during the free day.

Additional information

Location:

ROIATE

How to get

Airport: FCO**Bus/train station:** Roiate**GPS station location**

GPS: lat: 41.8748005, lng: 13.065711599999[Click to open in Google Maps](#)

Project details

Code: CPI08-19 **Date:** 2019-08-03 / 2019-08-17 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: RADIO ONDA D URTO 1

Type of work: Manual work (MANU) - Festival (FEST)

Country: ITALIA

Location: BRESCIA

Address: BRESCIA

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English, Italian

GPS location

GPS: lat: 45.5415526, lng: 10.211801899999

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Description

Partner:

Since 1992, the Social Centre Magazzino 47 organizes a summer festival of Radio Onda d Urto in Brescia. The Festival aims to finance the independent radio station RADIO ONDA D URTO and its activities. The radio station was established in the 70 s, and since then provides social, political and cultural information out of the mainstream media. The aim of the workcamp is to support an independent voice and, through it, the freedom of speech.

Work:

International volunteers will make up a bigger team of volunteers helping SET UP and run the festival. Before the beginning of the festival the group of the international volunteers will help to construct the marquees, decorate the area, put up signage etc. During the festival the volunteers will help maintaining site infrastructure e.g. cleaning the area and waste sorting (for later recycling), helping at food stands and restaurants to prepare, sell and serve the food, clean the kitchen and other spaces, arrange the area for the performances, etc. However the volunteers may be asked to do other jobs according to the festival needs. The international volunteers will work for around 7/8 hours per day. The work will be done in pairs or small groups in different shifts (to be arranged together with the camplader) in the morning, afternoon and mostly late in the evening. During the free time the volunteers will have the opportunity to join concerts, performances, DJ-sets, etc. in the festival area. Please note that flexibility and adaptability are required, and there might be some physically demanding work from time to time (under the sun or rain sometimes). Be ready to work in a big team of national volunteers and hopefully become wonderful members of this great family International volunteers will have 2 free days, to be arranged with the festival organizers.

Accommodation and food:

Volunteers will be hosted in a local social centre, called Magazzino 47, a self-managed place for youth where social, cultural, and political activities are organized. For the whole duration of the festival the social centre is closed for visitors and reserved for the accommodation of the volunteers. There are several toilets and a shower. The accommodation is not well-connected with the festival area by public transport so different pick up shifts will be arranged with the organisers to go to work and to come back to the accommodation. Sleeping bags, goodwill and open-mindedness are required.

Location and leisure:

The festival takes place in Brescia, a city in Lombardy region in the north of Italy. Brescia is a city in the region of Lombardy in northern Italy. It is situated at the foot of the Alps, a few kilometres from the lakes Garda and Iseo. The monumental archaeological area of the Roman forum and the monastic complex of San Salvatore-Santa Giulia have become a UNESCO World Heritage Site as part of a group of seven inscribed as Longobards in Italy, Places of Power.

Requirements:

YAP project-related motivation form is required. Volunteers must be motivated to work hard to make the festival a success, be enthusiastic and open-minded.

Additional information

Location:

BRESCIA

How to get

Airport: MXP

Bus/train station: Brescia

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 45.5415526, lng: 10.211801899999

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Project details

Code: CPI09-19 **Date:** 2019-08-15 / 2019-08-28 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: RADIO ONDA D URTO 2

Type of work: Manual work (MANU) - Festival (FEST)

Country: ITALIA

Location: BRESCIA

Address: BRESCIA

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English, Italian

GPS location

GPS: lat: 45.5415526, lng: 10.211801899999

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Description

Partner:

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Work:

International volunteers will make up a bigger team of volunteers helping run the festival and dismantle the festival area. During the festival the volunteers will help maintaining site infrastructure e.g. cleaning the area and waste sorting (for later recycling), helping at food stands and restaurants to prepare, sell and serve the food, clean the kitchen and other spaces, arrange the area for the performances, etc. Volunteers will clear up and take down the site at the end of the festival. During the take down phase (2 working days) work usually begins at 9am with a short meeting to discuss the tasks for the day, and finish around 5 pm, with lunch and regular breaks. However the volunteers may be asked to do other jobs according to the festival needs. The international volunteers will work for around 7/8 hours per day. The work will be done in pairs or small groups in different shifts (to be arranged together with the camplleader) in the morning, afternoon and mostly late in the evening. During the free time the volunteers will have the opportunity to join concerts, performances, DJ-sets, etc. in the festival area. Please note that flexibility and adaptability are required, and there might be some physically demanding work from time to time (under the sun or rain sometimes). Be ready to work in a big team of national volunteers and hopefully become wonderful members of this great family International volunteers will have 2 free days, to be arranged with the festival organizers.

Accommodation and food:

Volunteers will be hosted in a local social centre, called Magazzino 47, a self-managed place for youth where social, cultural, and political activities are organized. For the whole duration of the festival the social centre is closed for visitors and reserved for the accommodation of the volunteers. There are several toilets and a shower. The accommodation is not well-connected with the festival area by public transport so different pick up shifts will be arranged with the organisers to go to work and to come back to the accommodation. Sleeping bag, sleeping mat, goodwill and open-mindedness are required.

Location and leisure:

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Requirements:

YAP project-related motivation form is required. Volunteers must be motivated to work hard to make the festival a success, be enthusiastic and open-minded.

Additional information

Location:

BRESCIA

How to get

Airport: MXP

Bus/train station: Brescia

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 45.5415526, lng: 10.211801899999

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Project details

Code: CPI11-19 **Date:** 2019-07-07 / 2019-07-21 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: LITTLE PEACE AMBASSADORS 1

Type of work: Work with kids (KIDS)

Country: ITALIA

Location: GAVARDO

Address: GAVARDO

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English, Italian

GPS location

GPS: lat: 45.584829100000, lng: 10.441879299999

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Description

Partner:

Rio de Oro is a nonprofit association whose aim is to provide medical care and assistance to Saharawi people, especially kids with different kinds of disabilities (physical, cognitive, mental, sensory, emotional, developmental). Saharawi (desert people) lives in refugee camps in the southwest of Algeria. The Saharawi refugees have survived the great exodus from the Western Sahara: endless marches in the desert in 1975. Rio de Oro Gavardo Onlus is one of the national branches and was formally established in 2010 but the group of active volunteers from Brescia and neighboring towns help Saharawi people with handicap problems directly in Algeria and in Italy since 2007. The main activities of Rio de Oro Gavardo are: child sponsorship, support to the schools of special education, health care in refugee camps, medical assistance of disabled children and adolescents (6-17 years old). The association organizes summer camps in three different locations near Brescia: Vallio Terme, Idro and Gavardo in order to give appropriate health care and unforgettable summer experience to these little peace ambassadors whose voices and stories have to be spread.

Work:

The international volunteers will be helping the staff and numerous national volunteers work with Saharawi children and adolescents (6-17 years old) with different kinds of disabilities (physical, cognitive, mental, sensory, emotional, developmental). This means that most of the kids are not self-sufficient. The main activities are: organize and participate to activities for the children (collective games, didactic activities...), feed them (breakfast, lunch, dinner, snacks), get them dressed, change the diapers, take showers, house care (cleaning, cooking etc). Also we need volunteers to come with a lot of energy to play, push wheelchairs, go out with kids and accompany them in the swimming pool. The shifts during the day are flexible and will be arranged with the campleader and local volunteers but the busiest hours are: from 8 am to 1 am in the morning (8:00-13:00) and from 4 pm to 10 pm in the evening (16:00-22:00). Flexibility and adaptability are strongly required English, Spanish and Italian will be the main languages of the workcamp but any language skill is welcome Along with English, the main spoken languages usually are: Italian (most of our volunteers are local), Spanish (Western Sahara used to be a Spanish colony before the Moroccan occupation; the leaders that come with the kids are fluent Spanish speakers) and, of course, Hassaniya, the arabic dialect the kids speak. Nevertheless, don t worry, you will manage to understand the kids, some of them speak Italian or understand Spanish and there will be a lot of interprets to help.

Accomodation and food:

The international volunteers will be hosted at the primary parish school in GAVARDO. The Saharawi children and local volunteers are housed at the same buildings in separated rooms. The accommodations are equipped with: common toilets and showers, dining room, kitchen; common areas. Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be prepared by the national and international volunteers at the canteen.

LITTLE PEACE AMBASSADORS 1**CPI11-19****Location and leisure:**

Gavardo is a small town 30 km away from Brescia near the Garda Lake. International volunteers will move with children also in neighboring municipalities.

Requirements:

YAP project-related motivation form is required. We don't need people with specific curriculum but aware about the topic and really motivated to contribute to the project. Any qualification or previous experience as nurse, physiotherapist or educator etc. is very welcome.

Additional information

Location:

GAVARDO

Remarks

YAP project-related motivation form is required.

How to get

Airport: BGY

Bus/train station: Brescia

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 45.5415526, lng: 10.211801899999

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Project details

Code: CPI14-19 **Date:** 2019-07-21 / 2019-08-04 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: LITTLE PEACE AMBASSADORS 2

Type of work: Work with kids (KIDS)

Country: ITALIA

Location: GAVARDO

Address: GAVARDO

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English, Italian

GPS location

GPS: lat: 45.584829100000, lng: 10.441879299999

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Description

Partner:

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Work:

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Accomodation and food:

The international volunteers will be hosted at the primary parish school in GAVARDO. The Saharawi children and local volunteers are housed at the same buildings in separated rooms. The accommodations are equipped with: common toilets and showers, dining room, kitchen; common areas. Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be prepared by the national and international volunteers at the canteen.

Location and leisure:

Gavardo is a small town 30 km away from Brescia near the Garda Lake. International volunteers will move with children also in neighboring municipalities.

Requirements:

YAP project-related motivation form is required. We don't need people with specific curriculum but aware about the topic and really motivated to contribute to the project. Any qualification or previous experience as nurse, physiotherapist or educator etc. is very welcome.

Additional information

Location:

GAVARDO

Remarks

YAP project-related motivation form is required.

How to get

Airport: BGY

Bus/train station: Brescia

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 45.5415526, lng: 10.211801899999

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Project details

Code: IBO IT 14-19 **Date:** 2019-07-29 / 2019-08-11 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: SPILAMBERTO (MO)

Type of work: Renovation (RENO) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: ITALIA

Location: SPILAMBERTO

Address: SPILAMBERTO

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English, Italian

GPS location

GPS: lat: 44.5325046, lng: 11.016485200000

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Description

Partner:

Overseas is a non-profit organization and NGO established in Spilamberto (Modena) in 1971 to promote the global development of communities in non-European countries through volunteering and international cooperation, support for local grassroots organizations and groups, distance solidarity for children and young people in need. Overseas has always given great importance to the assumption of lifestyles oriented to the sobriety of consumption, to solidarity without borders and has made practices of recovery and reuse of the principle mode of research of economic resources for the construction of its headquarters. The workcamp is an important stage in the redevelopment process of the association's headquarters, and in particular the historic building consisting of a shed of about 500 square meters in the 80s used for agricultural use for the storage of tools and animals and then used for storage of goods donated for reuse and recycling. The shed is located in the land owned by the association in the vicinity of another building properly Casa Overseas used as the operational headquarters and residence of the Association in which the participants will be hosted in the workcamp; around the two buildings there is a large green area, at the time used as an educational-experimental field, with a garden, vegetable garden and arboretum of traditional varieties. The project consists in the reorganization of the spaces and activities that are.

Work:

Preparation of the premises identified for the laboratories: cleaning, painting, decoration, arrangement of service furniture, transfer and placement of goods, materials and equipment. Support actions for the redevelopment of the shed: sorting of donated materials and used goods, simple manual maintenance, upcycling of furniture and furnishings. Simple manual maintenance of the external furnishings and placement of signs and supports for hospitality and conviviality. Detection of elements in the external area for updating the mapping of the arboretum and identification of routes for the visit.

Accommodation and food:

At the headquarters of the association (Casa Overseas). There are rooms shared with networks and mattresses. Volunteers will be required to collaborate in preparing meals and cleaning the rooms of the house.

Location and leisure:

Modena, Bologna.

Requirements:

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Additional information

Location:

SPILAMBERTO

How to get

Airport: BLQ**Bus/train station:** Castelfranco Emilia**GPS station location**

GPS: lat: 44.5899674, lng: 11.097835700000[Click to open in Google Maps](#)

Project details

Code: IBO IT 17-19 **Date:** 2019-08-05 / 2019-08-17 **Total places:** 2 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: SAN BENEDETTO BELBO CN

Type of work: Renovation (RENO) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: ITALIA

Location: SAN BENEDETTO BELBO

Address: SAN BENEDETTO BELBO

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English, Italian

GPS location

GPS: lat: 44.4913946, lng: 8.0561682999999

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Description

Partner:

The workcamp is in San Benedetto Belbo (Cuneo) a smaller monastic community in Alba s diocese was born in 1980. This workcamp is inside to the project Villaggio Elim (www.villaggioelim.it) a residential and no residential community project based on the choice of poverty, hosting and contemplation. The Villaggio Elim is a big traditional and local house rebuilding thought several IBO workcamps starting since '90 and a dry stone school. During the years many volunteers were involved to rebuild the building and the territory learning the dry stone technique typical of the ancient small walls on the hills of this land. In particular they worked for: construction of a stone bridge (2012) restoration of the access road (2015) rebuilding of a future hosting house (2016) courtyard arrangement with the close supporting wall, cleaning around the hosting house (2017) On 2019 they planned a recovery of the stone heritage of a complex of the century XVII to recover the spaces for a meeting room on the ground floor, a living room on the first floor and services and storage in the back.

Work:

Ground work, cleaning around a ruin, cutting of brambles, recovery of stones, renovation of a wall of 4 meters in dry stone, accommodation courtyard at the house-guests.

Accommodation and food:

In the community. There are rooms with bed and mattress, shared bathroom. Volunteers will contribute to the preparation of meals.

Location and leisure:

San Benedetto Bulbo is an isolated village in the hills Cuneo, there are no public transport on weekends or special entertainment venues.

Requirements:

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Additional information

Location:

SAN BENEDETTO BELBO

How to get

Airport: TRN

Bus/train station: Alba

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 44.7009153, lng: 8.0356911000000

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Project details

Code: IBO IT 20-19 **Date:** 2019-08-19 / 2019-08-30 **Total places:** 2 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: CONTRADA VALLONE ROSSO BIANCAVILLA (CT)

Type of work: Manual work (MANU) - Agriculture (AGRI)

Country: ITALIA

Location: BIANCAVILLA

Address: BIANCAVILLA

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English, Italian

GPS location

GPS: lat: 37.6412127, lng: 14.870590999999

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Description

Partner:

The project is in collaboration with the the Cooperative A.R.A. Born from the experience of the Association Casa diMaria in Biancavilla with which IBO Italy collaborated with workcamps for a long time. The project is born from an idea of a group of person and professionists, engaged in the social services sector, with the purpose of creating a reality that can answer to the actual problems. The cooperative counts 9 members of an average age between 23-63 years old, motivated for different reasons to give service to people. In 2017 was found a shared space to gather their experiences and to transform in true projects: then, the Cooperative A.R.A. was born. The acronym A.R.A. stands for agriculture, catering and hospitality, areas that inter exchanging with each other allow a completely new view of the culture: create a reality that can constitute a virtuous circle that starts from the reception of minors, and succeeds in offering them concrete possibilities of job insertion, social reintegration and valid accompaniment to autonomy, through the cultivation of raw materials and the use of them in the catering Sector. The cooperative has in fact a private legacy consisting of a rural building and a plot of farmland of about 2 hectares, necessary for the implementation of the agricultural strand and of a rural tourism: about one hectare of cultivated vineyard, Palmento as future restaurant, professional and local kitchen necessary for the activation of the food strand.

Work:

Cleaning and arrangement of the land for the production recovery of the same, construction of fences, cleaning and reorganization of the green area around the house.

Accommodation and food:

At the premises in Contrada Vallone Rosso, for what concerns lunches and dinners will be distributed among the premises of Coop ARA and those of the association Casa di Maria distant from the place of activities about 7/8 minutes. There are beds with mattresses. Transport will be insured by the Project.

Location and leisure:

Vulcan Etna, Aci Reale.

Requirements:

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Additional information

Location:

BIANCAVILLA

How to get

Airport: CTA

Bus/train station: Catania

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 37.5078772, lng: 15.083030399999

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Project details

Code: IBO IT 21-19 **Date:** 2019-08-19 / 2019-08-31 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 28

Name: SAN BENEDETTO BELBO CN

Type of work: Renovation (RENO) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: ITALIA

Location: SAN BENEDETTO BELBO

Address: SAN BENEDETTO BELBO

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English, Italian

GPS location

GPS: lat: 44.4913946, lng: 8.0561682999999

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Description

Partner:

The workcamp is in San Benedetto Belbo (Cuneo) a smaller monastic community in Alba s diocese was born in 1980. This workcamp is inside to the project Villaggio Elim (www.villaggioelim.it) a residential and no residential community project based on the choice of poverty, hosting and contemplation. The Villaggio Elim is a big traditional and local house rebuilding thought several IBO workcamps starting since 90 and a dry stone school. During the years many volunteers were involved to rebuild the building and the territory learning the dry stone technique typical of the ancient small walls on the hills of this land. In particular they worked for: construction of a stone bridge (2012) restoration of the access road (2015) rebuilding of a future hosting house (2016) courtyard arrangement with the close supporting wall, cleaning around the hosting house (2017) On 2019 they planned a recovery of the stone heritage of a complex of the century XVII to recover the spaces for a meeting room on the ground floor, a living room on the first floor and services and storage in the back.

Work:

Ground work, cleaning around a ruin, cutting of brambles, recovery of stones, renovation of a wall of 4 meters in dry stone, accommodation courtyard at the house-guests. Part of the work, in addition to manual work, will consist in the collection of potatoes in support of a project in Chad that the local community is advocating.

Accommodation and food:

In the community. There are rooms with bed and mattress, shared bathroom. Volunteers will contribute to the preparation of meals.

Location and leisure:

San Benedetto Bulbo is an isolated village in the hills Cuneo, there are no public transport on weekends or special entertainment venues.

Requirements:

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Additional information

Location:

SAN BENEDETTO BELBO

How to get

Airport: TRN

Bus/train station: Alba

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 44.7009153, lng: 8.0356911000000

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Project details

Code: IG 19-01-19 **Date:** 2019-07-08 / 2019-07-22 **Total places:** 2 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: GERACI SICULO

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: ITALIA

Location: GERACI SICULO

Address: GERACI SICULO

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English, Italian

GPS location

GPS: lat: 37.8518903, lng: 14.152703299999

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Description

Partner:

The Municipality of Geraci Siculo is located in a very beautiful area in the Regional Park of Madonie, excellent spot for mountain and nature lovers. Geraci Siculo is a small town located on a mountain pick with beautiful views and peaceful surroundings. A very nice place to get to explore the countryside of Sicily.

Work:

Volunteers will be involved in the cleaning and maintenance of public areas, streets and old public spaces, build fences and irrigation of planting areas. They will work along with other local volunteers and workers of the public administration responsible for the green area. STUDY PART: Agronomist or other experts can explain the importance of water regulation and the commitment in the field of ecology.

Accommodation and food:

Accommodation will be in a school located in the town. Volunteers will sleep in the gym on inflatable camping mats provided. The school is equipped with a kitchen that volunteers will use to cook for themselves, food to be cooked will be provided by the camplader. Bathrooms with hot water showers are available inside the school.

Location and leisure:

During your free time you can hike in the mountains surrounding Geraci Siculo, there are a lot of beautiful walks. There are soccer and tennis fields. Geraci Siculo is very isolated, you can take a day off and go to Palermo or to Cefalu (to the seaside) with public transportation but be aware that there are very few bus a day and very often they leave early in the morning. Better to take a private local couch which costs can be shared among volunteers.

Requirements:

MOTIVATION LETTER is required.

Additional information

Location:

GERACI SICULO

How to get

Airport: PMO

Bus/train station: Palermo Centrale

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 38.1098468, lng: 13.367123300000

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Project details

Code: IG 19-07-19 **Date:** 2019-07-27 / 2019-08-06 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: MADONIE ADVENTURE PARK II

Type of work: Renovation (RENO) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: ITALIA

Location: PETRALIA SOPRANA (PA)

Address: PETRALIA SOPRANA (PA)

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR **Languages:** English, Italian

GPS location

GPS: lat: 37.7964148, lng: 14.107877499999

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Description

Partner:

The Madonie Adventure Park offers recreational-sports activities to be held in the natural environment of the Madonie Regional Park. This was the first adventure park in Sicily of its kind which had enhanced the value of naturalistic areas bringing a new concept of living the Nature: through outdoor activities and spending time in the forest. The Madonie Adventure Park is open to daily-time activities, or even for two-three days with an overnight stay and also residential summer camps for children, young people and adults. <https://www.parcoavventuramadonie.it/>

Work:

Activities will be linked to the management of the Adventure Park area such as maintenance and cleaning of space and as well as entertainment activities in English languages with young people. Before the beginning of the activity, there will be an introduction section for volunteers where also the territory will be introduced. In addition, volunteers could join the educators of summer camps where these topics will be explained too.

Accommodation and food:

Accommodation is offered in a shared bedroom in a closed town called Petralia Sottana. Basic condition and spartan camping fire will be organised for cooking. A sleeping bag is requested. Volunteers will be accompanied to the workplace/accommodation by a member of the parc. Petralia Sottana is located 1000 MASL cool temperature can be felt also in summer.

Location and leisure:

Volunteers can go for hiking or visiting nearby towns. Also, go to Palermo. Public buses are not a lot during the day, but it is possible to pay for local private service at an affordable price.

Requirements:

MOTIVATION LETTER is required. Volunteers have to like being in a natural outdoor environment, socialize with children and young people, to like hiking. Bigger cities are not easy to reach it is better to warn volunteers about the possibility to spend their free time in the nearby.

Additional information

Location:

PETRALIA SOPRANA (PA)

Remarks

Volunteers have to like being in a natural outdoor environment, socialize with children and young people, to like hiking. Bigger cities are not easy to reach it is better to warn volunteers about the possibility to spend their free time in the nearby.

How to get

Airport: PMO

Bus/train station: Petralia Sottana bus station

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 37.8085652, lng: 14.089950700000

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Project details

Code: IG 19-08-19 **Date:** 2019-08-07 / 2019-08-27 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: MADONIE ADVENTURE PARK III

Type of work: Renovation (RENO) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: ITALIA

Location: PETRALIA SOPRANA (PA)

Address: PETRALIA SOPRANA (PA)

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English, Italian

GPS location

GPS: lat: 37.7964148, lng: 14.107877499999

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Description

Partner:

The Madonie Adventure Park offers recreational-sports activities to be held in the natural environment of the Madonie Regional Park. This was the first adventure park in Sicily of its kind which had enhanced the value of naturalistic areas bringing a new concept of living the Nature: through outdoor activities and spending time in the forest. The Madonie Adventure Park is open to daily-time activities, or even for two-three days with an overnight stay and also residential summer camps for children, young people and adults. <https://www.parcoavventuramadonie.it/>

Work:

Activities will be linked to the management of the Adventure Park area such as maintenance and cleaning of space and as well as entertainment activities in English languages with young people. Before the beginning of the activity, there will be an introduction section for volunteers where also the territory will be introduced. In addition, volunteers could join the educators of summer camps where these topics will be explained too.

Accommodation and food:

Accommodation is offered in a shared bedroom in a closed town called Petralia Sottana. Basic condition and spartan camping fire will be organised for cooking. A sleeping bag is requested. Volunteers will be accompanied to the workplace/accommodation by a member of the parc. Petralia Sottana is located 1000 MASL cool temperature can be felt also in summer.

Location and leisure:

Volunteers can go for hiking or visiting nearby towns. Also, go to Palermo. Public buses are not a lot during the day, but it is possible to pay for local private service at an affordable price.

Requirements:

MOTIVATION LETTER is required. Volunteers have to like being in a natural outdoor environment, socialize with children and young people, to like hiking. Bigger cities are not easy to reach it is better to warn volunteers about the possibility to spend their free time in the nearby.

Additional information

Location:

PETRALIA SOPRANA (PA)

Remarks

Volunteers have to like being in a natural outdoor environment, socialize with children and young people, to like hiking. Bigger cities are not easy to reach it is better to warn volunteers about the possibility to spend their free time in the nearby.

How to get

Airport: PMO

Bus/train station: Petralia Sottana bus station

GPS station location

GPS: lat: 37.8085652, lng: 14.089950700000

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Go biking around the Green Station**LEG03-19****Project details****Code:** LEG03-19 **Date:** 2019-07-21 / 2019-08-04 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30**Name:** Go biking around the Green Station**Type of work:** Cultural (CULT)**Country:** ITALIA**Location:** STAZIONE DI BRENNALZATE**Address:** stazione di Brenna-Alzate**Email:****Phone Number:****Web:****Fee:** 0.0 EUR**Languages:** English**Description****Partner:**

Legambiente local group in Cantu was founded in the 90s when local people battled against the landfills of undifferentiated waste. From then it is committed to the recovery of territorial elements of environmental value, such as an ancient wash house in the town of Vertemate (CO). Still now the local group is active for the defense of biodiversity manages a Green Station riqualfied used for environmental education to community.

Work:

WORK: the volunteers will be involved in the reconstruction and restoration of the fountain and the surrounding area in collaboration with the municipalities of Alzate Brianza and Brenna.

STUDY PART: -

Accomodation and food:

First floor of the station building, two dependent rooms with 8 beds with shared bathroom. Shared kitchen living room. There is internet access. Italian diet

Location and leisure:

LOCATION AND LEISURE: the railway station, which dates back to 1888, is located in an area rich in environmental and historical values, within a consolidated system of regional parks. The area is rich in history and environment. A special value are the prealpine lakes that can be reached by train, located between the cities of Como and Lecco. It will also be possible to move around the area by bikes, provided by Legambiente local group.

TERMINAL: nearest airports in order of distance: Milan Linate, Milan Malpensa, Bergamo Orio Al Serio. Nearest railway station Brenna Alzate, Como and Lecco stations. More details will be given in the infosheet.

Requirements:

Able to ride a bike.

Additional information**Location:**

stazione di Brenna-Alzate

Project details

Code: LEG04-19

Date: 2019-07-07 / 2019-07-21

Total places: 2

Age: 18 - 30

Name: Save chestnut trees

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI)

Country: ITALIA

Location: BRESCIA

Address: Brescia

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

Legambiente Brescia works on several topics at the local level, like sustainable mobility, pollution, energy, waste management, with the aim to raise and sensitise the citizen awareness about these issues.

Work:

WORK: Volunteers will be involved in work of preparatory about planting of chestnut trees. They will work on cleaning the access paths to chestnut trees area, removing infest plants, with the aim to make the work of planting easier in winter.

STUDY PART: short study moments about local and sustainable food will be organized.

Accommodation and food:

Volunteers will be hosted in a refuge in the forest. Refuge has all confortpts (electricity, water, gas). Cooking and cleaning will be done by the volunteers.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION AND LEISURE: Brescia is an historical city with roman remains. It is surrounded by natural areas like mountains and lakes. It is very well connected with important cities like Milano, Verona and Venice. Since the accommodation is 30 minutes walking from the closest public transport, some excursion for volunteers will be organized.

TERMINAL: Closest airports are Milano Orio al Serio, Milano Linate and Verona Catullo. The train stops in the Brescia train station.

Requirements:

Good Walker.

Additional information

Location:

Brescia

Project details

Code: LEG05-19 **Date:** 2019-07-07 / 2019-07-20 **Total places:** 2 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Love the mountains in Alpe Dosso

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI)

Country: ITALIA

Location: ALPE DOSSO

Address: Alpe Dosso

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

Legambiente Lecco is made up of young and dynamic people, mostly under 30. The president himself is under 30 as well. The main activity of this Legambiente group is the management of an hostel; moreover, it has campaigned against food waste and for the correct waste management. Take a look at <https://it-it.facebook.com/legambiente.lecco> for details. We also have a new English website

Work:

WORK: Volunteers will clean pathways, eliminate infested plants and take care of the woods. They will be working with the constant help of experienced voluntary people (Consorzio Montagna Viva - <http://www.cmviva.it>) that will provide all the necessary tools.

STUDY PART: Volunteers will learn about biodiversity and its conservation.

Accommodation and food:

Our alpine hut at 1600 meters over sea level is quite isolated and has bad line reception. It takes 2 hours by foot to reach the alpine hut, which is provided of a kitchen, beds and toilets.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION AND LEISURE: Orobie is the first alpine chain in the north of Lombardia plain and pre-alpine reliefs. Since the alpine hut is quite isolated, leisure trips will be arranged inside the park itself, who has breathtaking landscapes and lots of pathways that volunteers will be free to visit to enjoy fully the Orobie valtelinesi mountains park.

TERMINAL: Nearest airports: Orio al serio/Milano Malpensa Nearest train station: Colico

Requirements:

Skype interview.

Additional information

Location:

Alpe Dosso

Discovering the history in Roscigno**LEG09-19****Project details****Code:** LEG09-19**Date:** 2019-08-01 / 2019-08-12**Total places:** 1**Age:** 18 - 30**Name:** Discovering the history in Roscigno**Type of work:** Environmental (ENVI) - Renovation (RENO)**Country:** ITALIA**Location:** ROSCIGNO (SA)**Address:** ROSCIGNO (SA)**Email:****Phone Number:****Web:****Fee:** 0.0 EUR**Languages:** English**Description****Partner:**

The Legambiente Sammaro born in 1991 carried on different battles against pollution and for the environment, has hosted many international workcamps. The local group is used to work with the schools to sensitize young people to respect the environment.

Work:

WORK: Volunteers will help to restore green areas, making cleaning of paths, painting and repairing fences. The aim is to make the areas pleasant and welcoming to the flow of tourists and history lovers. Volunteers will continue the work along the path begun last year.

STUDY PART: There will be some sessions about the history of Roscigno, Roscigno old town and our spectacular and historic surroundings as Paestum.

Accommodation and food:

Volunteers will be hosted in a school with shared kitchen and two bathrooms with a shower and a spacious lounge. The association will provide for normal routine dishes, excluding expensive food.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION AND LEISURE: The area is situated in Roscigno ,province of Salerno, in the heart of Cilento. Roscigno has an old village called "Roscigno Old town", named the "Pompei of 900s", a rural architecture, formed by low houses made of rocks, small streets and a main square. Other areas to visit are Certosa di Padula, the gorges of Calore in Felitto, Castelcivita caves, Paestum archeological excavations, Sammaro's wellspring.

TERMINAL: Napoli Capodichino Airport. Napoli train station and Salerno train station. From Salerno, bus "PECORI" to Roscigno; bus is from Monday to Saturday at 12:30h and 17:50.

Requirements:

X

Additional information**Location:**

ROSCIGNO (SA)

Project details

Code: LEG11-19 **Date:** 2019-07-22 / 2019-08-05 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Together for a safer country

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI)

Country: ITALIA

Location: CHIAVERANO

Address: chiaverano

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 20.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

Legambiente Dora Baltea local group takes its name from Dora Baltea river that flows through the AMI. Our activities are focused on safeguarding the Morenic Amphitheatre of Ivrea area, either monitoring new industrial settlements or maintaining the natural balance thanks to volunteers activities. We also participate to national campaigns such as *ÄCleaning the World* and *Alps CaravanningÄ*. We cooperate with other local clubs engaged in similar activities and involving specifically young people.

Work:

WORK: Volunteers will be involved in works of restoration and maintenance of the paths and the undergrowth with the Aib Volunteers (Anti Forest Fires) and with citizens who already do this work during the year, as prevention of hydrogeological instability. STUDY PART: Activities and moments of discussion and reflection on the themes of solidary economy, the food supply chain, the importance of recycling and the integration and reception of asylum seekers will be organized.

Accommodation and food:

Volunteers will be hosted in a guest house of the Municipality, equipped with beds and toilet services. There is a kitchen inside the house.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION AND LEISURE: Chiaverano, 55 km from Turin, opens at the entrance to the Valle d'Aosta. It is located in a naturalistic context of exceptional importance: the largest morainic amphitheater in Europe. This scenario is dominated by the regular profile of the Serra, the great moraine hill, 25 km long, is one of the most characteristic sites for geological peculiarities. At its feet extend the five lakes. Chiaverano is an ancient medieval village, offering an exciting view of the environment that surrounds it.

TERMINAL: The nearest airport is Turin Caselle Airport. Other airports are Milan Malpensa, Linate, Orio al Serio in Lombardia region. The nearest train station is Ivrea. There are trains or buses between airports and Turin, then trains or buses from Turin to Ivrea. A bus from Ivrea gets Chiaverano. More detailed information will be provided in the Infosheet.

Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

chiaverano

Remarks

EXTRA FEE: 20 euros

Project details

Code: LEG12-19

Date: 2019-07-10 / 2019-07-24

Total places: 1

Age: 18 - 30

Name: Villetta Social Lab

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI) - Renovation (RENO)

Country: ITALIA

Location: ROMA

Address: Roma

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

The Comitato Parco Giovannipoli was established in March 2013 following the failure to care and maintenance of the Park of the Catacombs of Commodilla, with the objective to keep it alive and usable for citizenship. Since its inception, the Comitato Parco Giovannipoli has been playing an important work of maintenance, in these coming months of activity to almost complete restoration of the Park; the work has been also recognized by the City of Rome with the award of custody of the Park from July 15, 2014. Villetta Social Lab is a project that was born in 2015 in the Villetta a Garbatella, since 1944 the historic headquarters of the Left parties. The project is characterized as a incubator of initiatives and practices of mutualism, participation and sharing aimed at inhabitants of the neighborhood and not only. Opera for social and cultural animation of the territory and is a laboratory of ideas aimed at realizing and promoting improvement activities living conditions in the territory in which it operates.

Work:

WORK: Volunteers will be involved in environmental cleaning of external places (pruning hedges and bushes, weed cleaning and leaves); maintenance works such as repainting gates; maintenance of the blinds. The goal will be to complete the renovation works that involved Villetta Social Lab in the last year. The interventions will aim to make the outdoor spaces also totally usable. Not one or more days will be dedicated to some works of maintenance in one of the parks of the district: Park of the Catacombs of Commodilla. This area abandoned by the Municipality of Rome, it is maintained, cleaned and made always usable by the Parco Giovannipoli Committee, a group of volunteers who since 2013, at their own expense, care for almost a hectare of green area in the heart of the Garbatella district. The Volunteer Camp will provide its own day for ordinary work in collaboration with the Committee.

STUDY PART: -

Accommodation and food:

The volunteers will be hosted in Villetta, an independent structure. In this structure will be set up rooms for the overnight stay, with mattresses on the ground. The structure has 4 bathrooms, located on different floors. Field showers will also be set up. Volunteers will have a mediterranea diet.

Location and leisure:

OCATION AND LEISURE: the Park of the Catacombs of Commodilla is in the core of Garbatella neighbourhood, in Rome. During the free time the volunteers will have the chance to visit the several attractions in Rome; visits will be arranged in the Natural Reserve, by bike, and to Rome Street Art.

TERMINAL: Fiumicino-Leonardo Da Vinci Airport, Rome Ciampino Airport. All Rome train stations.

Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

Roma

Project details

Code: LEG13-19 **Date:** 2019-07-22 / 2019-08-04 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Environment and legality at Vesuvio National Park

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI) - Social project (SOC)

Country: ITALIA

Location: PARCO NAZIONALE DEL VESUVIO

Address: Parco Nazionale del Vesuvio

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

Ottaviano Legambiente local group began its activity of denunciation of the abuses of that area in the early '80s as a local association, and joined Legambiente in 1989. The name of local group is Mimmo Beneventano, a mafia victim. In recent years the association has linked his name to important initiatives to expose illegality's spread on the territory of Vesuvius, managing to achieve important results like the closure of garbage dump of Somma Vesuviana, Herculaneum and Terzigno, located in the National Park. Moreover, locally Legambiente is in charge of excursions in the Vesuvius National Park, environmental education, environment and legality help desk, volunteer workcamp and civil protection and collaborate with Libera.

Work:

WORK: The volunteers will be engaged in the care and maintenance of the confiscated properties and trails. Moreover, volunteers will be involved in other social activities for awareness about legality and biodiversity carried on by the local group. **STUDY PART:** The volunteers will be engaged in training activities in the afternoon: they will meet the members of the association, relatives of victims of crime, members of other associations with the aim to explain the link between the territory always exposed to lawlessness and the fight for the exploitation of the beauties landscape.

Accommodation and food:

Confiscated property. They will eat Italian and, especially, Neapolitan typical food, known all over the world as the cornerstone of Mediterranean diet.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION AND LEISURE: Ottaviano is located in the Vesuvius National Park, 22 km from Naples city center. The park was established in June 1995 and covers an area of around 135 square kilometers in the Province of Naples. It is centered on the active volcano and its most ancient (now inactive) crater, Monte Somma. It houses 612 vegetable species and 227 wildlife ones. Possible visits: Pompeii, Naples, Vesuvius.
TERMINAL: Airport of Naples Capodichino. Train station of Naples. Regional train Ottaviano-Sarno, the Ottaviano stop

Requirements:

Good mountain Walker.

Additional information

Location:

Parco Nazionale del Vesuvio

Project details

Code: LUNAR 10-19 **Date:** 2019-07-01 / 2019-07-13 **Total places:** 1 **Age:** 18 - 28

Name: PATHS OF DOLOMITES

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI) - Manual work (MANU)

Country: ITALIA

Location: AGORDO

Address: AGORDO

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

PROJECT: This project was born thanks to the collaboration between the Town of Agordo and the associations CAI (Italian Alpine Club), A.S.D. Dolomiti Sport Republik and Piodec Taibon, that take care and maintenance our mountain paths. The purpose of this project is improving the situation of our territory after the Vaia storm, in particular we want to clean and restore the paths along our mountain for hiking and bike riding. This kind of maintenance is actually carried on mostly by groups of local volunteers, so we have thought to create an international cooperation to doing so. Besides, we are proud to hosting volunteers from all over the world and we aim to create a cultural exchange between volunteers and local community.

Work:

WORK: Paths maintenance in order to make the paths well visible and practicable. Removal of stones and broken branches. Removal of potholes and cutting grass and shrubs. Its also necessary removal rubbish and filth. Planned hours of work: 5 6 hours day probably in the mornings per 5 days week. Volunteers should have a predisposition to walk and work on mountain paths and a correct environmental education. Volunteers are also expected to make an effort to interact with local community.

Accommodation and food:

ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD: the volunteers are expected to cook the meals themselves. Food issues: getting vegetarian food is not difficult. Accommodation: in the municipal gym. Bunk beds in a shared male female room. The structure has showers and toilet services. There is kitchen and living area. The volunteers are expected to do the cleaning themselves.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION: the camp base is the town of Agordo, located about 100 Km north of Venice, frequently referred as the Heart of Dolomities, is actually one of the main access point to the Dolomites mountain range (UNESCO World heritage site). Its a small quiet town, which economy is based on eyewear industry.

Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

AGORDO

Project details

Code: LUNAR 11-19 **Date:** 2019-07-08 / 2019-07-22 **Total places:** 2 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Colle Berardino HARVEST AND TRESHING FEAST

Type of work: Agriculture (AGRI) - Festival (FEST)

Country: ITALIA

Location: ROCCA SINIBALDA

Address: Rocca Sinibalda

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 20.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

Colle Berardino is an organic farm, settled in an isolated area, with fewer opportunities. This year, we will organize the second edition of the Harvest Festival in Colle Berardino, with the support of Tularu, an organic farm with whom we use to collaborate to enhance the agricultural products of our area (the grain, especially). This collaboration is made through the Filiera Project since two years.

Work:

The workcamps will be also involve with activities in favor of the Community. We will clean a nice hiking trail that leads from the village to an ancient mill, also realizing the signs in English for tourists. We will also take care of the maintenance of the medieval garden, which is located close to the Castle of Rocca Sinibalda. Finally, we will be involve to agricultural work (harvesting aromatic herbs and vegetables) and we will prepare the Harvest Festival (14 July), an event organized in collaboration with the Tularu Agricultural Company. There are moments of relaxation (bath at Lake Turano, excursion in the mountains, visit to the city of Rieti), and with the local community, we will exchange, meet and learn together (workshop to learn how to make pasta, desserts and more).

Accommodation and food:

The Municipality of Rocca Sinibalda provides its own spaces to set up a campsite. The volunteers will sleep in the tents, provided by the local host as well as the school canteen, where volunteers will have the possibility to cook with organic and local products.

Location and leisure:

Rocca Sinibalda is a beautiful village, surrounded by greenery and with a wonderful medieval castle.

Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

Rocca Sinibalda

Remarks

EXTRA FEE: 20 €

Project details

Code: LUNAR 12-19 **Date:** 2019-07-10 / 2019-07-24 **Total places:** 2 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: BenVenuti a FINOCCHIO

Type of work: Social project (SOC) - Manual work (MANU) - Educational (EDU)

Country: ITALIA

Location: ROMA

Address: ROMA

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

PROJECT: This project will be involve in several associations working in the suburb of Rome names of "Borgata Finocchio".

One of this associations is the Youth center "Il Muretto" manage by the cooperative Santi Pietro e Paolo. The youth center host each day young people from 10 to 23 y.o. The center organize activities and workshop with the users of the center (music, theater, support homework, ...). This center offer a socio-educative service to foster the socialization of the young population of the disctrict and to preven the marginalisation.

The house of the Misericordia is an other association of the subrub and it manage by the church Santa Maria della Fiducia. The House of the Misericordia run different activities:

- Collect of cloths and food in order to distribute it to people with few oppotunities of the district.
- Popular canteen: Four days a week they cook and offer dinner to the people with need.
- Provide hygienic service (Bathroom, toilet and shower)

During the workcamp , volunteers will be in contact with other reality of the territory and will have the opporitnuty to collaborate with other association of the district, as the "Collina della Pace" that manage the bibliotheque of the disctrict.

Work:

WORK:

Social aspect

During the workcamp, volunteers will follow the daily work of each center

- Distibute the food and cloths
- Manage the popular canteen
- Organize activities and workshops with the teenagers

Manual aspect

Volunteers will be involve on different work in order to retrain urban space

- Renovation of an info point
- Beautification of the playground

Accommodation and food:

ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD: The group of volunteers will be host in the youth center "Il Muretto". Three big rooms will be in diposition with seprate toilet and shower. The kitchen of the center will be at dispostion ofthe volunteers.

During the dinner service of the popular canteen, volunteers will eat with the users.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION AND LEISURES: The Finocchio disctrict is situated in the suburb of Rome and is now easily reachable from Rome thanks to new metro lines (metro C).This disctrict do not have a lot of cultural and social activities to propose to the young people, that's why we want with the workcamp to activitate and give new stimulation to the young population.

Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

ROMA

Project details

Code: LUNAR 13-19 **Date:** 2019-07-12 / 2019-07-26 **Total places:** 2 **Age:** 18 - 30

Name: Harvest and Threshing Feasts

Type of work: Agriculture (AGRI) - Festival (FEST)

Country: ITALIA

Location: CALCARIOLA, RIETI

Address: Calcariola, Rieti

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 20.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

Tular is a cultural and agricultural project which rose to a start-up after a few years. As a center of sustainable production, their main goal is to use the cultural value of the traditional production techniques in order to create participation. According to them, the bread produced in their farm is not their bread. It is the bread of the territory because everyone has been involved in the production. For that, they use sustainable practices in agriculture and organize events connected to them. Through the work produced on the work-camp, the volunteers and the locals are going to prepare everything for the feast (a small festival organized around the farmers work). In 4 years they have created a local network and for the second time, in 2019 another farm in the territory, named Colle Berardino, will organize another harvest party, in Rocca Sinibalda (30 km from Tular, on the 14th July). One of the tasks of this year camp in Tularu, will be to help the friends in Rocca Sinibalda. In the same way, they will help during the harvest party in Tularu. After the parties in Colle Berardino and Tularu, there will be other activities with local associations in Cittaducale, like cleaning rural walks or others.

Work:

WORK: The Feast is an event around the agricultural activities going along with a small festival, with music, workshops and events. All the following tasks will be done by the volunteers:

- Helping for the harvest in Rocca Sinibalda on the 14h July (transportation to and from Rocca Sinibalda will be in the same day)
- Preparation of the interior and external spaces in Tularu
- Assistance in the kitchen, reaping and harvesting by hand during and after the party.
- Public reception.
- Collaboration with other local associations for social works like cleaning rural walks or others.

Being an agricultural activity, the dates of the Feasts should be 19th., 20th, 21st July, but they are not fixed in advance since they mostly depend on the weather. In case of bad weather, other tasks will be performed.

Accommodation and food:

ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD: the volunteers will be accommodated in the tents provided by the host or by the volunteers if preferred, close to the farmhouse where the local staff live. There is a compost toilet and a shower outside with hot water (from thermocompost), but in case of need is possible to use the internal bathrooms. The meals, vegetarian and not, will be cooked together with volunteers. The meals are mostly prepared with the local ingredients, and the base is pasta, rice, vegetables, spelt, eggs, potatoes, chicken and meat of the local cows.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION: Tular is located on the top of Mount Ponzano, in a hilly/mountain (850 m, asl) area, quite wild. The nearest village is Calcariola, a 200 inhabitants countryside, at 5km away from the farm. Nevertheless, the nearest village where it is possible to find a bar and a small supermarket is Grotti, at 6km and 350 metres of height difference from Tular.

TERMINAL: Rome Fiumicino o Roma Ciampino.

Harvest and Threshing Feasts**LUNAR 13-19****Requirements:**

X

Additional information

Location:

Calcariola, Rieti

Remarks

EXTRA FEE: 20 euros

Project details

Code: LUNAR 14-19

Date: 2019-07-12 / 2019-07-28

Total places: 1

Age: 18 - 30

Name: AGAPE 4

Type of work: Manual work (MANU)

Country: ITALIA

Location: PRALI

Address: Prali

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

PROJECT: Agape International Ecumenical Centre is a place of encounter where you can live an intense experience of community in beautiful natural surroundings. Agape was and still is an important point of reference in Italian Protestantism, being for 70 years a place of education and development, theological exploration, political engagement, acceptance and validation of differences. Every year many people, with different age and religious, cultural, political background, come to Agape to discuss and to be challenged, to get to know themselves and each other and to exchange experiences around a particular theme. Agape was built after the Second World War as a sign of hope and reconciliation between people, thanks to the voluntary work of many young men and women. A resident group still lives at Agape throughout the year. The dimensions of community and voluntary service remain central. Please visit:

www.agapecentroecumenico.org to see which are the activity programmes for this period.

Work:

WORK: The work camp will support the activities of AGAPE when a number of guests have meetings on issues of political, social, cultural and religious interest. Volunteers will help in the following areas: kitchen, meal service (tables and dishes), cleaning, maintenance, bar tending, babysitting. Games, discussions and outings can be organized during free time. Programmed activities (especially in the evening) are most of the time open to volunteers, as long as they do not clash with work commitments. The place is beautiful but really isolated, though you will stay together with many international participants attending the meetings of AGAPE.

Accommodation and food:

ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD: Usually the workcampers will be host in 3-4 bed bedrooms with shared toilets on the floor. The meals are typical Italian Mediterranean cuisine, with limited consumption of meat for environmental reasons, and the possibility of alternative choices for those who require a special diet.. There is a washing machine available for the volunteers.

Location and leisure:

ARRIVAL: We require that all volunteers contact Agape secretariat before arriving since travel to Agape can be complicated.

TERMINAL: Turin.

Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

Prali

Project details

Code: LUNAR 17-19

Date: 2019-07-22 / 2019-08-06

Total places: 2

Age: 18 - 30

Name: Cilento Fable Park

Type of work: Agriculture (AGRI) - Manual work (MANU) - Art type (ART)

Country: ITALIA

Location: STELLA CILENTO

Address: Stella Cilento

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

PROJECT: The work camp is organized by the Stella Cilento Community, in collaboration with the Cilento Youth Union Association and the Smak Association, which already share to implementing of the project named S.E.nT.I.eRi. dell Arte, aimed at encouraging urban creativity through the application of ceramic art. Stella Cilento is a small village included in the National Park of Cilento, Diano and Alburni, UNESCO World Heritage Site. Territory is composed of different types of landscapes and paths, characterized by a high naturalistic value. It is the cradle of the Mediterranean Diet: the locals usually eat the products of their own garden. Moreover, the local population conveys a noble and ancient Cilento tradition: the oral story of fairy tales.

The aim of the project is to merging, through art, these two dimensions: nature and culture. The activities aim to improve the path called "Cerreto", using natural waste materials to setting up, along the route, works of art representative of a typical Cilentan fairy tale, chosen together with the volunteers. This work should stimulating and supporting the conservation of the environment and natural resources, communicating their inspiring values ??in an original way.

Work:

WORK: The volunteers group will be involved in the following activities:

-Manual work: mow grass, repair and secure the fence, wood and stone steps, rid the path of trees and greenery obstructing the walk, fix dry small stone walls and pave paths with local natural stones, set signage.

-Agricultural work like hoeing open field, weeding, watering and planting.

-Forest work like clean undergrowth and forest floor, prune branches and plants.

Volunteers will also participate at the popular celebration Cuntaria at the beginning of august (a festival dedicated to the narration of Cilento fairy tales).

Accommodation and food:

ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD: All volunteers will be accommodated at the school building, located in the center of the town and equipped with mattresses, toilet and kitchen, where they will prepare meals, arranged according to a Mediterranean cuisine. For this reason, volunteers will be assisted by a typical Cilento inhabitant and will be able to picking genuine products from a vegetable garden. Meals will be consumed at the eating room or at the workplace

It is recommended to bring: sunscreen, work clothes (included gloves, shoes), swimsuit but also warm clothes and K-way, sleeping bag, video-camera.

Location and leisure:

LOCATION: Stella Cilento is a town and comune in the province of Salerno, in Campania, region of south-western Italy. It is located in the middle of Cilento, the subregion which is home of the Mediterranean Diet and rich in biodiversity. Its name means Star of Cilento in the Italian language. It counts the hamlets of Amalafede, Droro, Guarrazano and San Giovanni. Stella, named after the neighbouring mountain, Mount of the Stella, which represents one of the oldest settlements in Cilento, preserving, on its top, ancient ruins and a Sanctuary dedicated to the Virgin. It is situated in the hills, but not far from the Cilento coast so dont forget to bring your swimming suit! With only 700 inhabitants and its breath-taking panoramas, it is very exotic and unusual place to visit. The area is rural and inner, far from urban centers, but people are very hospitable and always ready for conversation in a very nice dialect! But once you are here you cant miss a great cappuccino at Bar of Park, where the bar-owner will wish you buon giornoÂ... definitely a jump into traditions and folklore!

The closest airports are Napoli, Amalfi Coast/Salerno and Roma, so you can spend a couple of extra days visiting this beautiful italian city out of the project dates.

Requirements:

X

Additional information

Location:

Stella Cilento

Project details

Code: LUNAR 18-19

Date: 2019-07-27 / 2019-08-10

Total places: 2

Age: 18 - 30

Name: Brianza Hills

Type of work: Environmental (ENVI)

Country: ITALIA

Location: ALZATE BRIANZA, COMO

Address: Alzate Brianza, Como

Email:

Phone Number:

Web:

Fee: 0.0 EUR

Languages: English

Description

Partner:

PROJECT: The local promoter is an environmental association, really active in the region: Circolo Ambiente "Ilaria Alpi". In collaboration with few schools, Circolo Ambiente make interventions and experiences about environmental education. Transmit a deep knowledge about territories, environment and ecology to the children and the young people is a good way to improve their quality of life. Brianza Hills is a project supported by with various volunteers from all over the world. Besides the environmental work, volunteers will also help in the organization of the events of Alzate, Lurago and Brenna Pulita (making guided visits, welcoming visitors..)

Work:

WORK: The work is divided on two parts: one group of the voluntary workers will be involved in the protection of the amphibians and reptiles and the other group will restore some areas like Brughiera. The volunteers will work about 6 hours a day, six days a week.

More specifically, the activities consist in:- Cleaning path in the wood- Rebuilding signposting- Replacing old descriptive signs of the several plants- Working on the local flora- Plantings of new little shrubs.

Accommodation and food:

ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD: Volunteers will be hosted in a gym with 12 beds, bathrooms, showers and supplied kitchen.

Regarding the meals, the volunteers will cook, eat and sleep in a room.

Location and leisure:

LEISURE AND LOCATION: Leisure: near the place where the volunteers are going to live and work, you can visit the Brianza lakes, and in a few kilometres you can enjoy the cities of Como, Lecco and Milan and tourist places like Bellagio or Valassina valley.

Location: the workcamp is situated in the municipality of a little town, Alzate Brianza, in the north of Italy, near Como. The site of activities is a wood situated on hills near the town.

Requirements:

It's necessary to have work clothes considering that the camp is in a wood (it's needed trekking shoes, long trousers, sweater or pile, k-way, etc.).

Additional information

Location:

Alzate Brianza, Como