

Referencia: 1

Code: VFP04-16

Year: 2016

Name: KIDS, GARDENS AND COMMUNITY, VERMONT

Location: BURLINGTON VERMONT

Address:

Project: AGRI-CONS-ENVI - Agriculture - Construction - Enviromental

Initial Date: 09/07/2016

Final Date: 23/07/2016

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: WILLOWELL, MONKTON, VERMONT is an environmental, art, and education non-profit based on 230 acres of farmland and forest. An alternative outdoor high school program, the Walden Project, has an outdoor classroom on our land during the school year. For more information, visit our website at <http://www.willowell.org/>.

WORK: Volunteers will work on the land building infrastructure for the garden and a raised platform for resident artists and as a classroom for the Walden project. This project involves daily physical labor in wooded and sunny areas. All training will be provided. Bring work boots, warm clothes, as nights can be chilly, and bathing suit for leisure activities.

STUDY THEME: The ecology of the Champlain Valley, working youth of Addison County, local food, and community!

ACCOMMODATIONS: Volunteers will stay at the Monkton Friends Methodist Church and should bring sleeping bags and pillows. A bathroom will be at the church, and solar showers will be available. Cooking will take place in the church's kitchen. Vegetarian meals available.

LOCATION: In the foothills of the Green Mountains, Monkton is a small rural community about 40 minutes from Burlington and a short distance from mountain swimming holes, Lake Champlain, and beautiful hikes.

LEISURE ACTIVITIES: A community celebration, an excursion to Burlington, and fun outdoor activities are planned.

TERMINAL: Burlington, Vermont. Accessible from Montreal, Boston or New York City.

SPECIAL REMARKS: Must speak English well!

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Code: VFP09-16

Year: 2016

Name: BICYCLE TRAIL BUILDING, VERMONT

Location: BELMONT VERMONT

Address:

Project: ENVI-RENO - Environmental-Restoration

Initial Date: 08/08/2016

Final Date: 23/08/2016

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: CROSS VERMONT TRAIL ASSOCIATION (CVTA) is a non-profit with the mission to assist municipalities, recreation groups, and landowners in the creation and management of a four-season, multi-use trail across the state of Vermont for public recreation, alternative transportation, and awareness of our natural and cultural heritage.

WORK: The work is hard, heavy physical labor - building wooden bridges, moving large stones with hand tools, and digging ditches with shovels. You will get muddy, we work in the rain! We will work full days, about 7 hours of labor. We will work a few days then take a day off for fun, and then work a few days and take another day off. Why are we working so hard? We are building a network of bicycle/pedestrian paths that will eventually go 90 miles across the entire state of Vermont. The path will connect small towns, their schools, and the wild natural areas in between with a safe, healthy alternative to driving in cars. These small towns are not wealthy, and cannot afford to build this path themselves (like larger cities can afford to.) So we are building it with volunteers. Many local people are already helping out on their weekends, and we look forward to meeting and working with you as well!

LOCATION: The work camp is located in public forest, in northeastern Vermont (east of Montpelier). We will live in a primitive tent camp in the woods. During time off we will be able to drive to nearby small towns.

ACCOMMODATIONS: Volunteers will camp in tents. Tents are provided. During the work week there is no electricity, no running water, no flushing toilets. We will get a chance to take showers just three times during the camp. No alcohol is allowed at the housing. 11 PM curfew. Food is provided, cooking is communal. We are happy to accommodate dietary needs or preferences, like vegetarian.

REQUIRED ITEMS: Sturdy all leather BOOTS that rise above the ankles. Durable work clothes that you don't mind getting dirty - long sleeves and long pants.

Weather is unpredictable, so bring - clothes to wear when cold and wet (like wool or synthetic fabrics; rain gear; a hat) - also, clothes to wear when hot and humid. Sleeping bag and sleeping pad.

STUDY THEME: Guest speakers will teach us about local plants and animals.

LEISURE: During recreation time we will decide as a group what folks would enjoy doing. Options include exploring State Forest - riding bikes, hiking up mountains, swimming in lakes; and also driving to attractions in nearby towns like Montpelier, capitol of Vermont.

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Code: VFP13-16

Year: 2016

Name: GREENING THE PARK, VERMONT

Location: BURLINGTON VERMONT

Address:

Project: ENVI-CONS - Environmental - Constuction

Initial Date: 10/07/2016

Final Date: 30/07/2016

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: MONTPELIER PARKS DEPARTMENT. See summer camp page- <http://www.montpelier-vt.org/parks/index.cfm>.

WORK: Volunteers be working on a variety of projects, with the two main projects being trail improvement work (shoveling, raking, wheelbarrowing) and removing invasive plants, but the group may also help with replacing wooden bridges, building park benches and general park maintenance. Most work will involve some level of hard physical labor. The international group will be immersed in a small town and will work with park staff and other volunteers.

ACCOMMODATION: To be announced. Accommodations will be a shared space and volunteers will cook together as a group. Be prepared for minimal living and please bring a sleeping bag and mat. Showers available at a different location.

LEISURE ACTIVITIES: During free time volunteers will have access to local parks and recreation areas. The summer weather is usually good for visiting some wild and beautiful swimming areas. This workcamp is known for hard work and adventurous play since the staff there enjoys hiking, canoeing and other activities and is willing to lead the group in those type of activities. There will be time for interaction with the local community so please bring information about your country, hobbies, and life to share.

LOCATION: Montpelier is the capitol of Vermont with a population of 8500, making it the smallest capitol in the U.S.

TERMINAL: Montpelier, Vermont.

SPECIAL REMARKS: Be ready for hard, physical work and rugged conditions! but plenty of rewarding experiences, adventurous fun and incredible memories. Bring proper clothing and footwear.

Codes Order

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Estados Unidos						
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GREENING THE PARK, VERMONT	VFP13-16	ENVI-CONS	18 - 30	10/07/2016 - 30/07/2016	2	3
Total N° Campos: 3					Total N° Plazas: 6	

Dates Order

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