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PROJECT NAME	"Youth Eco-Style"
IDEA OFF THIS PROJECT:	The main project "Youth Eco-Style" theme - environmental ecology and youth volunteering.
DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT:	<p>The project aim is to inspire young people-in the hearts of the belief that everything is possible to do everything to reach, teach teamwork, intercultural cooperation, and environmental education, teaching, recycling, and volunteering at an example. In this project, the main activities will be part of the Youth Eco-Shelter (youth Eco house) design and construction.</p> <p>The project aims to build an Eco house, consisting of organic, natural materials, the use of natural resources granted to the mother (hay, clay, etc.), processing of recyclables, as well as renewable energy resources. This will mean a lot. This youth Eco house will be an example to others not only how to inexpensive, healthy, eco-equipped youth activities space, to show for young peoples - everything is possible, to show the construction of youth cooperation, teamwork, intercultural experience sharing can do amazing things and realize even hard ideas. At the end of the project it will have continuity and a very clear purpose in-house will be held in the youth classes will create space for youth activities. Therefore, the project name is "Youth Eco-Shelter. The project will result in a long-term and realistic example of minimal resources conserve nature can promote youth activities, volunteering and provide young people with more tools and options for activities.</p> <p>It is important to understand that in this project the construction and building of Eco house just tool to reach and show fundamental goals and ideas of this project. During the project program there will be a lot of other non-formal education, intercultural learning, creativity, and teamwork, cultural and other activities.</p> <p>The project will involve four international partners. In project will participate 10 people from each of the partners jointly to form a group of 40 participants. Project's duration will be 14 days, because of the complex and difficulty of the activities. Project will be held in Lithuania in JONAVA and KAUNAS regions. Project is planned to implement in August of 2014.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To promote personal growth using self-expression and cultural activities. To promote young people's active citizenship in Europe Union context. To share intercultural experience and knowledge's. To know better architecture in creative and interesting way. To promote European youth cooperation.
PROJECT AIMS:	

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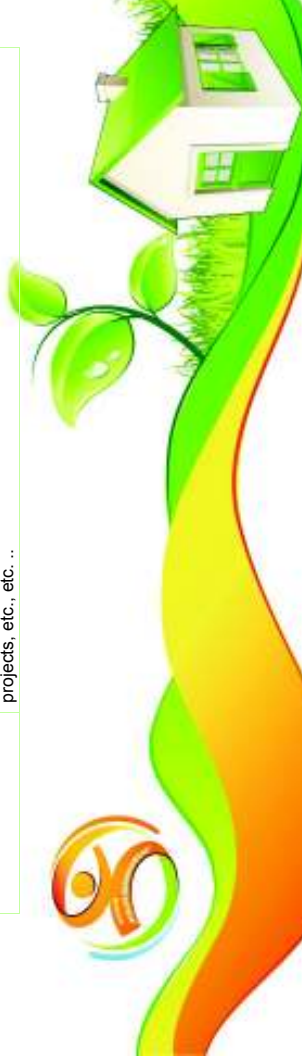
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To understand importance of environmental ecology and youth volunteering. To promote intercultural dialogue, understanding, tolerance. Using as tool outdoor activities to show participants and give the possibility to understand that nature natural recourses and ecological way of using it, and that all peoples is equal in nature. To share intercultural experience. Non formal education methods as a tool to person's social education and individual growth.
PREPARATION VISIT:	2 person from each partner country 1 of them – leader (no age limit) 1 of them – participant (22-25 years old)
PREPARATION VISIT DATES:	Preparation visit dates on 25-26 of May 2016
PREPARATION VISIT PRELIMINARY ACCOMMODATION PREPARATION VISIT PLACE	Hotel Aušrinė, Jonava http://www.agoda.com/hotel-ausrine/hotel/jonava-lt.html
YOUTH EXCHANGE DATES	Jonava, Lithuania http://www.jonava.lt/ http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jonava Kaunas, Lithuania http://www.kaunas.lt/ http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kaunas Youth exchanges dates on 14-30 of August 2016
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YOUTH EXCHANGE PARTICIPANTS	The project participants will be young people 22-25 years old who are sufficiently physically ready, and also such a category of people who are not afraid of challenges and searching more interesting activities, participate in extreme projects, etc., etc. ...



	<p>Due to the complexity of the project and the specifics in the project will be involve young people 22-25 years.</p> <p>Pre-visit to attend 2 people: 1 leader and 1 participant (leader's age is not limited, and participants have age between 22-25 m).</p> <p>in exchange programs will participate 10 people from each of the partners (Lithuania, Italy, Poland, Spain): 2 leaders and 8 participants each partner. (Leaders of the age is not limited, and participants have said 22-25 m).</p> <p>The overall project participants group consist of 40 people.</p> <p>For the selection of participants, each partner required to maintain gender balance and ensure the participants of anti-discrimination.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cultural activities Outdoor activities Building activities Environmental activities Photo and video activities Communication methods and games Performances. Self-expression activities Intercultural discovering activities Non-formal education methods <p>Each participant will need to fill in questionnaire for participant and project rules application.</p> <p>Participants for the project need to be selected according questionnaire form and project general participants selection criteria's.</p>
YOUTH EXCHANGE PARTICIPANTS SELECTION AND PREPARATION	Asociacija Ruklos bendruomene (Lithuania)
PARTNER COUNTRIES	ASSOCIAZIONE CULTURALE STRAUSS (Italy) Fundacja "Centrum Badań i Innowacji w Edukacji" (Poland) Asociación Sociocultural Isla CreActiva (Spain)
MAIN WORKING LANGUAGE	English
CONTACTS	Asociacija Ruklos bendruomene





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<p>MAIN INFORMATION ABOUT LITHUANIA</p>	<p>Capital: Vilnius Official language: Lithuanian Area: 65.300 km² Population: 2.979.000 National currency: the euro (from 1 January 2015) Geographical situation: Lithuania is a state in Northern Europe Neighboring countries: Latvia, Belarus, Poland, and Russia Independence: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Announced on 16 February 1918 • Restored on 11 March 1990 </p> <p>Form of Government: Parliamentary democracy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • President - Dalia Grybauskaitė (since 12 July 2014) • Government of the Republic of Lithuania (Algirdas Butkevičius - Prime Minister since 13 December 2012) • Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania (Loreta Graužinė - Speaker of the Seimas since 3 October 2013) <p>Head of State:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania (Loreta Graužinė - Speaker of the Seimas since 3 October 2013) <p>International membership:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NATO member since 29 March, 2004 • Member of European Union since 1 May, 2004 <p>Largest cities (number of inhabitants):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vilnius (531 947) • Kaunas (301 296) • Klaipėda (156 122) • Šiauliai (104 619)



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Panevėžys (95 218) • The territory of Lithuania is divided into 10 counties. • Counties are subdivided into 60 municipalities. • Municipalities consist of 546 elderships <p>Administrative division:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lithuanians: 84.2 • Poles: 6.6 • Russians: 5.8 • Belorussians: 1.2 • Other: 2.2 <p>Ethnic composition (%):</p> <p>The total number of nationalities living in Lithuania is 154 Most Lithuanians belong to Roman Catholic Church. There are also Eastern Orthodox, Evangelical Lutheran, Reformed Church, Eastern Orthodox, Judaism, Islam and other religions.</p> <p>Religion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Average life expectancy in Lithuania is 74,02 year • Average female life expectancy is 79,38 year • Average male life expectancy is 68,53 year <p>Life expectancy:</p> <p>Landscape: Lithuania is a flat land with plains covering approximately 75% of the country</p> <p>Climate: Ranges between maritime and continental. The average temperatures are +19°C in July and -3°C in January.</p> <p>Public holidays:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The New Year (1 January) • Independence Day (16 February) • The Day of the Restoration of Independence (11 March) • Easter (the first Sunday and Monday after the first full moon after the spring equinox) • International Labour Day (1 May) • Rasos and Joninės Day (Midsummer Day - 24 June) • The Day of the Coronation of King Mindaugas (6 July) • Žolinė (Feast of the Assumption – 15 August) • All Saints Day (1 November) • Christmas Eve (24 December) • Holy Christmas (25–26 December)
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	<p>JONAVA (project city)</p> <p>Jonava (pronunciation (help·info), Polish: Janów) is the ninth largest city in Lithuania with a population of ca 35,000. It is located in Kaunas County in central Lithuania, 30 km (19 mi) north east of Kaunas, the second-largest city in Lithuania. It is served by Kaunas International Airport. Achema, the largest fertilizer factory in the Baltic states, is located nearby. The city is sometimes called "the capital of midsummer holiday" (lt. – Joninės).</p> <p>History</p> <p>Jonava was officially established as a city in the 18th century during the times of the Polish-Lithuanian Commonwealth. The city had a large Jewish population before World War II - in 1893 92% of the population was Jewish and in 1941 it was 80%. In 1932 there were 250 shops owned by Jewish families, a Jewish bank, 7 synagogues and a Jewish school.^[1] During World War II Jonava was attacked by Nazi Germany. A Christian church and five Jewish synagogues were destroyed.^[2] The Jews of the city were killed in two massacres, in August and September 1941. A total of 2,108 people were executed by an Einsatzgruppen of Germans and Lithuanians collaborators.^[3] 200 remaining Jews were kept prisoners at the Kaunas ghetto.</p> <p>After the war the city built the largest fertilizer factory in the Baltic states and Jonava became one of 4 biggest industrial cities in Lithuania.</p>
<p>WEATHER</p>	<p>https://weather.com/en-GB/weather/today//LHXX0038:1:LH</p> <p>Climate</p> <p>Lithuania's climate is characterized by seasonal weather changes, so when you come to our country in different seasons you can see how different it looks - we know what a really sunny spring, hot summer, long and warm autumn and a nippy winter are like.</p> <p>In recent decades the climate of Lithuania has become warmer – the average annual temperature in the whole territory is 6.5-7.9° C. The warmest month of the year is July (with an average temperature – about 19.7° C, and a maximum - over 30° C), and the coldest is January (with an average temperature – about -2.9° C, its lowest temperature during severe frosts may occasionally drop below -30° C).</p>



	<p>The most rainfall is recorded from April to October (60-65% of annual rainfall). Heavy rains are common nearly every summer with precipitation exceeding 30 mm per day.</p> <p>If you want to sunbathe during your stay in Lithuania, we recommend you a trip to our seaside. The seaside and the Curonian Spit have the most sunny hours per year – about 1 860. The sunniest months in Lithuania are between May and August, the lowest amount of sunshine is from November to January.</p> <p>The strongest winds blow in the months between November and January (at speeds of 5-6 m/s near the coast and 3-5 m/s elsewhere), the weakest winds occur between May and September (4-5 m/s near the coast and 2-3 m/s elsewhere). Occasionally, the winds get dangerously strong, with gusts reaching over 15 m/s. Such winds occur on the coast on average 60 days a year. As the temperatures warm up, tornado-like winds are more likely to be seen.</p> <p>Association Ruklos community activity Rukla subdistrict</p> <p>Association Ruklos community is actively involved in Rukla town life, a variety of problems and decision analysis. It carries out various social projects, working closely with the Rukla eldership Lithuania and other existing public institutions and non-governmental organizations, businesses, in different projects. However, we still have a variety of social problems in our neighborhood.</p> <p>Recently, we started to develop the Association Ruklos community "strategy, we prepared the analysis, naming the vision and mission. VISION - Rukla to live a good and safe." MISSION - To develop community spirit to care Ruklos population welfare and security."</p> <p>Rukla town is home to more than 2,000 residents, of which a large proportion of young people. Births Rukla one of the largest in Lithuania, as well as here is concentrated in the largest concentration of social housing, and social problems come behind.</p> <p>Rukla is a large concentration of military unit.</p> <p>Association Ruklos community "</p> <p>Association Ruklos community "(hereinafter referred to as community) operates since 2006. The Association's vision - "Rukla to live a good and safe." mission - "To develop the spirit of community, care Ruklos population welfare and security."</p> <p>The main activities of the association:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Premises, space activities - Material Base - Organic thinking - Information, education - Children and youth employment - Population unification
<p>ABOUT HOSTING ORGANIZATION</p>	





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	<p>- Providing Security</p> <p>Promoters have experience working with young people, is the implementation of the EU Youth in Action "projects. We have conditions Rukios community homes all measures for the smooth administration of the project to do so. We have more than one volunteer, we plan to employ a social worker. Already in 2006, we carried out the project "We Can" Reg. Nr.:2P-1.9-40-01, financed by JRD. One of the main activities of this project was a temporary "Open Youth Centre in Jonava. The project was Jonavos r. JVOŠ "Round Table" Establishment. The association Rukios community "members is a specialist in the field of engineering and construction. Many people participated in various trainings ecology theme.</p>
<p>INSURANCE & HEALTH ISSUES</p>	<p>The participants are themselves responsible to get a travel insurance. If anyone who uses medicine should bring with themselves. We don't give any medicines and we don't cover insurance fees.</p>
<p>WHAT TO BRING</p>	<p>Comfortable clothes and shoes for workshops which we will organize in indoor and outdoor atmosphere, slippers. Camera if you would like to keep your memories after the project and laptop you can bring on your own risk. Photos will be taken during project by our team as well and at the end of the project we will share DVDs with all partner organizations before departure.</p> <p>Traditional food, drink and souvenirs for intercultural night activities. It would be nice to prepare some interesting presentations of your country but not Youtube videos. You can teach your songs and dances to all participants when you will have the stage.</p> <p>Comfortable clothes for activities inside and outside; Bring with you table games if you have, it can be very useful during free evenings; Anything you think you will need during stay in Lithuania</p>
<p>FOOD</p>	<p>Don't forget to bring good mood since you will have chance to spend your time during end of summer. Be ready for unlimited fun and party as well.</p> <p>If anyone who is vegan or vegetarian in your group (or who has some allergic problems), please inform us about this. It is especially important for us to know about diets/allergies/special needs. We would not like to give kebab to participants who are vegetarian so we should prepare some salads for them from before.</p>

