

Associazioni Belghe

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Association des Compagnons Bâtisseurs

Who we are:

The Association des Compagnons Bâtisseurs, aka CBB, is a non-profit, non political youth organisation recognised by the French Community of Belgium. The organisation proposes different kinds of activities, mainly based on *volunteering* and *non-formal education*: local and international work camps, medium and long term voluntary services, leisure time activities for and with disabled people.

What we do:

The summer camps are all around Belgium. Volunteers will do construction, manual work and/or renovation.

JAVVA

Who we are:

JAVVA stands for “Jeunes Actifs dans le Volontariat et les Voyages Alternatifs” or in other words “Young People Active in Volunteering and Alternative Travels” and was founded as a non-profit organization in 2000. Since 2003, JAVVA has been recognized as a youth organization by the French-speaking government of Belgium.

What we do:

International camps and volunteer projects enable intercultural encounters and the discovery of the other and therefore, in our opinion, represent a useful tool in the construction of peace. They contribute towards a fairer world with more solidarity and respect for differences. Even if our projects cannot be considered to be within the framework of humanitarian aid or emergency relief, they do invite participation in another culture, and teach team work while participating in a development project in the heart of a local community.

This year, our workcamps last 2-3 weeks and take place from July to September. The number of international volunteers in the camp varies from 6 to 12. We try to avoid having more than 2 participants of the same nationality in the camp. Usually English is the camp language, but there are some projects where notions of French are necessary (see below).