

# « 100Racines »

## Youth Exchange in Belgium

**01-07 october 2018**

15 participants from 16 to 25 years old coming from Belgium and Italy

**WHO ?** Participants from 16 to 25 years old coming from Belgium and Italy. This group will be socially and culturally diverse (including people with less opportunities).

**WHEN ?** From 01 to 07 October 2018.

**WHERE?** In Villers-Sainte-Gertrude, a cute rural village, located in the French-speaking part of Belgium.

### **TO DO WHAT?**

« 100racines project” is based on two complementary axes that currently participate in the associative dynamic

#### **Raising awareness regarding multiculturalism and diversity**

Compagnons Bâisseurs (aka CBB) is strongly invested to sensitize the youngsters to the importance of promoting living together and to fight prejudices and hate speech towards foreigners. This is a transversal axis on CBB projects. On “100racines project” a special attention will be paid to encourage the participation of young people from a variety of backgrounds. It’s, for example, foreseen that a third of the group will be asylum seekers living in a reception center close to the place where the project will take place

#### **Becoming aware of the issues of sustainable development - preservation of biodiversity**

Identification of actions to enhance responsible citizenship is also among our priorities.

It is in this context that the idea of building a project that aims to reclaim and enhance the natural space as a place to foster creative expression, the emergence of citizen projects in tune with our environment while promoting the meeting and the exchange has appeared.

By building a project focused on the connection « culture-nature » our wish is to allow participants to be more aware of environment preservation and find pleasure by observing and enjoying it, as well as preserving it thanks to some arrangements and constructions built in an artistic point of view.

In this perspective, integrating a creative and artistic approach into the natural environment can be a great added value to enhance it.

It arouses curiosity, encourages participants to take the time to observe the place and to feel peaceful and in good condition to interact with others.

In a world over connected and more and more individualistic this project is thought from an opposite direction to give the opportunity to participants to be emerged in a collective and creative project connected with the nature

### **LIVING CONDITION AND ACCOMODATION?**

The participants will be accommodated in a cottage located in Villers-Sainte-Gertrude, a small village located in the heart of the Ardennes area.

Participants will share dormitories and will have a kitchen, a meeting room and a huge outdoor area accessible for activities and free time

### **COMPETENCES AND LEARNINGS OUTCOMES TACKLED BY THE EXCHANGE?**

Young people will learn how to develop and defend their personal point of view, and also respect opinions of other people in an intercultural environment

This program entails the development of leadership skills through fulfillment of common tasks, and sharing responsibilities.

Each person will contribute to the project by bringing his/her own skills while learning from other participants. This youth exchange should enable young people to initiate a collective and personal thinking about the importance of promoting the values of sustainable way of living and promoting the biodiversity and creativity while taking part to a concrete action in favor of "the living-together"

### **EXPECTATIONS TOWARDS THE PARTICIPANTS?**

By signing in for this project, we ask you to:

- ✓ Be prepared to empower your imagination and to explore your creative skills
- ✓ Be ready for a creative and environmental project.
- ✓ Be ready to share a rich international group life, to share your culture, your personality and to learn from the other participants' culture and personality.
- ✓ To be prepared to live an experience where they will be responsible of the different aspects of the project: food, tidiness of the place, workshops...

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01.10 – 07.10 2017  
Fiche d'inscription / Registration form**

Nom /Surname.....M/Male    F/Female	
Prénom /First name.....Age.....	
Adresse de contact.....Tél.....	
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Adresse email/ Email.....	N° carte identité/ID number :
Date de naissance/Birthdate.....	<b>Contact d'urgence/Emergency contact</b>
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Nationalité/Nationality.....	
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Études en cours/Occupation.....	
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<b>Languages/Languages Régime spécial santé/alimentation</b>	
Couramment/Speak well.....	
<b>Remarks on health/special needs</b>	

**À remplir en français ou anglais si possible.../Please fill it in English or French**

Pourquoi veux-tu participer à ce projet ?Why do you wish to take part in this project ?

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Expériences passées (volontariat, mouvement de jeunesse, séjours en groupe...)/Past experiences (volunteering, youth movement, group holidays...):

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	<p><b>Date :</b> <b>Signature :</b> <b>Signature des parents pour les - de 18 ans/</b> <b>Parents's or legal tutor signature if you're below 18yo :</b></p>