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!OPEN ESC volunteering activities - BELGIUM

1 message

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À : "placement@alliance-network.eu" <placement@alliance-network.eu>

Dear Alliance partners participating in ESC programme as programme countries or partner countries,

CBB has been very active within the ESC programme since 1997 and we are accredited as a sending, hosting and coordinating organization. Now, we are going further with the new **ESC program as "support" and hosting organization!** With the launching of the programme, CBB has fortunately created new contacts with local organizations interested in hosting ESC volunteers for long term activities and they are now in process of accreditation by our NA and we will have the final decision in the coming weeks. We are really happy to present you these **new opportunities for EU volunteers that you can spread around!!** CBB's role for these new organizations was to inform them and help them to proceed with the accreditation phase. Our general role as support organization, for organizations and for volunteers can be listed as follows:

- Promotion of the project and link between local and the international networks;
- Support in the selection and preparation of European volunteers before arrival;
- Management of administrative matters: budget allowances; support in the creation of the bank account and enrollment at the municipality; enrollment in insurance (if not done by sending organization); preparation of activity agreement;
- Providing pedagogical support for the volunteer and the hosting organization: ensures the participation to the NA seminars; organization of auto-evaluation meetings for the volunteer and the hosting organization to reflect on learning outcomes;
- Handling practical arrangements: accommodation; information about health insurance system in Belgium; indications about French lesson possibilities; online language tool;...
- creating networking between all ESC volunteers of the hosting organizations we support.

OPEN European Solidarity Corps activities supported by the Association of Compagnons Bâtisseurs (BELGIUM)

Period of volunteering: **September/October 2019, until June/August 2020**; for **10 or 12 months** depending on the activities. It is only a short description of each activity, the **full descriptions can be found via the online descriptions as we explain below!**

1) Name: **Ecole des Petits Chemins**Activity dates: **15/09/2019 - 30/06/2020**

Project description: The « Collectif des Petits Chemins » is a non-profit association and school based in Lessive, a village located in the French community of Belgium. Its aim is to promote the new pedagogies tailored made according with the kids' personalities and using the natural environment.

2 VOLUNTEERS

Activity 1: Nursery School https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity/placement/14339_en

Activity 2: Primary School https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity/placement/14342_en

FULL DESCRIPTION HERE: <https://drive.google.com/open?id=1a2Kg9ZJfqwc5HV0cRUAmg7cgyI-YZBXi>

2) Name: **Maison de la Culture Famenne-Ardenne**

Activity dates : **15/09/2019- 30/06/2020**

Project description : The Association "Maison de la Culture Famenne-Ardenne" (MCFA) has the mission to spread the culture among a broad public by offering activities under various shapes and through different ways during which people can share and discover in order to reach a cohesive and dynamic cultural group in the community. The volunteer would be more directly involved in the animation and technical teams.

1 VOLUNTEER

https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity/placement/14335_en

FULL DESCRIPTION HERE : <https://drive.google.com/open?id=1JxttUxH39dym6ZEGAQINyJJj64zqz-cW>

3) Name: **Trait d'Union Inclusion- Association des Compagnons Bâisseurs**

Activity dates: **01/10/2019 - 30/09/2020**

Project description: The "Association des Compagnons Bâisseurs", aka CBB, is a non-profit, non-political Youth Organisation recognised by the Wallonia-Brussels Federation of Belgium. The organisation offers different kinds of activities, mainly based on volunteering and non-formal education: local and international work-camps, youth exchanges, medium and long term voluntary services, leisure time activities for and with disabled people. Our ESC volunteer will be actively involved in our activities, from the preparation to the evaluation, and her/his role will mainly be to facilitate, together with CBB leaders and other CBB volunteers, the participation of people with fewer opportunities or disabilities.

1 VOLUNTEER

https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity/placement/14346_en

FULL DESCRIPTION HERE: <https://drive.google.com/open?id=1FVeVZkgrqWMxQ6g016IJUTUYcXxRRjc2>

4) Name: **Centre Culturel Genappe**

Activity dates: **01/10/2019-30/09/2020**

Project description: The « Genappe cultural centre » proposes a cultural project oriented toward the fight against any type of social isolation and the promotion of the territory's specificities. The

volunteers will be carrying different tasks at the cultural centre, at the youth centre, at the Monty (intercultural and creative space), in the "Genappe in transition" movement.

3 VOLUNTEERS

https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity/placement/14442_en

FULL DESCRIPTION HERE: https://drive.google.com/open?id=1AYiQIHqLHPtlqZ0WHBD7_4kSUh6qVYPf

5) Name: **Foyer l'Aubépine**

Activity dates: **01/10/2019-30/09/2020**

Project description: Aubépine's team supports daily 15 youngsters encountering all sorts of difficulties, in dangerous situation (health or security), lacking educational support due to their familial environment or to their behavior. The organization hosts minors from 3 up to 18 years benefitting from a right of protection and deal with their relatives. The 2 volunteers will participate in the daily activities organized in the association.

2 VOLUNTEERS

https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity/placement/14426_en

FULL DESCRIPTION HERE: <https://drive.google.com/open?id=1XqZcoGguQtlkfRxJLcvwemXdrm79aSqV>

6) Name: **AMO Le Cercle**

Activity dates: **01/10/2019-30/09/2020**

Project description: The organisation "Le Cercle" is part of what is called, in Belgium, a non-constraint help to youth (AMO - Aide en Milieu Ouvert). The volunteer will help to support one specific project called "Chacun sa yourte", a pilot project addressing school drop outs from an alternative perspective. Its target group is young people aged 15 years old or less and about to drop out.

1 VOLUNTEER

https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity/placement/14466_en

FULL DESCRIPTION HERE: https://drive.google.com/open?id=1qbYHtUNYHoe_suXsFhT_Hk8nNC0hjcDi

7) Name: **Archeoparc Malagne**

Activity dates: **01/09/2019-31/08/2020**

Project description: Malagne Archéoparc is a non-profit organisation managing a Gallo-roman archaeological site since 1993. Its aims are to enhance and protect the heritages, to pass on and share knowledges about Gallo roman history through know-hows and techniques, to make the past alive through scientific researches based on experimental archaeology, through animals living on site, through crafts(wo)men gatherings; through workshops such as bread baking, forging... and rediscovering of old techniques The volunteer's tasks will be to help in mostly manual tasks: gardening, fixing fences, pruning, building shelters and bridgefoot, taking care of the animals; and pedagogical tasks: helping the pedagogical staff with groups of children visiting, supporting during the re-enactement event, showing how to bake bread, forge with traditional techniques.

2 VOLUNTEERS

https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity/placement/14451_en

FULL DESCRIPTION HERE: https://drive.google.com/open?id=18PIKGVhjNJ0Kv9-A1NmRSsybfEb38p_g

IMPORTANT: all organizations mentioned above except CBB are still in the process of accreditation but the budget is already available thanks to CBB's frame agreement with the Belgian NA.

HOW TO APPLY?

- 1) In the frame of the new program of the European Commission, the **European Solidarity Corps**, volunteers interested first need to **create a profile** on the new data base: https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity_en ("JOIN THE CORPS").
- 2) Then, **CLICK on the links in the project descriptions above** to see the descriptions on the ESC data base. If you're interested, first click on "APPLY":



PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The « Collectif des Petits Chemins » is a non-profit association and school based in Leessive, a village located in the French community of Belgium. Its aim is to promote the new pedagogies tailored made according with the kids' personalities and using the natural environment. Activity 2: Primary school at Ecole des Petits Chemins. Work with kids from 2 until 12 years old. Main tasks: -Supporting the primary school teacher and taking care of the kids: from Monday to Friday (8:30-18:00, except on Wednesday 8:30-12:00) - To support the teacher in the making of pedagogical plans and learning aims. - Participation in different artistic workshops (e.g. painting, drawing, weaving, story-telling, singing, modeling clay, ...) - Participation in diverse activities: visit at the farm, walk in the forest, free time activities, maintenance of the building, of the vegetable garden, cooking workshops, ... - Implementing a personal activity with kids after the first stage of the project.

ACCOMMODATION, FOOD AND TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS

- 3) At the bottom of each online description, in the part "VOLUNTEER PROFILE", you will find a **link for a google drive document. Copy/paste the link on the internet and download the document**, read the description and fill the questionnaire. Check the example below:

VOLUNTEER PROFILE

Motivated to join the activity; open-minded and pro-active / benevolent attitude towards kids and be interested in active and cooperative pedagogical approaches / not be afraid of spending time outside and to appreciate the contact with nature/ basic skills in French/ certificate of good conduct . TO APPLY CHECK THIS LINK AND DOWNLOAD APPLICATION FORM (DEADLINE: 17/07): <https://drive.google.com/open?id=1a2Kg9ZJfqwc5HV0cRUAmg7cgyI-YZBXi>
[New hosting organization in the process of accreditation]

4) Prepare **CV + PROJECT RELATED MOTIVATION LETTER + THE SPECIFIC QUESTIONNAIRE FILLED** (see in the document of project descriptions as explained above) before deadlines mentioned in the full descriptions.

(Any uncomplete application will be disregarded)

Send applications to Morgane and Sophie using the following address: evs@compagnonsbâisseurs.be

Thank you for sharing this among your motivated volunteers! Don't hesitate if you have any question about the activities, we would be pleased to answer!

Have a nice evening!!

Best,

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