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BATMAN



'NO CHAINS YES GAMES'

(05-13 September 2015)-
Youth Exchange

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Dear Participants!

Very soon we will welcome you all in Turkey for Training Course '**NO CHAINS YES GAMES**' organized by Batman-İluh Anadolu Lisesi Yeşilay Kulubu.

In order to get all the important issues settled down as soon as possible, please carefully read the following information and do not hesitate to contact us for further clarifications.

After reading this information we invite you to book your flight and buy your tickets the sooner the better. We are not able to cover any cost if a participant does not arrive to the training course.

This is the last Info Pack before you arrive to the course and contains very important practical information and how to prepare yourselves for the training

Please carefully read the following information and do not hesitate to contact us

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to ask anything you would still need to know!

Project Name : 'NO CHAINS YES GAMES'

Activity Date : 05.09.2015 - 13.09.2015 (9 Days-including travel days)

Place : BATMAN / TURKEY

Participants : 16-30 (not older than 30) age from Programme Countries

5 participants + 1 Leader from each organization. (No age limits for group leader)

Target Group : Youth (16+ -30) in Europe

Note: You can come to Turkey 2 days before the arrival day of the project and you can leave Turkey 2 days after the departure date of the project. (As long as you cover the expenses like food and accommodation on your own)

Partner Countries : Spain,Lithuania,Italy , Romania,Slovenia,Estonia,Crotia and Turkey. Turkey is the coordinator.

SUMMARY OF THE PROJECT:

Project Topic: The project main theme is combine a youth platform to struggle with addicted materials which are very common and uprising daily, which also seen as a way of life in BATMAN city. Youths in Batman which social-economically and politically has been damaged, are observed as being abandoned to the street drug sellers and terror gangs. These people firstly behave as indeed friends but lately they addict our children to drugs&addicted materials and capture their personality&spirit and direct them for their own goals. They use these youths how they want and even sometimes they urge them to street violences. These youths had been used in street violences in close dates, many of them had been captured, injured or died. The most important issue is that using drugs and addicted materials(especially marihuana&Bally&Bonzai) had been accepted as a part of ordinary life. Our Children start to accept marihuana as simple as smoking cigarette. In European dimation, even the situation is not as bad as in Batman, is becoming more danger. To educate parents has become a vitally importance, because only families can observe their children,their behaviours, to search their friends, follow their schools' situations and care of them. If we educate their parents they can help their children about the results of addicted materials. Today in whole Europe there are more than two millions addicted people.

*PROJECT OBJECTIVES:

- To cooperate with partners to educate the families about the usage of addicted materials
 - To emphasize the social exclusion of drug users, to arise an awareness to include these addicted youths into social life and give them a hand.
 - To inform youths towards the danger of consuming addicted materials, the techniques&methods the drug gangs using in the streets, teach them what kind of friendships are the true and which are not.
 - To empower the organisaitons,NGOs,Governors attempts of educating people with seminars and conferences, cooperate with them, supply them the materials, documents and experiences we gain in international area.
 - To draw attention of local people to the importance of the issue, to held a comprehensive conference by inviting different organisaitons ,schools, parents and local people.
 - To exchange experiences knowledges in cultural, social and economical issues with the European partners
 - To supply strategies, guideness and results by settling seminars/workshops, preparing handbooks to parents and education staffs.
 - To develop sense of tolerance among participants towards diversity, break prejudices, empower that differences are elements of a strong
- PARTICIPANTS PROFILES:** We will involve youths who has never joined in any European projects, who has interests to social exclusions, struggle against addictions, knows English to express themselves and can contribute to the project, active, open minded and who really needs to such a project. Eight members of Turkish team is from School Green Club, and seven of the team are at the risk of addiction. These seven participants social environments are addicted people and some members of their families are addicted. From 7 EU countries 51 participants will come together to achieve the project goals. ocieties.

CULTURAL NIGHTS:

During the Project activities we are planning to organize cultural nights for each country. You can prepare Power Point Presentation or bring some cultural music or show some folk dances or bring something to taste, your musical instruments to play☺ You don't have to buy anything special. We only want our partners to show their cultures.

IMPORTANT HOMEWORK TO PREPARE

Before coming to the Youth In Action Project we ask you to prepare some documentation mainly about your reality:

1. Please prepare some presentations about the your countries' presentations for your cultural night.
2. Prepare some presentations about the addiction among youths and its effects on your region and country, What have been done till now as a precautions?
3. Design an online SAVE THE WORLD-YOUTH brochure☺ for your country.
4. In the programme there is a special space for sharing best practices of youth work on any issues. We expect you to contribute in this space by bringing and trying with the group those best practices that you use with your youth groups.
5. On the other hand, we would invite you to check with your organisation before the course which ideas of cooperation you would be interested in developing. The international encounters are an excellent opportunities for networking!
6. Please bring your countries' flag to here and for exhibitions bring some your cultural patterns and clothes.
7. For cultural nights you can bring some traditional clothes for participants.

Please, take into account that we are going to have a quite busy and joyfull, exciting Training Course in BATMAN.

TRANSPORTATION:

There is an airport in BATMAN. You can fly directly from Istanbul to BATMAN.

The other airport is in Diyarbakır and Mardin and Siirt (70 km to BATMAN) (You can find buses from THERE to BATMAN easily) .

The last option is to land in Istanbul or Ankara and come to BATMAN by bus.

Remember - no money back for taxi!!!

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

Please inform us of your travel details (timetable, route, airline and flight number), if it has not been done yet. You should aim to arrive to BATMAN at 23:30 to the hotel.

The programme will start after diner at 20:00!!! Please organize yourselves to be in BATMAN on 05.09.2015.

To make it easier for you to travel from airports to the hotel, we will help you in working out the travel inside Turkey. It will also allow us to make it logistically as smooth as possible for you! For that reason it is important to know your arrivals and departures as soon as possible.

You should be ready to travel on your own to the BATMAN. The groups travelling from the same country will be informed about each other's e-mails, so that you could organise your travel together.

The distances in Turkey are actually big and you can find young people communicate well in English or tourism information desk at airport, bus stations or in the cities.

In any case, do not hesitate to SMS or call Numan at +905433347864 to inform of any unexpected changes in your travel or any problems. As the team will be working at the workshop 1 day prior to the event, SMS or call may be best way to communicate last minute issues!

WEATHER AND NECESSARY EQUIPMENT

The weather in BATMAN is warmer in september . Keep in mind that we are going to have some outdoor activities at nights Maybe it will be a bit chilly thats why it will be beter to bring sth like warmer as well☺

Please take a good walking shoes with you! It is really important. Because you will have trekkings ☺

In any case we **recommend** you to bring:

- Sportive clothes and shoes;
- Warm cloth for night outside activities;
- An alarm clock;
- Medicaments you might need, suitable for you (although we will have basic set of first aid);
- All bills and tickets of your travel (see part about travel reimbursement);

- For the European Evening, we encourage you to bring national food drinks and music, as well as info-materials about your country to get to know a little better the European diversity.;
- Any relevant materials that can help you to present your culture;
- Materials to present your organisation;
- Pocket English&Turkish dictionary;
- Things you might need for Turkish Bath
- Other things special for you to feel comfortable during the course.

MEALS

The cook of the hotel will prepare meals for us 3 times per day. Typically to the region it means breakfast, early lunch and dinner. Cuisine will be a mixture of Turkish traditional and international food and it will be simple home meal.

If you have any dietary restrictions or you are vegetarian or vegan, please, let us know as soon as possible! (we know the ones that specified so in the application form). Please make sure that you stated them in your applications, and in case you did not, please do e-mail us as soon as possible.

FUN

Besides work, it is a good tradition to have fun during the Programme ☺

So, as mentioned before, feel free to bring any traditional food or drinks from your country/region, and you are more than welcome to bring any musical instruments you may wish to play, to remember any songs that has touched your heart and at the end of the day bring a CD with some cool music to share ☺

TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT

The travel expenses will be reimbursed on presentation of the relevant receipts. Only the participants who attend the entire training course can be reimbursed.

Your travel costs will be reimbursed 100% of the costs according to ECEA Distance Calculator:

We are asking you to arrange your journeys in the most economical manner possible and to make use of any available reduced tariffs.

Return tickets must be purchased before the start of the journey.

In the frames of the Training Course the reimbursement will be done only for travel expenses incurred according to the rules given below:

TRAVEL EXPENSES 100% REIMBURSEMENT MAXIMUM RATES PER PERSON FOR EACH COUNTRIES:

Italy: 270 EURO per person
Romania: 170 EURO per person
Crotia: 270 EURO per person
Lithuania : 270 EURO per person
Estonia: 270 EURO per person
Spain: 400 EURO per person
Turkey: 20 EURO perperson

- . Your travel expenses will be reimbursed only upon presentation of documentary evidence of the sum actually paid: original invoice or/and a copy of credit card slip. We will do a photocopy of the tickets you still will need to return and will keep the originals of ones you have already used.
- . **Electronic tickets** will only be reimbursed on receipt proof of payment (invoice, paper of booking/purchase printed from internet, copy of credit card-slip showing the transfer of the money for the ticket, **payment confirmation from internet**) and on presentation of the boarding pass for the outward journey.
- . Keep all travel documents you get during your trip: boarding passes, bills, slips, tickets etc., because we completely need them!
- . Return tickets must be purchased before the start of the journey.
- . Taxi fares cannot be reimbursed.

In case all the relevant documents are properly presented and maximums are not exceeded, you should get 100% reimbursement of your travel costs (from your home town till the venue of the course) as soon as we receive all necessary documents from you. You will get a sum of the reimbursement in Turkey and you will get all the rest reimbursement only AFTER we get all your documents after training course and money will be sent to your bank account same day when we receive all documents.

Relevance of the documents, means that they must have the date, name of the traveller, destinations of the travel and the bill has to be completely clear for Turkish Accounting (it must be readable, understandable and in English).

Please note, that we cannot reimburse any accommodation costs which are before and after the training course. But we are willing to help you in finding suitable accommodation if necessary in BATMAN or Turkey

HEALTH INSURANCE

There is an additional (health) insurance provided by the coordinator. That's why you can do your health insurance there. Till 8 EURO insurances will be paid by us to you.

Please, purchase a private insurance or get the free of charge formulary from your national social security that covers medical costs around EU member states.

For any unforeseen casualties there is a possibility to call emergency. Also, it is very important that you notify us of any health risk or possibly necessary medicines (if you mentioned them in your application form, then it is noted).

Remember that obtaining a health and a full travel insurance is your own responsibility.

The information you provided on any special needs does not remove your own personal responsibility for ensuring your own health.

Do not hesitate to contact us with any issue we can help you with!

On behalf of the preparatory Team, I wish you a pleasant preparation for the Project and a good journey to Turkey!

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(05-13 SEPTEMBER 2015)-Youth Exchange



05/09/2015

07:30-09:00: Arrivals to the Hotel
 09:30-11:00: Arrivals to the Hotel
 11:00-11:30: Arrivals to the Hotel
 11:30-13:00: Arrivals to the Hotel
 13:00-15:00: Arrivals to the Hotel
 15:00-16:30: Arrivals to the Hotel
 16:30-17:00: Lunch
 17:00-18:30: Arrivals to the Hotel
 18:30-19:00: Evaluation meeting
 -Introduction
 -Introductions of each team
 19:00-20:00: Dinner
 20:00-20:30: Leader's meeting
 20:30-22:00: Orientation

07/09/2015

07.30-09:00: Morning Sport/Breakfast
 09:30-11:00: Workshop-5N1K Discussions on Alcohol addiction
 11:00-11:30: Cafee Break
 11:30-13:00: : Workshop-5N1K Discussions on Alcohol addiction
 13:00-15:00: Lunch
 15:00-16:30: Workshop
 Addiction of Alcohol in my Country
 16:30-17:00: Cafee Break
 17:00-18:30: Workshop
 Addiction of Alcohol in my Country
 18:30-19:00: Evaluation Meeting
 19:00-20:00: Dinner
 20:00-20:30: Leaders' Meeting
 20:30-22:00: Cultural Night

06/09/2015

07.30-09:00: Morning Sport/Breakfast
 09:30-11:00: Official introduction of the programme and each elements
 11:00-11:30: Cafee Break
 11:30-13:00: Learning of each participants expectations and proposals
 13:00-15:00: Lunch
 15:00-16:30: Workshop-Meeting games
 16:30-17:00: Cafee Break
 17:00-18:30: Workshop-Types of addictions, PPP
 18:30-19:00: Evaluation Meeting
 19:00-20:00: Dinner
 20:00-20:30: Leaders' Meeting
 20:30-22:00: Cultural Night

08/09/2015

07.30-09:00: Morning Sport/Breakfast
 09:30-11:00: Workshop - II
 Solutions on addiction materials
 11:00-11:30: Cafee Break
 11:30-13:00: Workshop - II
 Samples from our lives
 13:00-15:00: Lunch
 15:00-16:30: City tour
 16:30-17:00: Cafee Break
 17:00-18:30: City Tour
 18:30-19:00: Evaluation Meeting
 19:00-20:00: Dinner
 20:00-20:30: Leaders Meeting
 20:30-22:00: Cultural Night



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(05-13 SEPTEMBER 2015)-Youth Exchange



09/09/2015

07.30-09:00: Morning Sport/Breakfast
 09:30-11:00: Workshop-III
 Preparations of Conference-Addictions and solutions/Advices for parents-first aid from homes
 11:00-11:30: Caffe Break
 11:30-13:00: Conference- Ideal Friendships for our children
 13:00-15:00: Lunch
 15:00-16:30: Visit to Local Authorities
 16:30-17:00: Caffe Break
 17:00-18:30: Workshop
 Free Time Activities
 18:30-19:00: Evaluation Meeting
 19:00-20:00: Dinner
 20:00-20:30: Leaders Meeting
 20:30-22:00: Cultural Meeting

11/09/2015

07.30-09:00: Morning Sport/Breakfast
 09:30-11:00: Workshop V- Action plan for addictions/Report
 11:00-11:30: Caffe Break
 11:30-13:00:Declaring the addiction report to NGO and authorities
 13:00-15:00: Lunch
 15:00-16:30: Deliviring No Chain Yes Games brochures to local people
 16:30-17:00: Caffe Break
 17:00-18:30: Deliviring No Chain Yes Games brochures to local people
 18:30-19:00:Workshop V- I have a Project Idea
 19:00-20:00: Dinner
 20:00-20:30: Leaders Meeting
 20:30-22:00: Cultural Night

10/09/2015

07.30-09:00: Morning Sport/Breakfast
 09:30-11:00: Workshop IV-Thematic T shirt design/ Healthy life Strong Future
 11:00-11:30: Caffe Break
 11:30-13:00 : Workshop IV- Design of Project Logo
 13:00-15:00: Lunch
 15:00-16:30: Interview with an expert from Narchotic of Police Department
 16:30-17:00: Caffe Break
 17:00-18:30: Free Time
 18:30-19:00: Evaluation meeting
 19:00-20:00: Lunch
 20:00-20:30: Leaders' Meeting
 20:30-22:00: Cultural Night

12/09/2015

07.30-09:00: Breakfast
 09:30-11:00: Workshop VI-Preparation of Theatre/Writing the scenery
 11:00-11:30: Caffe Break
 11:30-13:00: Workshop VI-Preparation of Theatre/Character selections
 13:00-15:00: Lunch
 15:00-16:30: Workshop VI-Preparation of Theatre/Act on stage
 16:30-17:00: Caffe Break
 17:00-18:30: Youth Pass Certificate
 18:30-19:00:Free Time
 19:00-20:00: Dinner
 20:00-20:30: Leaders Meeting
 20:30-22:00: Cultural Night

