

Referencia: 1

Code: WS16BH01-

Year: 2016

Name: VisionB

Location: BERNA

Address:

Project: AGRI - Agriculture

Initial Date: 03/07/2016

Final Date: 30/07/2016

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 1

Description of Workcamp: WS16BH01_MTV 03/07/16 ¿ 30/07/16 VisionB AGRI PROJECT

The Volunteers live and work on an organic farm cultivating vegetables. The main particularity of the farm is its Demeter philosophy. The farm can be seen as an agricultural hub, hosting projects like community-supported agriculture (CSA) and permaculture. Apart from long term trainees, staff consists of permanent gardeners that work in an A4A context.

ACCOMMODATION

The volunteers will stay in a caravan. Shared Toilets and showers are nearby as well as a communal room equipped with a kitchen. It's a simple accommodation on the countryside with good access to downtown Zurich. Lunch will be prepared in the community kitchen where volunteers will eat together with staff and collaborators. The Volunteers will also help with cooking. Breakfast and dinner has to be prepared from the Volunteers. The food is vegetarian.

WORK

Volunteers are in charge of general garden work. Whilst at the beginning of the season planting is taking place, harvesting and preparing all different types of seasonal vegetables for the weekly market is the main work that has to be done during the hotter summer months.

LOCATION

Lieli, a small suburban village is located in the midlands of central Switzerland. The lake of Zurich and the lake of Zug are about 15 km away. From Zurich it's just about one hour to reach Basel, Bern and Luzern.

SPECIAL REMARKS/ REQUIREMENTS

Volunteers are working outdoors which can be physically demanding especially when the weather is harsh. They should bring along warm, robust working clothes, sun and rain protection and working shoes. Applicants should be very interested in gardening work and agriculture. That's why a motivation letter is required. - The positions are also open for youngsters who face some social problems.

FREE TIME ACTIVITIES

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In their leisure time volunteers can go for a walk in the nearby woods. The area is frequented

by mountain-bikers and hiking tourists. The family running the farm is used to host visitors

and is likely to take volunteers along, when they undertake occasional trips. As public

transport is good, volunteers can visit Zurich and surroundings with ease & a good reason to enjoy nightlife.

TERMINAL Closest Airport: Zurich

LANGUAGE: English

Referencia: 2

Code: WS16ED02-

Year: 2016

Name: ECODOUBS

Location: BERNA

Address:

Project: KIDS-CONS - Work with kids-Construction

Initial Date: 31/07/2016

Final Date: 27/08/2016

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 1

Description of Workcamp: WS16ED02_MTV 31/07/16 ¿ 27/08/16 ECODOUBS CONS/KIDS PROJECT

The Volunteers live and work in a non-denominational and intercultural community where all are invited and accepted. Around ten people live here permanently. At the time there are several projects running; with local materials the community is building a straw ball house, which is going to be used as a seminar- and training space for longer and shorter seminars (Fasting, Permaculture etc.) as well as designing the surroundings according to the criteria of permaculture. A bakery is being created to allow intergenerational inter-cultural exchange and educational workshop for children with focus on culinary particularities and healthy eating and bread-production.

ACCOMMODATION

The volunteers have their own space in the main building. Toilets and showers are nearby, the communal room is equipped with a kitchen, where volunteers cook for themselves at night. Even though volunteers live on the countryside, the site is accessible with public transports.

WORK

On a daily basis, every volunteer will have a special task to fulfil. As all buildings are being wood-heated, firewood has to be in place at all times. According to the abilities, volunteers are contributing to the communal household with general maintenance tasks, offer child care, work on the construction site or help out in the garden.

LOCATION

Essertfallon, a tiny village is located in the north-ern highlands of Switzerland. The river Doubs, the frontier with France, is really close by. The closest village is the medieval fortress St-Ursanne, wherefrom Basel can be reached by train within one hour.

SPECIAL REMARKS/ REQUIREMENTS

Volunteers are living in a remote area. As the hilly surroundings are an eye-catcher, nature lovers wanting to live away from bigger cities for some time will surely be happy. It's an Access 4 All project which is open for people with and without handicaps.

FREE TIME ACTIVITIES

In their leisure time volunteers can go for a walk in the nearby woods. The families are used to share their free time with volunteers and invite them to join in, when they undertake occasional trips. As there's public transport, volunteers could visit Porrentruy etc. by themselves.

CLOSEST AIRPORTS: Basel, Zurich, Geneva

LANGUAGE: English (French, German)

Referencia: 3

Code: WS16ES01

Year: 2016

Name: SUPERBEACH CAMP

Location: BERNA

Address:

Project: MANU-KIDS - Manual work - Work with kids

Initial Date: 10/07/2016

Final Date: 24/07/2016

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 1

Description of Workcamp: WS16ES01 SUPERBEACH CAMP PROJECT

The goal of the group *fRilingue* is to offer teenagers (age: 10 -18 years) language camps. The aim of *fRilingue* is the combination of language courses (French and English) in the morning with free time activities such as sport, music, dance, theatre and cinema in the afternoons. The youngsters will learn out-side or in tents if the weather is bad.

During the Workcamp you have also the time for a cool bath in the Lake of Neuchatel, for trips or workshops in the afternoon and discovering the region on the weekend.

WORK

The main work of the volunteers will be the preparation of the daily meals (breakfasts, lunch-es, dinners). Together with a cook they organise the menu schedule, do the shopping and wash the dishes afterwards. Volunteers will also do housekeeping and cleaning rooms, showers and toilets. It would be helpful if volunteers know how to prepare a meal for a bigger group.

ACCOMODATION

The Volunteers will sleep in dormitories or in a tent. It is very simple, but there is a kitchen, toilets and showers.

LOCATION

The old historic town of Estavayer-le-Lac on the south east riverside of the lake is close to one of the most beautiful Nature Reserve in Europe. Estavayer with its two marinas is a paradise for water sport. There are two nice, sandy beaches and there are possibilities to sail, to do windsurfing or wakeboarding. The rural surrounding of Estavayer can be discovered on various hiking trails and bike routes. The soft hills in the back-country are very idyllic.

REMARKS/ SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Volunteers should have interest in leading a group of young people. We are looking for mature

persons. The group *fRilingue* is looking for people who like sport and creative activities and who like to support youngsters in their own talents. Volunteers should be able to prepare a meal. The international Workcamps consist of small groups of three international Volunteers, additionally they will work together with Swiss Volunteers from *fRilingue*. If you are interested to be a part of this workcamp please send a short motivation letter. Age: 20+!

LEISURE ACITIVITIES/ BENEFITS FOR VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers will get the chance to discover the magic region of Estavayer-le-Lac. They can

also join the weekend trips and will for sure have the time to lie on the beach and relax their

minds sometimes. The evenings will involve social events where the volunteers can participate and enjoy.

Referencia: 4

Code: WS16GF

Year: 2016

Name: VILLAGE LIFE

Location: BERNA

Address:

Project: CONS-ENVI - Construction-Environmental

Initial Date: 24/07/2016

Final Date: 06/08/2016

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 1

Description of Workcamp: WS16GF 24/07/16 ¿ 06/08/16 VILLAGE LIFE CONS/ENVI PROJECT

The Volunteers live and work in small villages situated on the bright side of live. The sunny terraces that surround the villages allow grapes to grow before being processed to white wine. The charming landscape isn't the only reason that you'll want to stay there for some time. The hospitality of its inhabitants is great and cheers up your evenings after some hours of work. The volunteers will help an association of local musicians to prepare the area for a festival in 2017. Celebrating the Swiss independence-day will give you an idea of to celebrate festivities. Shankng together with locals is likely to be a high-light of the camp taking place in the Alps.

WORK

It's an outside job. The aim of the work is to prepare the area where the festival will take place. As well as minor ground-shifts in order to provide access to the field, de-bushing has to be done. Whilst communal workers work with heavier machinery, volunteers will use saws and scissors to trim and shredder bushes and small trees. The construction of a tribune using natural materials as wooden logs is another task that will be assigned to handy women and crafts-men. Even though there is a variety of work, most of it is manual work that demands certain skills.

LOCATION

Guttet-Feschel are villages on the sunny side of a broader valley in the south of Switzerland. It's close to the lake of Geneva and the Italian boarder. From Guttet it's less than one hour to reach Brig, a small city with excellent connections to Bern and Geneva. Zermatt and Interlaken are the best know touristic sites not too far away; but there's way more to see: Using a well-developed network of hiking trails taking you to alpine summits and impressing valleys you'll find natural treasures next-doors.

ACCOMMODATION

All volunteers will stay together in one room of an extensive underground shelter that has been built to evacuate all residents in case of hazard. It's an accommodation containing all facilities; no sunlight though. Lunch is taken along with communal staff that are pleasant to spend time with especially once you've learnt to communicate with hand, heart and feeds.

SPECIAL REMARKS/ REQUIREMENTS

Volunteers are working outdoors what can be physically demanding especially when it's hot. They should bring along robust working clothes, sun and rain protection and hiking shoes. The Workcamp is an Access 4 All project and is open for people with and without handicaps.

FREE TIME ACTIVITIES

In their leisure time volunteers can go for a walk in the nearby mountains. The area is frequented by mountain-bikers as well as famous for hiking tourists. Nearby there's a natural spa.

CLOSEST AIRPORTS: Geneva Milano

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LANGUAGE: English (German, French)

Referencia: 5

Code: WS16SCH02

Year: 2016

Name: Alp Summer

Location: BERNA

Address:

Project: ENVI - Environmental

Initial Date: 30/07/2016

Final Date: 20/08/2016

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 1

Description of Workcamp: WS16SCH02 30/07/16 - 20/08/16 Alp Summer ENVI PROJECT

For nature lovers, who are interested in garden and agriculture work! - In the beautiful region of Davos (Schatzalp) there is the „Alpinum“, a huge botanical garden in the mountains. An association was founded to support this garden and to save some rare species and the nature over there for the next generations. In this botanical garden guests can find many rare plants and about 5000 different types of species and cultivars. The group of Volunteers consists of four people. Interested candidates should be autonomous and self-managing.

WORK

Every year, there is a lot of work to be done in the botanical garden. The Volunteers will support the gardener in his daily work. The main work will include haying, weeding, preparing wood and cutting the lawn. Interested Volunteers should be physically strong and interested in agricultural and garden work. It is important to know that all the flowers are very sensitive and protected and only experts can deal with those plants. Work is seven hours a day; two days per week are off. - Volunteers will receive a small pocket money, food and lodging.

ACCOMMODATION

Volunteers will sleep in the hotel in small staff-rooms. Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be provided from the personal canteen. In the hotel there are staying the ordinary holiday guests, the Volunteers will stay in the personal flat and spend the time together and with the employees of the hotel.

LOCATION

Set in an exceptionally beautiful bowl of mountains Davos is the highest town in Europe at 1560 meters. In Davos there is the world class ice hockey, cross country skiing and ice skating. In the traditional hotel Schatzalp you enjoy a glorious panoramic view across the valley. The Volunteers will have the chance to see an incredible beautiful part of Switzerland.

REMARKS / SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

The motivation of the volunteers has to be very high to work outdoors and it can be physically demanding. That's why a MOTIVATION LETTER is required. Volunteers should bring along warm, robust working clothes (water proofed), trekking shoes (suitable for the mountains). Punctuality is very important for this work. Smoking during the work is not allowed. Leisure activities have to be organized independently. - The positions are also open for unemployed youngsters who face some social problems.

TERMINAL

Bigger Airports: Zurich and Basel. There is a connection to the train station Davos Platz. From there volunteers can take a cable car.

LANGUAGE Good English/ Basic German.

Referencia: 6

Code: WS16SW01

Year: 2016

Name: Mountain Camp

Location: BERNA

Address:

Project: MANU-KIDS - Manual work - Work with kids

Initial Date: 03/07/2016

Final Date: 17/07/2016

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 1

Description of Workcamp: WS16SW01 03/07/16 - 17/07/16 Mountain Camp MANU/KIDS PROJECT

The goal of the group 'fRilingue' is to offer teenagers (age: 10 - 20 years) a two week language camp. The aim of 'fRilingue' Mountain and English Camps is to combine language courses (French and English) in the morning with free time activities such as sport, music, dance, theatre and cinema in the afternoons. The special advantage of this project is the mixture of adolescents from the French and the German part of Switzerland. There will be some special programmes in the nights and on the weekends. In the afternoons and on the weekend the group will discover the region. The youngsters will learn outside or in tents if the weather is bad.

WORK

The main work of the volunteers will be the preparation of the daily meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner). Together with a cook they organise the menu schedule, do the shopping and wash the dishes afterwards. Volunteers will also do housekeeping and cleaning rooms, showers and toilets. It would be helpful if volunteers know how to prepare a meal for a bigger group.

ACCOMODATION

The volunteers will sleep in tents or in dormitories. It is simple, but there is a kitchen, toilets and showers.

LOCATION Schwarzsee is blessed with nature's bounty and lies 3435 feet about sea level. The village is framed by impressive mountains and an idyllic mountain lake. The River Sense Country is on the so-called Röstigraben. The rolling countryside appeals due to its magnificent landscapes and varied cultural assets - it is definitely worthwhile to stay a bit longer!

REMARKS/ SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Volunteers should have interest in leading a group of young people. We are looking for mature personalities. The group 'fRilingue' is looking for people who like sport and creative activities and who like to support youngsters in their own talents. Volunteers should be able to prepare a meal. The international Workcamps consist of small groups of four Volunteers, additionally they will work together with Swiss Volunteers from 'fRilingue'. If you are interested to be a part of this workcamp please send a short motivation letter.

Age: 20+!

LEISURE ACTIVITIES/ BENEFITS FOR VOLUNTEERS Discovering the charming region of Schwarzsee with its fascinating wildlife and nature - ideal for nature lovers, families and sports lovers! Twice a week, volunteers will accompany the adolescents on an afternoon journey to the close by region. On the weekends longer excursions are planned. The evenings will involve social events where the volunteers can participate and enjoy.

AIRPORT

The nearest airports are Geneva or Zurich.

LANGUAGE

LANGUAGE
English / French

Codes Order

Workcamp	Code	Type	Ages	Date	Places	Ref.
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VisionB	WS16BH01-MTVAGRI		18 - 30	03/07/2016 - 30/07/2016	1	1
ECODOUBS	WS16ED02-MTVKIDS-CONS		18 - 30	31/07/2016 - 27/08/2016	1	2
SUPERBEACH CAMP	WS16ES01	MANU-KIDS	18 - 30	10/07/2016 - 24/07/2016	1	3
VILLAGE LIFE	WS16GF	CONS-ENVI	18 - 30	24/07/2016 - 06/08/2016	1	4
Alp Summer	WS16SCH02	ENVI	18 - 30	30/07/2016 - 20/08/2016	1	5
Mountain Camp	WS16SW01	MANU-KIDS	18 - 30	03/07/2016 - 17/07/2016	1	6
Total N° Campos: 6					Total N° Plazas:	6

Dates Order

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Mountain Camp	WS16SW01	MANU-KIDS	18 - 30	03/07/2016 - 17/07/2016	1	6
VisionB	WS16BH01-MTVAGRI		18 - 30	03/07/2016 - 30/07/2016	1	1
SUPERBEACH CAMP	WS16ES01	MANU-KIDS	18 - 30	10/07/2016 - 24/07/2016	1	3
VILLAGE LIFE	WS16GF	CONS-ENVI	18 - 30	24/07/2016 - 06/08/2016	1	4
Alp Summer	WS16SCH02	ENVI	18 - 30	30/07/2016 - 20/08/2016	1	5
ECODOUBS	WS16ED02-MTKIDS-CONS		18 - 30	31/07/2016 - 27/08/2016	1	2

Total N° Campos: 6

Total N° Plazas:

6