



ARMENIA

Topic: Art, Culture, History WHV i ZVARTNOTS CATHEDRAL RUINS

Camp code: AM-HUJ 9.4:

Start Date: 09 Jul 2013
End Date: 22 Jul 2013
Number of volunteers: 12
International age: 18 - 80
National age: 18 - 80
Extra Costs: 00.00 €
Required Language: English

Type of Work: The workcamp is organized within the frameworks of World Heritage Volunteers - Patrimonto Voluntary Action launched by UNESCO World Heritage Centre and CCIVS (Coordinating Committee for International Voluntary Service). One of the main goals of the project is to raise awareness about the necessity to protect, preserve and promote cultural and natural heritage in general and the inscribed or potential World Heritage sites in particular. The major objective of the workcamp is the preservation of this Historical site for the future generations, to keep it in worthy conditions to allow the visitors to be spiritually enriched and to contemplate the beauty and the splendour of this monument. To support the staff of the Museum of the Zvartnots Cathedral in matters of maintaining the territory and fulfilling different types of work necessary on the particular moment. Activities for the volunteers: - Maintenance of the territory - removing the over-grown grass, weeds. - Helping the staff in renovating and painting work. - National sounds at Zvartnots i learning Armenian national dances, songs. - Cultural program i My impressions about Patrimonto 2012 Power point presentations of the volunteers on their impressions and feelings about the project and plans for the future. - Implementation of the countries they are from, and the World Heritage Objects existing there

Accommodation: Guest house on the territory of the Cathedral. Volunteers will prepare the food themselves. You will taste all kinds of Armenian traditional food, such as dolma, khorovats (barbecue), kabab, khashlama, incomparable fruits of Ararat Valley - apricots, grapes, peaches, apples, berries..

Requirements: No special requirements/ volunteers are asked to get acquainted with World Heritage and PATRIMONITO projects of UNESCO before arrival

Approximate Location: Zvartnots was built in the middle of the 7th century. This architectural masterpiece is a monument which embodies the centuries-long traditions of Armenian architecture. Unfortunately, like the majority of ancient Armenian temples, Zvartnots has survived only in ruins as it was completely destroyed by powerful earthquake in the 10th century. However, even the ruins of this temple give us the idea of its rare and majestic beauty.

Topic: Children, Teenagers, Elderly People KRUNK

Camp code: AM-HUJ 5.13:



Start Date: 14 Jul 2013
End Date: 27 Jul 2013
Number of volunteers: 25
International age: 18 - 28
National age: 18 - 28
Extra Costs: 00.00 €
Required Language: English

Type of Work: The main aim of the workcamp is the aesthetic education of children and ecological-renovation work on the territory of the school..

Accommodation: Volunteers will stay in the school. They will be provided with beds. Volunteers will prepare the food themselves. You will taste all kinds of Armenian traditional food, such as dolma, khorovats (barbecue), kabab, khashlama, incomparable fruits of Ararat Valley - apricots, grapes, peaches, apples, berries.

Requirements: No special requirements

Approximate Location: The camp is situated in a secondary school in Yerevan. There are 650 pupils studying in this school. Armenia is called an open-air museum. A lot of interesting excursions and visits to historical monuments, ancient churches and monasteries, temple and museums will be organized during the workcamp.

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SOS - KINDERDORF

Camp code: AM-HUJ 5.12:

Start Date: 14 Jul 2013
End Date: 27 Aug 2013
Number of volunteers: 16
International age: 18 - 28
National age: 18 - 28
Extra Costs: 00.00 €
Required Language: English

Type of Work: The volunteers will do environmental and renovation work on the territory. The further details will be provided at the time of the workcamp. Volunteers will participate in most activities with the children, performing a variety of different tasks. They will organize workshops - painting, sculpturing, handicrafts, dancing, singing, sports, language lessons, leisure time games. The main aim of the camp is the organization of a big performance and an exhibition of works which will be presented at the end by volunteers and children. The concert/performance will be organized with the active participation of the children and the volunteers, making an interesting presentation of the national songs, dances, traditions of each country the volunteers come from.

Accommodation: Volunteers will live in a cottage on the territory of the village. Volunteers will prepare the food themselves. You will taste all kinds of Armenian traditional food, such as dolma, khorovats (barbecue), kabab, khashlama, incomparable fruits of Ararat Valley - apricots, grapes, peaches, apples, berries.

Approximate Location: The SOS Children s Village is a place where children i particularly those who have no parental care and those whose families have to live in difficult conditions i have found their new mothers, sisters and brothers and live in families. It is situated in the Province Kotayk (15km from Yerevan), where 6-7 children live in separate cottages with their SOS mothers. SOS Children s village in Armenia is built and financed by SOS-Kinderdorf international non-governmental social development organization. The SOS Children s Village family-like structure is formed by four basic principles: mother, brothers and sisters, house and village. The camp in SOS Children s village is organized for the 10th time this year and has become a popular and traditional one and children are looking forward to meeting the volunteers in summer. Armenia is called an open-air museum. A lot of interesting excursions and visits to historical monuments, ancient churches and monasteries, temple and



museums will be organized during the workcamp. The following excursions will be financed from the budgets of the workcamps: Echmiadzin Mother Cathedral, Zvartnots Cathedral ruins, Garni Pagan Temple, Geghard Monastery Complex with a program of PATRIMONITO, Lake Sevan (with a picnic on the beach). Volunteers will also visit Matenadaran-storehouse of ancient manuscripts, Historical Museum of Armenia, National Gallery of Armenia, Erebuni-museum of the city foundation, museum of famous film director S.Parajanov, Vernisage i Armenian big souvenirs market under the open sky and other visits and meetings.

Topic: Children, Teenagers, Elderly People ZATIK JOINT2

Camp code: AM-HUJ 5.8:

Start Date: 16 Jul 2013
End Date: 29 Jul 2013
Number of volunteers: 16
International age: 18 - 28
National age: 18 - 28
Extra Costs: 00.00 €
Required Language: English

Type of Work: During the workcamp volunteers will organize different workshops with children, where they can draw, sculpture, dance, sing, organize sport games and other things according to the talents and abilities of the volunteers. Volunteers together with children shall present a national song, dance or perform a scene, showing their country s culture and traditions.The tasks of the volunteers are as follows: in the morning they will be involved in some renovation work on the territory of the orphanage, in the afternoon: aesthetic education of children and preparation of the final concert.Volunteers are asked to bring CDs with national songs and a developed idea on his/her own part of the concert/performance.

Accommodation: Volunteers will stay in a separate place in the orphanage. They will be provided with beds. Volunteers will prepare the food themselves. You will taste all kinds of Armenian traditional food, such as dolma, khorovats (barbecue), kabab, khashlama, incomparable fruits of Ararat Valley - apricots, grapes, peaches, apples, berries.

Approximate Location: The Zatik orphanage is located in Yerevan. This year the camp in this venue will be organized for the 11th time. Armenia is called an open-air museum. A lot of interesting excursions and visits to historical monuments, ancient churches and monasteries, temple and museums will be organized during the workcamp.

Topic: Disabilities REHABILITATION CENTRE

Camp code: AM-HUJ 4.7:

Start Date: 23 Jul 2013
End Date: 05 Aug 2013
Number of volunteers: 16
International age: 18 - 28
National age: 18 - 28



Extra Costs: 00.00 €

Required Language: English

Type of Work: The aim of this workcamp is organization of the leisure time of children with motor-system infringement and cardio-vascular system diseases as well as some environmental work on the territory. Volunteers day will begin with environmental work: maintaining the territory, cleaning children s playground from weeds and grass, painting and some renovation work. After the children finish their therapy, volunteers will join them to draw, sculpture, sing and dance, do physical training, play games. At the end of the camp volunteers and children will organize a farewell party.

Accommodation: Volunteers will stay in a separate cottage on the territory of the Rehabilitation Center and sleep in beds. Volunteers will prepare the food themselves. You will taste all kinds of Armenian traditional food, such as dolma, khorovats (barbecue), kabab, khashlama, incomparable fruits of Ararat Valley - apricots, grapes, peaches, apples, berries.

Requirements: Volunteers are to read methodic literature about work and special games for disabled children. They are also asked to bring different games and face-paint for the work with children. The camp requires a strict discipline.

Approximate Location: The Centre is situated not far from the center of Yerevan, next to the artificial Lake Yerevan. The territory of the Rehabilitation Center is former Governmental rest house. The camp will be opened for the 22nd time and is already a popular and traditional one. Every year the children receiving their treatment here look forward to meeting the volunteers in summer. Volunteers bring a lot of ideas, spirit, love, warmth, kindness and make the stay of these children in this Center a great holiday. They make these children feel that they are needed, full-valued and help them to reveal their talents and abilities. Armenia is called an open-air museum. A lot of interesting excursions and visits to historical monuments, ancient churches and monasteries, temple and museums will be organized during the workcamp.

Topic: Environment

BOTANICAL GARDEN

Camp code: AM-HUJ 6.1:

Start Date: 25 Jul 2013

End Date: 07 Aug 2013

Number of volunteers: 12

International age: 18-80

National age: 18-80

Extra Costs: 00.00 €

Required Language: English

Type of Work: The main aim of this camp is to perform a variety of environmental maintenance projects: taking care of area of the Garden, cleaning the paths, taking out the weeds, cultivating the trees, preparing the trees for planting, cleaning the territory, etc. The staff of the Botanical Garden will organize a seminar for volunteers on the theme of environment and nature.

Accommodation: Volunteers will live in a separate building on the territory of the Botanical Garden. They will be provided with mats and beds. Living conditions are basic.

Approximate Location: The Botanical Garden is situated in the north-eastern part of Yerevan, occupying the territory of 80 hectares. We are opening a workcamp here for the 8th time already. The Botanical Garden of the National Academy of Science is responsible for plant collections in Armenia. It holds rich herbarium of different species and shrubs. The collection of Armenian flora includes around 200 species and provides a basis for its study, and the ecological interactions of species, in a relatively natural environment. Armenia is called an open-air museum. A lot of interesting excursions and visits to historical monuments, ancient churches and monasteries,



temple and museums will be organized during the workcamp. The following excursions will be financed from the budgets of the workcamp: Echmiadzin Mother Cathedral, Zvartnots Cathedral ruins, Garni Pagan Temple, Geghard Monastery Complex with a program of PATRIMONITO, Lake Sevan (with a picnic on the beach). Volunteers will also visit Matenadaran-storehouse of ancient manuscripts, Historical Museum of Armenia, National Gallery of Armenia, Erebuni-museum of the city foundation, museum of famous film director S.Parajanov, Vernisage i Armenian big souvenirs market under the open sky and other visits and meetings.

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HRAZDAN

Camp code: AM-HUJ 6.14:

Start Date: 02 Aug 2013
End Date: 16 Aug 2013
Number of volunteers: 25
International age: 18 - 28
National age: 18 - 28
Extra Costs: 00.00 €
Required Language: English

Type of Work: The stadium has been renovated recently. Volunteers will do painting, cleaning up and maintaining the territory of the stadium.

Accommodation: Volunteers will live in the building on the territory of the stadium. Volunteers will prepare the food themselves. You will taste all kinds of Armenian traditional food, such as dolma, khorovats (barbecue), kabab, khashlama, incomparable fruits of Ararat Valley - apricots, grapes, peaches, apples, berries.

Approximate Location: Hrazdan Stadium is situated on the height leading to the picturesque canyon of Hrazdan river which divides the city into two parts. Thanks to the exact architectural decision the stadium and the sport-complex have become an original component of the architectural harmony and dynamically fulfills to the beautiful landscape. Armenia is called an open-air museum. A lot of interesting excursions and visits to historical monuments, ancient churches and monasteries, temple and museums will be organized during the workcamp.

Topic: Disabilities

REHABILITATION CENTRE

Camp code: AM-HUJ 4.2:

Start Date: 08 Aug 2013
End Date: 21 Aug 2013
Number of volunteers: 12
International age: 18-80
National age: 18-80
Extra Costs: 00.00 €
Required Language: English



Type of Work: The aim of this workcamp is organization of the leisure time of children with motor-system infringement and cardio-vascular system diseases as well as some environmental work on the territory. Volunteers day will begin with environmental work: maintaining the territory, cleaning children s playground from weeds and grass, painting and some renovation work. After the children finish their therapy, volunteers will join them to draw, sculpture, sing and dance, do physical training, play games. At the end of the camp volunteers and children will organize a farewell party.

Accommodation: Volunteers will stay in a separate cottage on the territory of the Rehabilitation Center and sleep in beds. Volunteers will prepare the food themselves. You will taste all kinds of Armenian traditional food, such as dolma, khorovats (barbecue), kabab, khashlama, incomparable fruits of Ararat Valley - apricots, grapes, peaches, apples, berries.

Requirements: Volunteers are to read methodic literature about work and special games for disabled children. They are also asked to bring different games and face-paint for the work with children.

Approximate Location: The Centre is situated not far from the center of Yerevan, next to the artificial Lake Yerevan. The territory of the Rehabilitation Center is former Governmental rest house. The camp will be opened for the 22nd time and is already a popular and traditional one. Every year the children receiving their treatment here look forward to meeting the volunteers in summer. Volunteers bring a lot of ideas, spirit, love, warmth, kindness and make the stay of these children in this Center a great holiday. They make these children feel that they are needed, full-valued and help them to reveal their talents and abilities. Armenia is called an open-air museum. A lot of interesting excursions and visits to historical monuments, ancient churches and monasteries, temple and museums will be organized during the workcamp.

Topic: Children, Teenagers, Elderly People ZATIK

Camp code: AM-HUJ 5.9:

Start Date: 06 Sep 2013

End Date: 16 Sep 2013

Number of volunteers: 17

International age: 18 - 28

National age: 18 - 28

Extra Costs: 00.00 €

Required Language: English

Type of Work: In the morning the volunteers will be involved in renovation work and in the afternoon make preparation work with children to organize a big concert/performance on the last day of the workcamp. During the workcamp volunteers will organize different workshops for children, where they can draw, sculpture, dance, sing. The volunteers can also teach the children basic foreign language by their wish; organize sports games and other things according to the talents and abilities of the volunteers. Volunteers together with children shall present a national song, dance or perform a scene, showing their country s culture and traditions. Volunteers are asked to bring CDs with national songs and a developed idea on his/her own part of the concert/performance.

Accommodation: Volunteers will stay in a separate place in the orphanage. They will be provided with beds. Volunteers will prepare the food themselves. You will taste all kinds of Armenian traditional food, such as dolma, khorovats (barbecue), kabab, khashlama, incomparable fruits of Ararat Valley - apricots, grapes, peaches, apples, berries.

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