

Center Janeza Levca Ljubljana Oddelek za projektne dejavnosti

# EVS 2015: Invitation to participate

Dear friends,

we are looking for partners in our new EVS project 'Stepping into somebody else's shoes'.

Please find more info below:

PROJECT	EVS 'Stepping into somebody else's shoes'
HOST ORG.	Centre Janez Levec Ljubljana – <b>CJL</b> (Ljubljana, Slovenia)
DURATION	1 <sup>st</sup> of September 2015 – 31st of August 2016 (12 months)
VENUE	Ljubljana, Slovenia
NR of VOLUNTEERS	1

\*the project is also opened for volunteers with fewer opportunities.

CONDITIONS Due to the population the volunteers will be working with, basic knowledge of Slovenian/Croatian/Bosnian/Serbian/other Slavic languages is required.

TASKSIn general the volunteers will work with children and youngsters with special<br/>needs (mental disabilities, learning difficulties and behavioural problems) at<br/>our units, listed below (about CLJ).

The volunteers will also help with the organisation and execution of the children, youngsters or adults' after-school and holiday activities, and will accompany them at different trips, visits, camps etc.

In the summer period (mid July – mid August) the volunteers will work in the youth house Janez Levec, working closely with youngsters who will also work in the youth house as part of their summer jobs.

Another very important part of the EVS volunteers' task is also helping with preparation and organisation of our **international events** "**Play with me**" that take place throughout the year. Volunteers are an important part of the events, bringing their own ideas into life and realizing them through numerous challenging activities.

#### We're looking for open-minded and flexible volunteer who like to work in team.

## ABOUT CJL

Centre Janez Levec Ljubljana is an organisation, working with children and youngsters with special needs. We are responsible for their education and schooling. CJL is one of the biggest organizations of such kind in Slovenia, having the following units: The Labour and Employment Centre Janez Levec, Home for children with special needs, two special education elementary schools, The special education departments and The project office, all situated in Ljubljana.

Our organisation employs special pedagogues, psyhologists, social workers, supporting staff and volunteers. All together we have over 400 children and youngsters and 150 employees.

More info http://www.centerjanezalevca.si/Uprava\_Wiki/About%20us.aspx

### ABOUT PLAY WITH ME EVENTS

Another important part of the Centre is **the project office** which organises **international inclusive projects** with the aim to include our children and youngsters into the rest of the society by various international projects which go under the name **'Igraj se z mano'** / **'Play with me'** (sports event, cultural events, art exhibitions, festival, experiential pedagogy events). All the events are **inclusive in their nature**.

#### More info

www.igrajsezmano.eu



#### Our motto in working with young people

To ensure that all our pupils and young people are given the same opportunities for their personal and intellectual development and to enable them the highest possible degree of socialization and normalization within the wider community.

We would be very glad if you could help us find suitable candidates for our project.

FURTHER STEPS All interested candidates should send us the CV and Motivational letters to prostovoljstvo@igrajsezmano.si.

Please make sure you have a sending organisation with a valid PIC code\*.

DEADLINEThe project has already been accepted at the first deadline of this year.The deadline for sending us your documents (CV, ML) isFriday, the 5<sup>th</sup> of June. After the selection period, we shall inform you<br/>on the further steps (Skype interview etc).

IMPORTANT	It is very important that the sending organisations have a valid PIC code*.
	Without it, participation in the project is not possible.

\*PIC CODE - http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/pp-pic\_en.html

 FURTHER INFO
 In case of further questions, please contact Tina Verbic, project coordinator at

 prostovoljstvo@igrajsezmano.si

Looking forward to cooperating with you!

With kind regards,

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