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ARCHIPELAGIC YOUTH EXCHANGE



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The youth exchange project "AYE" (funded by Erasmus+) The AYE aims to improve the living conditions of youngsters living on the two archipelagic islands of Ærø (Denmark) and Hailuoto (Finland) by strategies of empowerment using non-formal learning processes through cultural and artistic production methods. Having benefited in many ways from an upbringing in a small scale and safe environment, being young in an archipelagic, non-bridged island community can create certain risks of isolation and fewer opportunities: the lack of resources, long distances and missing international connections may lead to exclusion.

The project's beneficiary is Viften, Ærø Musik- og Ungdomsskole. LAG Nouseva Rannikkoseutu acts as a partner organisation and working closely with the municipality of Hailuoto as a local partner.



The project team is done with official preparations. Now it is time to give leading role to the youth groups.