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GET ACTIVE WITH YOUTH



May - August/September, 2024

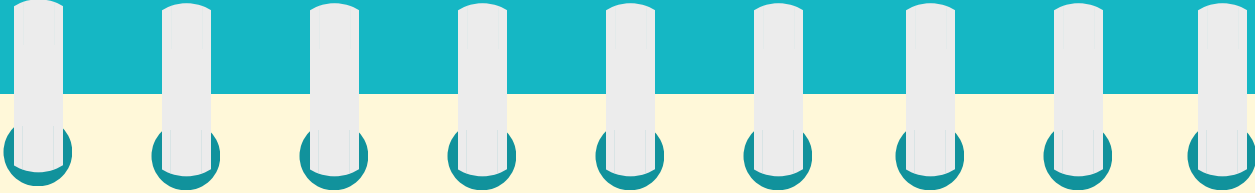
Raahe, Finland

Enjoy the long summer days of north and be active with local youth! In this project two (2) volunteers will work in the small seaside town of Raahе (24 000 inhabitants). The town is surrounded by nature and it's history is rooted in the sailing ship era. The archipelago has become a popular destination.



Volunteers will participate in the activities of the local youth work: youth houses, clubs, trips, sports, nature activities etc. Volunteers will also be planning and implementing events as well as working in the local children's traffic park. They will work together with local youth to create activities and increase involvement. Volunteers will also have an opportunity to carry out own ideas.





Project period

There's some room for flexibility with the project dates. We wish that volunteers could start around May 20th (to ensure the training). The project can end at the end of August or sometime in September.

Accommodation, food and transportation arrangements

Volunteers are accommodated in a guest house. Volunteers need to cook for themselves (food allowance and pocket money will be provided). Within the city the distances are short: main venues are mainly reachable by foot. If needed, other transportation is provided. Bus station with connections to other cities locate within walking distance.

Mandatory costs are covered according to programme rules.

Training

The volunteers participate in an on-arrival training organized by the Finnish National agency. The volunteers can also get Finnish language lessons if they want.

Volunteers are guided to all tasks. The volunteer's personal skills or interests are considered and discussed before the project and an individual work plan is made for all volunteers.

Volunteer profile

We would like to host active volunteers who are motivated to work with children and young people. Working hours change according to tasks, so volunteers need to be flexible. As the tasks include working with children, an extract of the criminal records is required.

How and when to apply?

Send your CV and motivation letter to erja.simuna@nousevarannikkoseutu.fi

Application deadline: 1 April 2024

What happens then?

If we think you could be the volunteer we look for, we will contact you and agree a time for an interview. During the interview we discuss more about the project.

Need to know more: send email to erja.simuna@nousevarannikkoseutu.fi