

Referencia: 9

Code: SDA303

Year: 2011

Name: ORGANIC FARMING AT CAMPHILL COMMUNITY II

Location: PRAGUE 2

Address:

Url: www.inexsda.cz

Project: AGRI-RENO - Agriculture - Restoration/renovation

Initial Date: 09/07/2011

Final Date: 28/07/2011

Min Age: 18

Max Age: 30

Places: 2

Description of Workcamp: SDA 303 Organic Farming at Camphill Community II
09/07 ¿ 28/07

AGRI/RENO

Vols: 10+2

AGE: 18+

Project: The civic association Camphill tries to create an adequate home for people with mental disabilities. The community runs a day centre and a resident project for people with special needs. There are also two therapeutic workshops and an organic farm, products of which are sold to organic shops and on markets. According to anthroposophy (the philosophy of the centre), emphasis is put on the harmonic life in a family-like community.

Work: The volunteers will perform two different kinds of manual work. Firstly they will be helping on the organic farm (f.e. planting, watering, weeding, harvesting potatoes¿) and care for a garden. Secondly they will maintain the area of the community and do some minor construction and renovation works (f.e. building a wall, cleaning, cutting grass). Bring good working gear and boots.

Study part: Lectures about the Camphill movement, anthroposophy and organic farming. Visit to the nearby Terezin Memorial at the sight of the former concentration camp for Jews ¿ the Terezin Ghetto. Workshops on different handicraft techniques will be organized for you.

Leisure time: You can make trips to the surrounding towns, go hiking in the nearby hills, swim in the river just behind the centre, have boat trips, do sport activities, visit cultural events in the near by cities¿and much more!

Accommodation/Food: In a big hall on mattresses. Bring a sleeping bag. One shower with hot water will be available. The volunteers will prepare their meals on their own.

Location: Ceske Kopisty ¿ a small village near the historical town of Litomerice.

Note: As you will stay in a community for people with mental health issues, please note that smoking and the consumption of alcohol and drugs are forbidden within the community area. Please respect night-time peace and the privacy of the clients¿ accommodation.