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GENERAL INFO ABOUT THE PROJECT:

AIMS:

- Increase cross-border cooperation by building capacity of local actors working with youth
- Demonstrate the benefits of soft cross-border cooperation for solving common youth issues

OBJECTIVES:

- Enhancing cross-border cooperation of young people in partner countries
- Improving capacity and competencies of local governments and their representatives to engage in civil dialogue with youth
- Disseminating project results for development of future plans for increased youth participation in local and cross-border issues in the SB region



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PROJECT ACTIONS

09.10.2018 – SCHOOL APPEALS IN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IN NOWE MIASTO LUBAWSKIE

On 9/10/2018, appeals were held in all educational institutions in Nowe Miasto Lubawskie, for pupils from 5 to 8 years of primary school. The purpose of the appeal was to raise awareness about the possibility of participating in the project among students and to introduce to the subject what is the youth council, how it functions, how it can change the local environment and what important decisions are allowed.



18-19.10.2018 – PARTICIPATION OF POLISH ASSOCIATED PARTNERS IN EXTERNAL TRAINING IN ŁŁAWA

Two-day training organised by Civis Polonus Foundation in agreement with the local authority of Łława. Almost 40 people, adults and youth, participate in dedicated trainings, during which they discussed the challenges and problems of life of the indigenous people in local communities, the possibilities of cooperation with rulers and the local self-government.



07-08.11.2018 – INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE „YOUTH CIVIL PARTICIPATION: PRACTICAL AND THEORETICAL SOLUTIONS“ IN KLAIPEDA UNIVERSITY

The main aim of conference was to encourage the academic community, representatives of public institutions, non-government organizations and members of society to share theoretical knowledge and practical experience, participate in discussions and strengthen scientific, economic and social integration in the Baltic Sea Region.



23.11.2018 – TRAINING FOR POLISH YOUTH COUNCIL'S SUPERVISORS IN ELBLĄG

In Elbląg was conducted course and seminar dedicated to polish youth councils care giver and supervisors. During this event participants had opportunity to discuss the most important issues about working with youth or operate and manage the youth council in each city. Caregivers had some practical exercises with professional trainer about the statute and rules of operation of Youth Councils



04.12.2018 – PROJECT MEETING OF YOUNG PEOPLE WITH THE MAYOR OF THE NOWE MIASTO LUBAWSKIE MR JERZY BLANK

Project meeting of representatives of Youth City Council with the authorities which took place in Nowe Miasto Lubawskie, aimed at bringing the parties closer to issues important to the local community and working out future topics to meet within the project network. It was opportunity for the young people to ask the Mayor the most interesting questions. One of the themes were: sport, scholarships for young people, a meeting place for young people and safety in the city.



04.12.2018 – STORYTELLING & COMMUNICATION WITH MEDIA' TRAINING IN GDAŃSK

Lead Partner and other project took part in organized by Joint Secretary communication training which was focused on how to write project stories and communicate project results in a more visible and attractive way. Participant's shared experience and exchange our communication practices with other participants and discuss how to make project communication more effective.



06-07.12.2019 – 2ND SB YCGN INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP AND TRAINING FOR ADULTS AND LOCAL YOUTH LEADERS IN TELŠIAI (LITHUANIA)

Representatives of young people and adults from Poland and Lithuania had chance to participate in event panels. It was training for adults and youth combined with study visits at places presenting the state of civic activity and the way in which young people participate in participatory processes in Lithuania. There were also individual consultations with representatives of the local government and group consultations with young people.



11.12.2018 – PARTNERSHIP MEETING DEVOTED ISSUES CONNECTED WITH CREATION YOUTH COUNCIL ELBLĄG

As a result of consultations with the city authorities, one of the elements of youth activation is the reconstruction of the youth city council of Elblag. This meeting with future caregivers was dedicated to the reconstruction of the Youth City Council in Elblag, as a basis for recruiting participants of SB YCGN activities and one of the pillars of the future Network of Youth Groups in Poland.



29-30.01.2019 – STUDY VISIT AND WORKSHOP DEDICATED FOR CAREGIVERS AND YOUTH IN KOGE, DENMARK

First workshop in Koge, during which participants get know the situation of the youth in Koge and general situation of Youth in Denmark. Youth had individual consultation with representatives of University of Klaipeda and Gdansk University of Technology. Parallel session was prepared for caregivers during which they could know each other and they had opportunity to talk about good practices from each countries when it comes to youth participation.



13-14.02.2019 – PARTICIPATION IN EUROREGION BALTIC EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING AND DEVELOPMENT OF CLOSER COOPERATION WITH ERB YOUTH BOARD IN SUBJECTS OF YOUTH AFFAIRS IN KLAIPEDA

During this meeting new Swedish ERB member was presented, the transfer of the ERB Presidency, the approval of the new Head of the Euroregion Baltic International Permanent Secretariat and the ERB Action Plan for 2019. Furthermore, the new Executive Board members were introduced, to a project SB YCGN, as a new method of involving the youth in decision making processes participation and local participation



15.02.2019 – SB YCGN MEETING WITH POLISH AP MUNICIPALITY STAKEHOLDERS OF IŁAWA MUNICIPALITY

On 15th February 2019 was meeting with the authorities of the member cities of the project SB YCGN took place in Iława. Authorities from Iława decided about potential decision-making possibilities available to young people. Representative of Gdańsk University of Technology conduct an interview with the Mayor and members of the authorities and it was connected with situation of Youth in Iława



22.02.2019 – MEETING OF PROJECT PARTNERS WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF DZIERZGOŃ, DEVOTED TO THE COORDINATION OF THE SB YCGN PROJECT ACTIVITIES

On 22th of February 2019 representative of the Lead Partner, member of the Civis Polonus Foundation and representatives of the authorities of the City of Dzierzgoń took part in meeting. They discussed the situation of young people in Dzierzgoń and scope of participation opportunities for them. They work out joint solutions and mechanisms of cooperation focused on the development of the SB YCGN network in Dzierzgoń.



25.02.2019 – MEETING WITH GDYNIA'S STAKEHOLDERS

On the 25th of February 2019 was held meeting of Project Partner Foundation Civis Polonus with city authorities. During meeting they talked about cooperation of Gdynia's authorities with Youth Board, their work system and trainings which are needed for youth and government employees. Authorities of the city declared their willingness to cooperate with young people and proposed topics to which they can include young people, ie public transport, city aesthetics and new investments in the city.



05.03.2019 - WORKING MEETING DEDICATED TO THE PREPARATION OF A JOINT INTERNATIONAL PROJECT SIA4Y AND SB YCGN EVENY IN ELBLĄG

In Elbląg on 5th of the March, representatives of: CASYPOT, SB YCGN, SIA4Y met to plan and organize a joint event under the name: "Access to public information from a youth perspective". During the meeting it was dedicated that each project will have its own workshop panel and Overall objective will be to increase the level of awareness, knowledge and ability to use the right of access to public information. Coffe Table Round was chose as tool to asses of good practices and tolls from CaSYPoT and SB YCGN projects.



7.03.2019 - SIA4Y EVENT - ACCESS TO PUBLIC INFORMATION FROM THE YOUTH PERSPECTIVE

On the 7th of March 2019 was held SIA4Y event during which young people could talk and discuss about youth civil participation. The main aim of the event was to inform and train participants in the use of the right to access public information, including practical training in socially responsible relations and knowledge of the participatory budget for young people. During Caffé Table Round youth discussed 3 topic:

- 1) How to encourage people to take part in this kind of round-table meetings?
- 2) How do you think these meetings should look like?
- 3) How to consolidate such a form of cooperation so that it becomes a local tradition?



20.03.2019 - TRAINING FOR THE YOUTH BOARD OF GDYNIA

On the 20th of March 2019 was held training for the Youth Board of Gdynia in the Wymiennikownia. The members of the Youth Board together with supervisors took part in the training. The main objective was to show young members on what rules the Youth Board function, with what it deals with, what decisions can be allowed and through which actions it shows that it has a real impact on the surrounding reality.



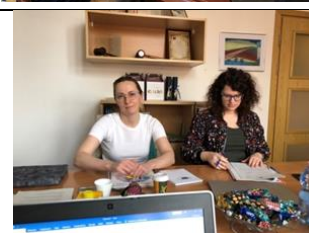
22.03.2019 - MEETING WITH STAKEHOLDERS ON MUNICIPALITY OF ELBLĄG - PRESENTATION OF THE SB YCGN PROJECT AND ITS ACTIVITIES AND ESTABLISHING DIRECTIONS FOR FURTHER COOPERATION WITH THE AUTHORITIES OF THE CITY OF ELBLĄG

On the 22th of March 2019 was held meeting with authorities of Elbląg city. During the meeting president of the city declared his will to support the Youth Board and the activities of the SB YCGN project. The main goal for Elbląg is to create element of network using the "Round Table" method based on the city authorities, existing NGOs and other organizations working for the benefit of young people.



23.03.2019 – SB YCGN STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING IN ELBLĄG

On 23th March there was a meeting of Polish and Lithuanian SB YCGN project Work package Leaders devoted to preparations on next phase of project implementation: subsequent activities, changes, division of tasks, youth core group network development.



25.03.2019 – MEETING WITH THE CHAIRMAN OF THE CITY COUNCIL IN ELBLĄG

At 23th of March 2019 was held meeting in which took part Lead Partner of SB YCGN project, caregiver of youth board in Elbląg and Chairman of the City Council in Elbląg. They talked about next steps and actions which Youth Board should take, how City Council in Elbląg can help for youth and how they can cooperate



26.03.2019 – PLANNING WORKSHOP FOR POLISH ASSOCIATED PARTNERS IN GDYNIA

In the workshop at 23.03.2019 in Gdynia took part representatives from Municipality of Nowe Miasto Lubawskie, Municipality of Gdynia, Ilawa Municipality, Municipality of City of Elblag. The main aim of meeting was to summarize and to plan the rest of project's activities until the very end and to explain the idea of South Baltic Youth Core Group Network and to carefully plan each step in order to establish the network in Poland.



12.04.2019 – ESTABLISHMENT OF YOUTH CORE GROUP IN DZIERZGOŃ MUNICIPALITY "ROUND TABLE MEETING"

First meeting of Round Table in Dzierzgoń was held at 12.04.2019, the aim of this meeting was debate between inviter persons about creation of the Youth Activity Area in Dzierzgon. The round table was conducted in the form of an Oxford debate led by the Youth Board mentor. Representatives of YB of Dzierzgoń presented arguments for and against the rise of the Local Activity Zone in Dzierzgon.



18.04.2019 – ESTABLISHMENT OF YOUTH CORE GROUP IN NOWE MIASTO LUBAWSKIE MUNICIPALITY "ROUND TABLE MEETING"

Meeting of 1st round table in Nowe Miasto Lubaswkie was held at 18.04.2018. The main aim was to conduct consultations and discussions regarding of a scholarship program, as well as the rules on which it should function. The chosen by the youth form of the meeting was Word Cafe, in which the youth was divided into four thematic groups, where the coordinator helped young people in each subject.



25.04.2019 - ESTABLISHMENT OF YOUTH CORE GROUP IN ILAWA MUNICIPALITY "ROUND TABLE MEETING"

Meeting of round table in Ilawa was held in Municipal and City of Ilawa Office at 25.04.2019. The aim of the event was to debate on the change of the scholarship formula granted to students of the schools in Ilawa. At the meeting was attended representatives of the authorities. As part of a round table discussion was held using the Word Cafe method, where 4 different topics related to the awarding of scholarships



09.05.2019 - PROMOTION OF THE EXPERIENCE OF THE PROJECT DURING "EUROPE DAY" IN SORO (DENMARK) WITHIN UMBRELLA AWARENESS RASING EVEN

At the invitation of representatives of the Umbrella project, representatives of the Association took part and presented the ideas and assumptions of the SB YCGN project. Project was presented as an example of building cooperation potential within the framework of an international educational project that enables the integration of experts, politicians and practitioners, as well as youth in raising awareness and participation opportunities of local communities.



13-14.05.2019 – PRESENTATION OF RESULTS OF SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH CARRIED OUT IN THE PROJECT OF SB YCGN DURING THE CONFERENCE OF THE CASYPOT PROJECT IN KALMAR

On 13-14.05.2019, in Kalmar was held meeting finishing CaSYPoT project on the one of the panels Young Representatives of: Ilawa, Elblag, Dzierzgoń, Gdynia and Nowe Miasto Lubawskie presented the results of surveys conducted in Poland and Lithuania as part of the SB YCGN project. Participants during the meeting gained new experiences, ideas for new projects. On the second day of the conference, was organized a study visit to the UNIK- youth club, where young people from Poland could see in what conditions Swedish youth can develop themselves and spend free time.



30.05.2019 - GRAND OPENING OF YOUTH CITY COUNCIL ELBLĄG CONNECTED WITH YOUNG COUNCILORS FIRST VOW

Reconstruction of the Youth City Council of Elbląg had place official at 30.05.2019. The new council consists of 56 representatives, both primary and high school students. This is the result of substantive and technical cooperation of the members of the SB YCGN project with the careers and youth from Elbląg, representatives of the city authorities and local government employees.





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