

International VoluntaryService - - Workcamps -European Voluntary Service-

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It is the second time Yap Italy organizes a work camp in Roiate and this year, thank to the success of past year project, we will have two different activities.

Project:

In Southern Lazio, the region of Rome, there are some hill and mountain areas that need to be protected and valued, in order to safeguard the environment and to make these places a natural tourist attraction. The landscape offers a lot of natural and cultural resources, but many inhabitants are leaving the small city and the villages in order to go to work in the big cities nearby.

None the less Roiate, like its surrounding villages and the towns, has a wonderful historical and cultural heritage that both the municipality and the citizens want to respect and to promote. One of the aims of the project is to promote this heritage by cleaning and working together with international volunteers also there for this purpose.

The local authorities are willing to help develop this project and also to involve the young people in activities useful for the community and for the patrimony.

The work camp is run in collaboration with local authorities, the Region of Lazio and environmental associations taking part in F.I.E. (Federazione Italiana Escursionismo).

Work:

The participants will work near the town of Roiate. The work will be mainly focused in cleaning and renovating ancient roman walls. This wall was built by a Roman community in the IV century BC. The work will be quite hard, because of the summer heat and daily walking. You will also take part in ecological events and manifestations. Excursions in the nearby towns and localities will be organized during free time and weekends.



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Accommodation:

Volunteers will be lodged in the local school, with kitchen and services. They will take care of daily life and food by taking turns.

The group:

The group will be made by twenty international volunteers and two camp leaders that will help the group in organizing the daily life, the free time activities according to the local possibilities and that will take care of the intercultural part of the work camp.

Meeting place:

From the railway station Roma Termini take the underground **line A** until **Anagnina** (the last stop). There is the departure of regional buses "**Cotral**" that will drive you till Roiate (you have to buy the ticket before leaving).

You will meet **AT 12.00** outside the underground exit with your campleader (<u>phone number 328 7370236</u>). She will have a signal " Yap-Roiate".

After the meeting you will take all together a bus to Roiate. We recommend you to follow the instructions and to call if you have any problem.

What to bring:

Sleeping bag, mat, mountain shoes (obligatory), working clothes, cap, sun cream, light, raincoat, pictures, maps, foods, drinks, music instrument (if you play), tapes, CDs (if possible your music) and everything you think can be useful to create an international atmosphere.

Insurances:

YAP Italia provides insurance during the work camp period for civil liability (for possible accidents or those caused by participants). For those living within the European Union, you should bring the E 111 form, which is available from your health insurance company. All volunteers must be up-to-date with their vaccinations, especially against tetanus, and those volunteers coming from outside the European Union must bring a copy of their health insurance policy coverage.

Yap is member of: Ccivs (Coordinating Committee for the International Voluntary Service, Unesco), European Youth Forum, Avso (Association of Voluntary Service Organisations) and Ebco (European Bureau of Consciousness Objection).



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Emergency contacts:

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Some more contacts will be given some times before the camp or directly on the spot. Don't hesitate to contact us before your camp to be updated.