
THINK GET INVOLVED ACT

DAY 1



POZAREVAC, SERBIA



26.MARCH 2026

MEETING NEW FRIENDS

YOUTH FROM SEVEN DIFFERENT COUNTRIES FROM ALL
AROUND EUROPE, TOGETHER IN POZAREVAC



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GETTING TO KNOW EACH OTHER



THE POTATO RULE

Between many rules we all agreed upon, one stood out. Once someone shouts 'Pose. 3, 2, 1.. potato!' everybody has to pose for the photo. It's a creative rule that helps us make this Erasmus memorable through many photos we take together.



Did you like the first energizer? We think that it gave us an opportunity to see similarities between ourselves, even in silly things.



NOMEN EST OMEN

Getting to know each other was challenging, but nonetheless fun! The activity helped us associate each participant through a unique movement.



BORA BORA



TEAM BUILDING AND EXPECTATIONS



TACKLING CHALLENGES WITH THE HELP OF OUR FRIENDS

Everyone was fighting to get detangled from the rope, but no one is able to do it without the help of a friend. The message is - together we're stronger.

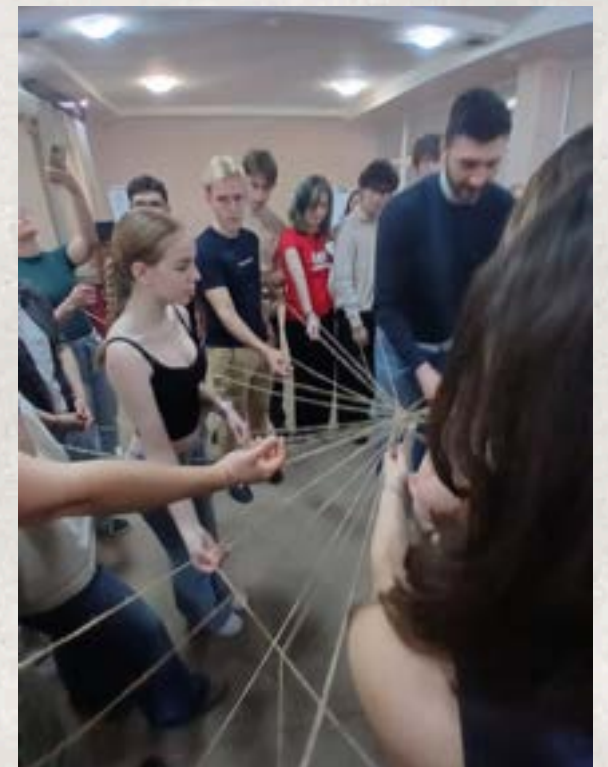
We also got to play many interesting games in random groups and compete with the rest. Congratulations to the winners!

WHAT HELPS US UNDERSTAND EACH OTHER MORE?

By mapping out our expectations, hopes and fears, we get a better understanding of each participant. Together, we can help people overcome their fears and meet their hopes.

Most of our participants are looking forward to learning new things, making new friends and improving their English. We hope that this Erasmus will provide just that.:)

The main fears that the participants mentioned were feeling excluded and not having many time, but we are proud to say that there is also plenty of brave participants with no fears at all!



TEAMWORK MAKES THE DREAMWORK



DESIGNING AND LEARNING JOURNEY



INTRODUCTION TO THE FUTURE TOPICS

Together, again in a random assortment, we designed presentations on each of the topics we will be tackling on this Erasmus. Participants especially loved this because everybody shined in what they do best, whether it's presenting, drawing or doing research. The feedback was overwhelmingly positive - people felt included and useful.

FOLLOW THE LEADER!

The last energizer of the day was 'Follow the leader'. Everyone had a chance to observe other people and pay more attention to individuals. While dancing, we got to strengthen our newfound friendships and have many fun.



TOGETHER FOR A BETTER FUTURE



INTERVIEW WITH JOVANA DERVIŠEVIĆ



HOW DO YOU FEEL AFTER THE FIRST DAY?

'I am very happy and fulfilled, I like that I'm meeting new people and gaining new experiences. The other participants are nice and kind.'

WHAT IS ONE THING THAT SURPRISED YOU TODAY?

'What surprised me most was the amount of different cultures and people that I had contact with today. We're all different, but in the end the same.'



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DAY 2



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MEDIA LITERACY

TODAY WE EXPLORED HOW WE CAN NAVIGATE THROUGH
MEDIA, IN A RESPONSIBLE WAY, LEARNING ABOUT TOPICS
AS FAKE NEWS, FACT CHECKING AND MEDIA BIAS



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THE WORLD OF MEDIA

Sometimes information is clear others misleading, is essential to understand how we can figure out what to consider when consuming it. Let's see some examples.

SENSATIONALISM

DISINFORMATION

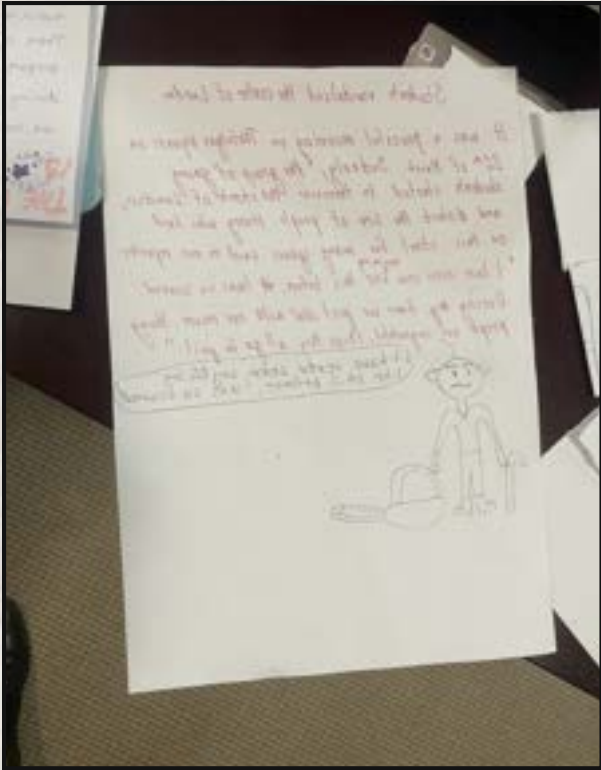
AI and Deepfakes

Algorithm

BIAS

✖ *DO WE ACTUALLY KNOW WHAT TRUTH IS?* ✖

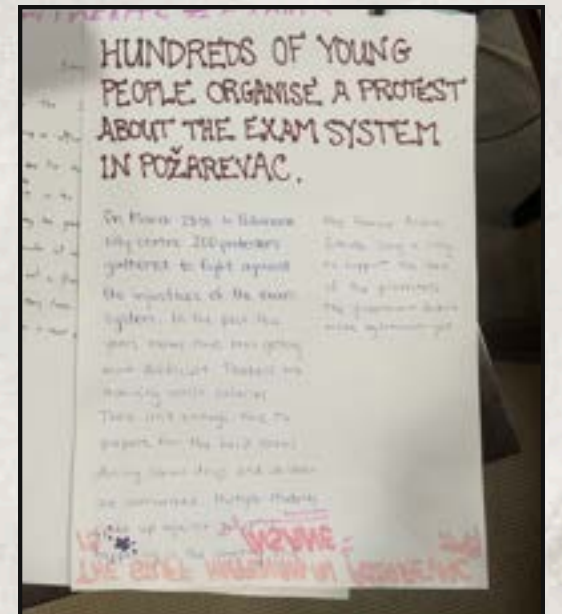
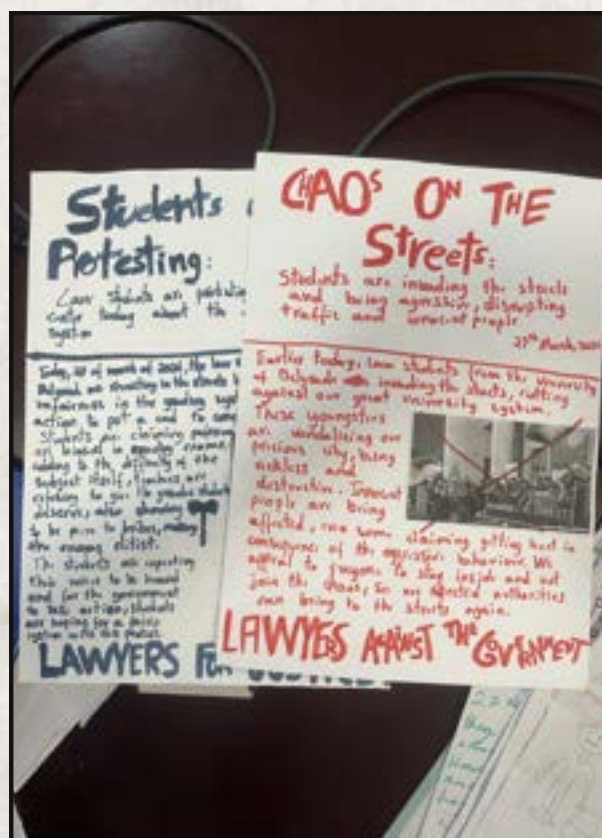
CONSTRUCTING REALITY



***WARNING:
STUDENTS AS RATS
IN A LABORATORY
GAVE A VERY
CIENTIFIC CHIQ VIBE***

BUT now we need to think is anything of this day is true, or just a fabricated story by the rats, we'll teel you updates soon.

In this session, we used our creativity and newspaper knowledge, to create two articles.. But the real challenge was writing as different types of media outlets, pushing us to be out of the box, while being realistic in the execution and tone of the text.



From the next Ariana Grande, to the nex humorist, every article showed uniqueness, giving to the group a new perspective in how information is affected by the source.

***ATTENTION: IF YOU
ARE IN THE TOWN
CENTER GO BY
SKATE, THE
TRAFFIC IS CRAZY***

✖ LIVE, LAUGHT, LOVE, LIKE, SHARE AND COMENT ✖

FACT CHECKING CHALLENGE



To close the day up, we got to the real deal. This session was all about evaluating the credibility of some online news that we come across every day.



We started by picking an article and analyzing the website reliability until we got into a conclusion. We verified the author existence and trustability. If the headline is supported by the text. If there is more reliable sources sharing the same information. Where did the images come from. If the evidences are real or just claims. If the text is objective or manipulative.



***BRING BACK
THE
EUROVISION
WE LOVE***

✖ DRUGS ARE BAD, EVEN WHEN THEY ARE LEGAL ✖

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DAY 3



POZAREVAC, SERBIA



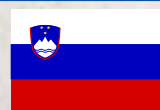
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CRITICAL THINKING

THE DAY WAS ABOUT PRACTICING AND IMPROVING
CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS/ABILITIES WITH ACTIVITIES
LIKE QUESTIONING, IMPLEMENTING ON THINGS THAT MATTER
AND DEBATING



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QUESTION EVERYTHING!



Questions from participants about the exchange:

1. Is there a breakfast in the hotel? (I wake up at 11:00)
2. Is the organization even real? (They never speak about themselves)
3. Why do participants like hot water in conference room so much? (It disappears in like 2 seconds)
4. Did Marko find his phone in the end? (We never get to know)
5. When will Milan install a military alarm in every room? (So the participants aren't late anymore)

HOW MANY MORE QUESTIONS DO WE NEED?

In the first activity of the day we were split into 5 groups and each assigned to a station with some situation where some details were missing. We had to ask questions that could help to solve the problem and really understand what happened there. Then each few minutes we changed stations and had to write even more questions about the situations. The first few of the stations were easy but as we had to write more and more unique questions it became progressively harder to do. At the end some teams even started to ask how many more questions do we even need?



We started the morning with the challenge for the current "Bob" holder. The "Bob" is a stone which can be given to another person if they respond to their question with "No". The person who has the "Bob" in the morning has to do a challenge. This morning it was to organize an energizer. Today the person with the "Bob" was from Portugal and made the energizer where we had to arrange ourselves based on our names in alphabetical order and in second round by age.



CHALLENGE FROM BOB



"QUESTION EVERYTING!"



GROUP PROBLEM SOLVING



RISE ABOVE EXPECTATIONS

In "The Great Balloon Debate" activity the team representing a politician stood out by their amazing speech. In the activity the flood happened on the island and there was a balloon that could transfer only 5 people to the island. We had been given a role with profession and values and had to convince others to take us on the balloon. The team who were given a role of politician were left last to speak and everybody else already thought that they would be useless, but they proved it the other way around. They used their communication and spoke tricky to convinced others and it worked. Despite everybody being biased at first they proved that they deserve a spot on the balloon. Great done!

On the evening of 31st of March the international quiz will be take place in KB. It is an alternative music club with unique style and atmosphere where local bands play regularly. Come prepared and ready to compete.



UPCOMING EVENT



The second energizer was like broken telephone but with gestures. Local "Justin Bieber" admits that he really likes energizers and is asking for more.



"WE CANNOT CHANGE THE CARDS WE ARE DEALT, JUST HOW WE PLAY THE HAND"



DEBATE LAB



THREE AGAINST ONE

In the last activity of the day we simulated real life debates. All together we voted for a topic to talk about, then we were split into 4 groups of people and each group was given a role and a point of view that they had to represent and support, even if they themselves didn't agree with it. The chosen topic was "The state considers legalizing assisted death for terminally ill patients" and three out of four groups were supporting the idea and one group who represented religious point of view were against the acceptance of the project. The discussions and debates were hot and loud, but the religious group still managed to defend their position despite all questions and provocations from other teams.

Interview:

Felix

What was the most interesting moment today?

The game with balloon

What did you learn today?

Stereotypes influence our every day decisions

How did you feel during the activities?

Captivated and interested



"THANK YOU"

We want to say words of appreciation to the Spanish team for documenting and capturing all of our moments during activities and outside of them. Also we want to say special "Thank You" to Victor for creating the video about our first 2 days of the exchange.

Victor's video



✖ "IF YOU'RE GOING INTO DEBATE NOT WILLING TO CHANGE YOUR OPINION - YOU ALREADY LOST" ✖

INTERCULTURAL EVENING

SLOVENIA $\neq$ SLOVAKIA



LOST AND FOUND



After the intercultural evening several lost items were found.

Owners of lost items can contact:

Whatsapp ☎
+371 25766654



QUOTE OF THE SESSION



**ŠIS ŽAGARU SAIŠKIS NAV MANS
ŽAGARU SAIŠKIS, BET TAS
ŽAGARU SAIŠKIS, KAS NOLIKTS
ŠKĒRSĀM UN PĀRSIETS AR
ŠNORI, IR MANS ŽAGARU
SAIŠKIS.**

**VIENĀ VĒSĀ VASARAS VAKARĀ VIENS
VECS VĀCU VĪRS VEDA VESELU VEZUMU
VĀRĪTU VĒŽU.**

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DAY 4



POZAREVAC, SERBIA



29TH MARCH 2026

ACTIVISM

BEING AN ACTIVE CITIZEN AND EXPRESSING YOUR RIGHTS
AND NEEDS.



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ACTIVISM



GALLERY WALL

Our first activity consisted of making posters on the topic of activism and the different forms of it. Each of the groups approached the assignment in their own unique way and in the end made beautiful pieces of art, some of the posters being interactive and very eye-catching. Examples include a petition which could be signed or you could help with creation of the art poster by colouring the letters. Some very important topics were covered in the marches, such as lgbtqi+ prides and Women's day in Spain.



THINKING OF SOLUTIONS

In the following activity we focused on global issues and ways of solving them. The groups prepared various intriguing presentations - whether it was a role-play about racism, a video with the faces of all participants or posters about feminism. We also realized that it is sometimes best not to overthink it too much and simply solve corruption with rotten vegetables.



VICTORS' DANCING WINDOW



DO WE HAVE ISSUES IN OUR SOCIETY?



ACTIVISM



DVANAESTI MINUT

Concerning the topic of activism, the Serbian team of volunteers spoke up about the current political situation in Serbia. They prepared a presentation about recent events and also mentioned some brutal personal experiences during the protests they attended. We watched a short film about the most memorable protest, which happened on the 15th of March 2025 in Belgrade and turned into a stampede, because of the usage of a "sound canon" to attack the demonstrators during a moment of silence. The atmosphere after the film finished was tense and emotional, because many of us felt sympathy for our Serbian friends, and other people fighting for more just country and future.

INTERVIEW WITH ALEKSA

What are your predictions for future of Serbia?

"If protests continue like this, it won't work." President has a campaign that can be used to rig election.

Aleksa said that he is a peaceful person, but peaceful protests are not working. He said, the solution can be to get the police and other institutions involved on their side.

What would you like to say to young people in other countries?

"Young people should not give up, ever. If they don't like something, they need to go out to the streets. They can't always rely on the government. They should not be scared to go out, be passionate and never give up."



The Sunday night was dedicated to the presentation of Spain and Portugal. Country teams presented their culture, historical background, political situation, inside jokes and cultural memes.

Tongue twisters have become a regular part of the presentations now, so let's see if you can try these examples.

Valencian:

"Tres tristes tigres comen trigo en un trigal."

"En cap cap cap el que cap en aquest cap."



MOVIE NIGHT



YOUNG PEOPLE SHOULD NOT GIVE UP, EVER



ACTIVISM



INTERCULTURAL NIGHT

An essential part of a country's culture is definitely food. This was presented to us brilliantly by both of the presenting countries. The Portuguese team gave us detailed instructions through their presentation on what to try when visiting different parts of the country and the Spanish team brought some delicious food such as fuet, pernil, olives, cacaos, Meivel (barres de xocolate), fartons and ensaimades. We were also presented some energetic dances - danca de cesta dá terrinha, apita a comboio; "Desfilada de moros i Cristians" / "Desfile de moros y cristianos" and of course, the famous Macarena dance.



STRAY DOGS

Since today is the day of activism we would like to adress the problem with stray dogs in Požarevac and understand it at a deeper level. All of us can see that some dogs on the streets are weak, hurt and dirty. We asked the locals what happens to the dogs, don't they have shelter?

The problem appears to be that the goverment pays no attention to stray dogs so the shelter that is 10km away, is funded only by donations. And when the dogs do get into a shelter, they try to help them and then look for a home, but due to the lack of finances they are sometimes euthanized straight away.



✖ SEWING IN BISCUITS BOX? ONE THING THAT CONNECTS US ALL. ✖

THINK GET INVOLVED ACT

DAY 5



POZAREVAC, SERBIA



30.3.2026

DEMOCRACY

DEMOCRACY IS A SYSTEM OF GOVERNMENT IN WHICH LAWS, POLICIES, LEADERSHIP, AND MAJOR UNDERTAKINGS OF A STATE OR OTHER POLITY ARE DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY DECIDED BY THE PEOPLE, A GROUP HISTORICALLY CONSTITUTED BY ONLY A MINORITY OF THE POPULATION BUT GENERALLY UNDERSTOOD SINCE THE MID-20TH CENTURY TO INCLUDE ALL ADULT CITIZENS.



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A DAY AT VIMINACIUM



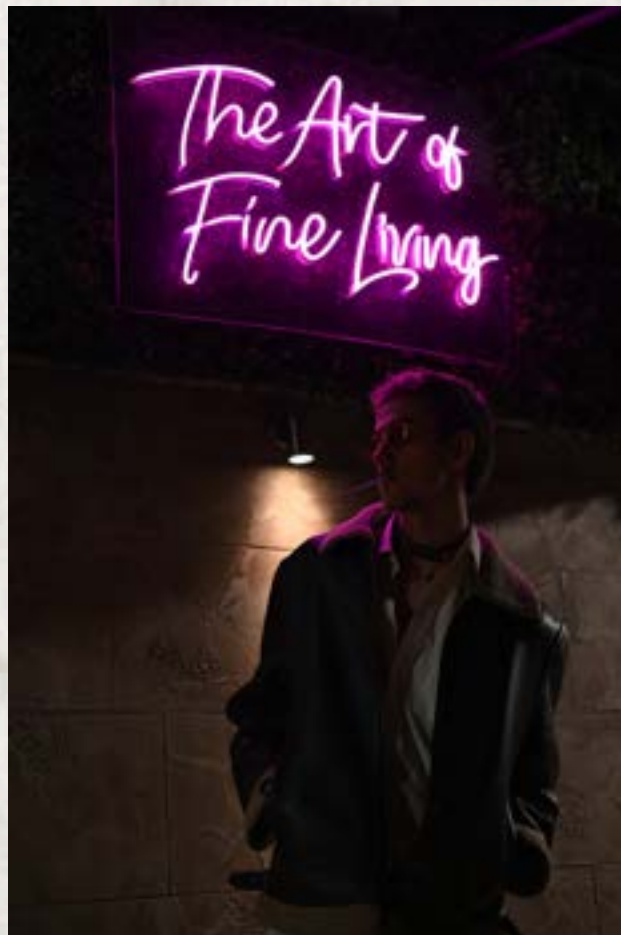
EARLY MORNING AND OFF WE GO

In the early hours of the morning, nearly the entire team gathered in preparation for a scheduled departure at 9:45. However, a slight delay occurred when one resident, Felix, was late, prompting a humorous but determined “special force” wake-up mission led by fellow participants.



MY ROMAN EMPIRE IS HOW THEY LIVED IN ROMAN EMPIRE

Once assembled, our group departed for the Roman archaeological site of **Viminacium**, where we were introduced to the rich history of the ancient city. A presentation provided insight into Roman life, followed by interactive role-playing activities that allowed us to experience historical scenarios firsthand.



After a short break, the program continued with presentations from each country, showcasing various forms of activism. Environmental initiatives, such as cleaning campaigns, and social protests were common themes. A particularly memorable moment came from Slovenia’s presentation of the “Trans-Universal Zombie Church of the Blissful Ringing”, a concept blending satire and commentary.

**FELIX,
PARTICIPANT:**
“I WOKE UP TO A LOUD NOISE, AND AT FIRST I THOUGHT IT WAS AN EARTHQUAKE. THEN I REALIZED IT WAS BASICALLY SEAL TEAM 6 - MARIA AND MAŠA - COMING TO WAKE ME UP. I WAS A BIT SCARED, BUT I GOT UP QUICKLY AND JOINED THE TEAM WAITING OUTSIDE.”



LITTLE ACTIONS CAN DO WONDER



A DAY AT VIMINACIUM



Despite growing fatigue, our group continued with a guided tour of the site. Highlights included a beautifully restored Roman villa with a picturesque atrium, ancient catacombs that challenged some participants' comfort levels, and a modestly sized public bath complex. The amphitheater stood out as a symbol of Roman grandeur, with discussion dispelling myths about gladiator combat - contrary to popular belief, fights rarely ended in death. An intriguing historical detail revealed that exotic animals, including tigers and African wild cats, once appeared in arena spectacles.

The day concluded with a return to the hotel, where we reflected on our experiences before gathering for dinner. The evening culminated in Serbia's long-awaited cultural night, featuring traditional dances, music, and a lively atmosphere that brought everyone together.



VICTOR'S HELP IN THE CATACOMBS

“WHEN WE ENTERED THE CATACOMBS, IT GOT A BIT INTENSE. THE SPACE WAS NARROW, THE AIR FELT HEAVY, AND SOME OF US STARTED FEELING UNCOMFORTABLE, ESPECIALLY WHEN WE REACHED THE STEEPER PARTS. GETTING BACK UP WASN'T AS EASY AS WE EXPECTED. THAT'S WHEN VICTOR REALLY STEPPED IN.”

HE STAYED CALM THE WHOLE TIME AND HELPED PEOPLE CLIMB UP THE SLOPE ONE BY ONE, MAKING SURE EVERYONE WAS OKAY BEFORE MOVING ON. IT MIGHT NOT SOUND LIKE A BIG THING, BUT IN THAT MOMENT IT MEANT A LOT. HIS ACTIONS MADE THE WHOLE GROUP FEEL SAFER AND MORE CONFIDENT, AND THANKS TO HIM, WE ALL MADE IT THROUGH TOGETHER.



LITTLE ACTIONS CAN DO WONDERS





SERBIAN CULTURE NIGHT



PRVO SO NAM UZELI EGIPAT



THINK GET INVOLVED ACT

DAY 6



POZAREVAC, SERBIA



31-MARCH-2026

SUSTAINABILITY

TODAY WE ENJOYED A VISIT TO THE POŽAREVAC TOWN HALL WITH THE MAYOR, AFTERWARDS WE VISITED THE NOVOTARIUM ASSOCIATION, AT THE HOTEL WE PLAYED A GAME AND DID AN ACTIVITY.



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PLANNING LOCAL INITIATIVES



NOVOTARIUM VISIT

We visited novotorium organization in Požarevac where Milan gave us an introduction to their work. He explained their mission, activities, and how they engage young people in the community. It was an interesting and informative visit, and we had the chance to learn more about their projects. The talk went well, and everyone found it engaging and useful.

In the game the players have to manage resources like pigs, gold and apples. Divided on diferents famylies. On each turn, they can trade, buy or research. And later, they must pay taxes and decide how to use their resources to increase production or earn more gold. The final result, is to finish with the greatest possible wealth, balancing strategy, cooperation and also the responsible use of available resources.



For 10 minutes, the national teams brainstorm to identify a problem in their local community. Based on this, they design an initiative to address it, defining the objective, the target group, the main activities, the timeline, the necessary resources, potential partners, and the expected impact.

**“ALL ANIMALS
ARE EQUAL, BUT
SOME ANIMALS
ARE MORE
EQUAL THAN
OTHERS.”**



SMALL STEPS, BIG IMPACT



INTERVIEW WITH OUR PORTUGUESE NEIGHBORS

- How would you describe the game?

+ Well... it's a very creative way of looking at society from a completely different perspective.

- Did it remind you of anything?

+ Yeah, actually! It kind of felt like Monopoly... but maybe a bit more chaotic.

- Do you think people cooperated enough?

+ Honestly? Not really. We could have cooperated much more... but that just didn't happen.

- Did anything surprise you?

+ Yes! One group tried to share the number of apples with others, which was really nice... but at the same time, other groups were trying to hide it!"



REAL LIFE IS SAVAGE



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DAY 7



POZAREVAC, SERBIA



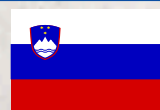
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GOODBYE

LAST PROJECT DAY



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PRESENTING ACTION IDEAS



Participants also shared valuable feedback, suggested improvements, and even highlighted some innovative shortcuts. Overall, it was an engaging and collaborative session that encouraged learning and the exchange of ideas.



In the morning, after another energizer, all countries presented their action ideas, addressing a variety of problems they face and proposing solutions to tackle them. We heard diverse perspectives and creative approaches to similar challenges across countries.



In the afternoon, we received our Youthpass certificates, which marked a very special moment for everyone. It was a time of celebration, as participants congratulated each other on successfully completing this challenging but amazing week of work. The atmosphere was filled with pride, joy, a strong sense of accomplishment.

✖ WHAT HAPPENS IN POZAREVAC, STAYS IN POZAREVAC ✖

FREE TIME\KB



In the evening, we went to a bar, KB. There, we spent our last hours together, talking, dancing, and writing our love confessions to each other. The bond we built is stronger than ever.



During breaks and free time, everyone was connecting with each other and creating even more memories together. Participants spent time playing games, filming videos, and dancing together, strengthening friendships and enjoying every moment of the experience.



***WE THANK THE
LATVIANS FOR
THEIR POOR
CARD SKILLS
AND, BECAUSE
OF THAT, FOR
PAYING FOR OUR
LUGGAGE ON
THE BUS.***



BUT DOES IT?



PHOTO TIME



WELL WHO KNOWS?

