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DRONI NEWS

The Youth Association DRONI Newsletter



"YOUTH IN TRANSIT" CONFERENCE

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Conference Youth in Transit was held on 15-16 February at Marriott Hotel in Tbilisi. It was a culmination of our loooooong-term project Triangle4Youth. The conference presented the project outcomes to the wider audience, including the videos, publication Youth in Transit, research, changes in the municipal policies throughout the project and the information and awareness campaign, which was conducted in participating countries.

Our conference was a platform where young people and decision-makers could work together and talk about the issues. The conference gave space to young people and youth organisations to present their practices. Parallel workshops and panel discussions took place in order to draft recommendations for municipalities.

Young people, representatives of municipalities from EaP and EU countries, international organisations, youth organisations, researchers, local politicians, youth workers, youth activists were involved in the project Triangle4youth and this youth campaign was planned and organised by their joint efforts.

We had different speakers from all the key actors in the field of youth including Georgian Youth Foundation, National Youth Council of Georgia, National Youth Council of Moldova, EU Delegation in Georgia; Tbilisi City Hall, Gori Municipality City Hall, Independent Researchers, World Vision, United Nations, USE-IT Tbilisi, Zugdidi Municipality City Hall, Boras Municipality, Turku Youth Services and all the participating organisations.

Tiko Nadirashvili

WELCOME ON BOARD!

The second half of February was a very intense time for DRONI.

Everything due to a series of trainings for the new members of the organisation, which began along with 17 and lasted until 24 of February.

During those trainings participants had the opportunity to learn more about the work of the Youth Association DRONI, Erasmus + Programme, conflict/communication management and basis of youth work. Knowledge gained during trainings will certainly be useful in their future work.

New DRONI members- welcome on board!



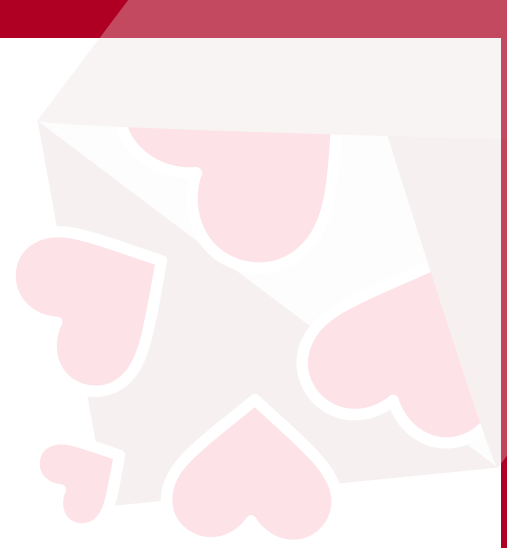
ONE PLANET, ONE HOME.

The volunteer of DRONI Delhia Simon undertook the implementation of her project "**One Planet**" in IDP camps in Georgia- Galavani and Preseti.

The main aim of her project is to educate youth about the importance of caring about the environment due to problems our world is facing in today's world.

Through games and creative activities, youngsters can escape the hardships of everyday life in the camp, learn how to work in a team and how to value each other.

All of this for a great cause- to save our only home, the Earth.



"SAFETY FIRST"

On 9- 10 of February, Youth Association DRONI held a two-day training course about Cyber Safety/Hygiene.

On the first day of the training "Safety First", participants had several activities about how the internet works, what the history of creating it is and what the risks of using it are. They also had a chance to get to know important internet terms better.

On the 2nd day of the training, participants got to know to Internet risks and trolling. They learned more about how to make a strong password and tried it on the spot. The Trainers introduced different tools on how to protect our privacy and personal data.

By the end of the training, there was a movie screening held, they all together watched one of the episodes from the famous TV show "Black Mirror" to realize the threats of modern technology and how it can be used against us.

Nika Danelia, Anuka Kapanadze, Nini Bekauri



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Rati Kupatadze participated in the Erasmus+ Volunteering activities, in the project Positive Vibes in Leszno, Poland between 05/01/2019 and 07/03/2019.

During this project, he made several thematic workshops for children, adolescents and adults - crafts, improvisation theatre, painting, psychological coaching, culinary, photography and "creative thinking" techniques. He was actively participating in Organisation activities, creating posters and Graphic design staff.

He also made cultural presentations in schools and various institutions.

Ketevan Jinoridze



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:



The older you get, the better you get

IRMA MATOSHVILI

MARIAM GUGULASHVI

MEVLUDI SHAINIDZE

NINA GORGILADZE

QETA TUGUSHI

RAMAZ TSINTSADZE

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