



KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL EUROPEAN FEDERATION

KIWANIS EDUCATION PROGRAM



The House of Delegates at the KIEF Convention 2002 in Montreux, Switzerland has approved Kiwanis Education Program (KEP)





It is a very important and challenging project addressing the whole European continent and beyond

The position of Kiwanis will be strengthened
Thanks to solidarity and cooperation of the European districts,
KIEF is organizing a project on a larger scale than a district
could possibly do

It is an excellent relation tool to enhance overall knowledge about Kiwanis and to increase awareness of our aims



K-E-P

Kiwanis Education Program

Steering Committee Europe



The goal:

To provide through Kiwanis contemporary means for educating young people to improve quality of life and build a better future



Why this project?

Why education?

BECAUSE EVERY CHILD HAS THE RIGHT TO BE EDUCATED

There is a:

- Tremendous need for education programs
- Enhanced overall knowledge about Kiwanis and increased awareness of our aims



Selection

- lack of schools and deteriorated premises
- lack of basic tools, equipment and teaching aids
- shortage of teachers
- low or no health education
- low or no social education and care
- children in need of special care

Who is involved?

- Kiwanis International European Federation (KIEF)
- All districts in Europe
- Kiwanis clubs in non-districted countries
- Partners: international organizations, non-governmental organizations and wellfare organizations

KEP in practice

- Projects can be started directly at club level
- Districts / divisions can start projects in a KEP project country
- Projects can be integrated in KEP
- Projects can also be in cooperation with
 - international organizations
 - NGO's
 - sponsors

How does it work?

- The governing body is the KIEF Board
- On behalf of the KIEF Board there is a KEP Steering Committee that overviews KEP implementation and progress
- RSC (Gent) takes care of information, projects record, data collection, forms, archives, publication and financial matters



Sponsoring

- Kiwanis clubs
- KIF-E and district foundations
- Other foundations
- NGO's
- Corporate and private sponsors
- Other sources







PROJECTS ACHIEVED SINCE 2006



This year KI-EF has collected an amount of 23,700 € to benefit the following projects in Eastern Europe

DIF Poland

€750 - Scholarship Maria Borawka (KC Zielona Gora "Adsum")

€750 - Scholarship Michal Gunerka (KC Koszalin)

€1,200 - 3 art students (KC Gdansk)

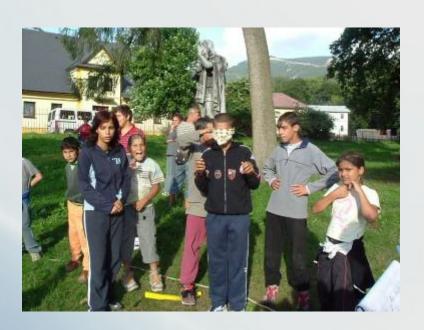




DIF Czech Republic & Slovakia

€5,000 - School equipment (KC Mlada Vozice, KC Kosice, KC Tábor, KC Most-Litvinov, KC Kadan, KC Prostĕjov)









Romania

€4,000 - School equipment (KC lasi, KC Turnu Magurele, KC Sfantu Gheorghe,

KC Galati, KC Oradea)





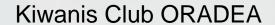


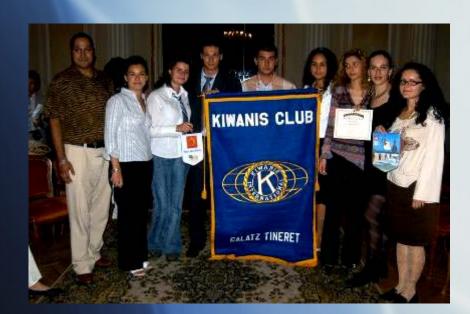


Romanian clubs are a small but aggressive segment of Romania's reborn civil society.

Their goal is to revive in their respective communities the spirit of citizenship, badly damaged by half a century of totalitarianism.

Kiwanis Club Junior Galati









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Hungary

€4,000 – Kindergarten and school equipment (KC Sárospatak, KC Eger, KC Salgótarján, KC Miskolc, KC Elsö Györi)





Albania

€4,000 - School equipment via the Switzerland-Liechtenstein District

(KC Tirana)



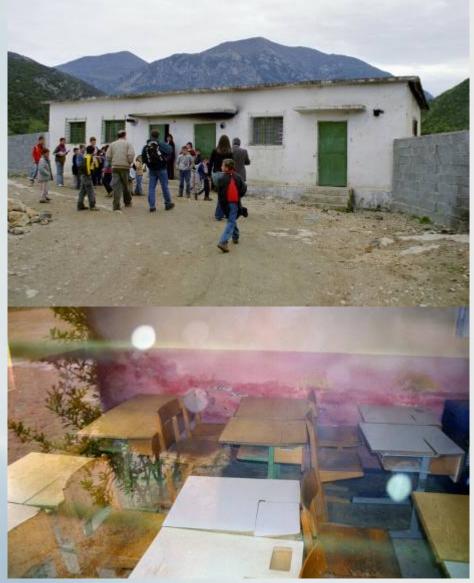












Equipment to be delivered to the School in Skhodër is scheduled for August 31st.

The school capacity is 1000 students divided in two shifts each of pupils.

Saturday 2nd september a big celebration is planned in Skhodër
In view to organise a new Kiwanis Club
: « Kiwanis Club Skhodër »
So you are invited to attend to this event.



KI-EF organizes a live KEP sponsored by Kiwanis International Foundation 7,500 €



















Thank you for your attention



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