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# **Community building using Youth Work in rural, post-communist Romania**

the present day story of a fully  
private youth center

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April 2013, the beginnings





March 2019

# The **why** and the **how**

**The way in which young people spend their free time plays a vital role in their personal development and in the development of the communities they live in.**

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**The availability of various leisure time activities, volunteering and civic engagement is ESSENTIAL for young people's development and for their contribution to society.**

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**Involving young people in the decisions that impact them** is a critical point for them to take responsibility of their civic identity and for the ownership over their free time activities.

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**Creating youth supportive communities in which the young people are important contributors to community life is not easy.**

**Yet we strongly believe it's worth the effort.**

# Some figures

4

people working



# Some figures

40

international volunteers

# Some figures

80

international projects

# Some figures

# 103

local young volunteers

# Some figures

2280

Young people participating in activities

# Some figures

# 4840

Pupils involved in activities



# Some figures

>600000

euros, managed by us, invested in the local  
community