

全年計畫主題速寫

- SJ01 在 Aix 小島沿著 Atlantic 海岸進行植被清除、巨石整修與牆壁灌漿工作
- SJ02 在 Aix 小島沿著 Atlantic 海岸進行植被清除、巨石整修與牆壁灌漿工作
- SJ06 於歷史古鎮學習石工技藝、建設健行步道與羊圈內的石階
- SJ04 於 Atlantic 海岸進行植被清除、傳統石刻與牆壁灌漿工作
- SJ05 重建 18 世紀山坡旁僧侶行經的鵝卵石步道與乾石牆壁
- SJ07 第二十屆 montendre 自由音樂狂歡節籌備志工
- SJ08-1 de l' Aiguille 堡壘維護-建造柵欄與拆除老舊門道
- SJ08-2 de l' Aiguille 堡壘維護-清除植被、傳統石工與石頭灌漿工作
- SJ12 協助 Chalais 村莊興建自然環境、公共設備 促進多種族與難民的融合
- SJ09 協助建設教育集會中心與修復石牆
- SJ10 在 Maritime Alps' 區域整修石灰建築與建造木質夾層
- SJ14 協助當代音樂節搭建設備、準備餐食、帶領活動與環境友好材料的裝飾
- SJ15 於中世紀村莊 Issigeac 清除植被、維護河床濕地環境與協辦文化旅遊活動
- SJ19 於 Alps 區域的 Vallauria 礦井協助維護觀光步道清潔、清除石塊與建造石階
- SJ2 協助山區農莊建設集會中心
- SJ37 協助山區農莊建設集會中心
- SJ22 協助 Beaufief 節慶搭建涼亭舞台、環境維護與帶領參與者活動遊戲
- SJ23 在 OLÉRON 島上執行房屋修蓋與石牆建造
- SJ25 在 Melle 村的自然保護區協助建設觀測台與利於動物、蝙蝠冬眠的洞穴與設備
- SJ26 於 Rouffignac 自治區學習傳統石刻工藝、重建地基與石牆、整修石塔
- SJ27 協助 Les Prureaux 古堡內冰箱祖先--固定式冷卻機周邊環境整理與圍欄建設
- SJ56 協助 Les Prureaux 古堡內冰箱祖先--固定式冷卻機周邊環境整理與圍欄建設
- SJ28 學習傳統石刻技藝與鋪設步道
- SJ52 於 Vaunière 山區村莊使用生態材料整修廢棄別墅
- SJ39 於歷史古鎮 Béruges 學習傳統石刻技藝與灌漿技術 協助重建房屋
- SJ42 中世紀主題慶典志工-搭建設備帳篷、規劃動線、引導賓客與準備膳食 (超過 30000 名遊客)

- SJ43 協助 12 世紀的荒廢村落建造石牆與整修老舊道路
- SJ44 於純樸優美的 Rosans 山區小鎮學習石工技藝並協助建設石步道
- SJ46 協助 60 年代主題音樂舞蹈節慶的後勤執行作業與舞蹈表演
- SJ54 於典雅的 Salvagnac 古鎮協助公共花園清理與柵欄建設
- SJ57 於 Baronnies 秀麗鄉村學習石工技藝並協助建設石牆與重整主要道路
- SJ58 於 La Mere-Eglise 古老教堂旁學習石工技藝並協助重建古老武器庫石牆
- SJ62 於古樸的 Beceleuf 鄉村協助 Rochard 接待小屋更新設備與執行木工、石工作業
- SJ64 於富有歷史與地理價值的 Vallauria 礦井學習石工技藝並協助建設石牆
- SJ65 於 Neige et Merveilles 自然文化寶地協助整修公共集會所的屋頂
- SJ66 學習傳統石工，協助重建小鎮洗衣房的內外部與屋頂
- SJ68 協助 Leucate 小鎮清除入侵物種 *Carpobrotus edulis*(莫邪菊)
- SJ69 學習傳統石工，協助重建 Arzeliers 古堡周邊的房屋
- SJ70 學習石工技藝並協助 Vignes 古道重建石牆
- SJ71 學習傳統石工並協助重建 Saint-Genis-De-Saintonge 大學入口的石牆
- SJ72 於 Fort Vauban 海港古堡協助石工建築與清除植被
- SJ73 Rochefort 中世紀古堡建造乾石牆與環境清理，整修健行步道並協助當地慈善機構組織健行活動
- SJ74 於歷史古鎮 Fort Liedot 協助傳統石工作業與清除植被

青少年(額外費用:150 歐)：

- SJ/TEEN38 (12-14) 於 Laguépie 村莊協助建造動物主題的石道與重建裝飾花園菜園
- SJ/TEEN18 (15-17) 於 La Ferté-Alais 小鎮的教育農場整修老舊器具與建造環境友善裝置(收集雨水、木箱改建成家具等)
- SJ/TEEN33 (15-17) 於 La Ferté-Alais 小鎮的教育農場整修老舊器具與建造環境友善裝置(收集雨水、木箱改建成家具等)
- SJ/TEEN20 (15-17) 於 Laguépie 村莊協助製作木地板、修整植物園與照料菜園
- SJ/TEEN24 (15-17) 維護加固 Coly 小鎮的巍峨 Abbey 古堡與周圍環境清潔
- SJ/TEEN40 (15-17) 維護加固 Coly 小鎮的巍峨 Abbey 古堡與周圍環境清潔

- SJ/TEEN59 (15-17) 維護加固 Coly 小鎮的巍峨 Abbey 古堡與周圍環境清潔
- SJ/TEEN29 (15-17) 於歷史古鎮 Moissac 協助公園步道清理
- SJ/TEEN30 (15-17) 於 Deux-Mers 運河邊緣協助步道翻新與 Montech 市中心建築塗鴉
- SJ/TEEN35 (15-17) 於 Vaunières 鄉村翻新荒廢村舍與建造下水道
- SJ/TEEN53 (15-17) 於 Vaunières 鄉村翻新荒廢村舍與建造下水道
- SJ/TEEN36 (15-17) 於自然保護區 Cévennes 協助栗子樹林開設教學步道與建造柵欄、路標
- SJ/TEEN45 (15-17) 於迷人的 Grand-Village-Plage 學習傳統石工技藝並協助農民之家修建乾石牆
- SJ/TEEN48 (15-17) 在郊區體驗學習樸門教育(永續農耕)
- SJ/TEEN51 (15-17) 於 La Ferté-Alais 小鎮製作環境友善裝置(收集雨水、回收建材改建成家具等)與建造蒙古包
- SJ/TEEN63 (15-17) 於 La Ferté-Alais 小鎮製作環境友善裝置(收集雨水、回收建材改建成家具等)與建造蒙古包

家庭(5-15 歲孩童+至少 1 位家長)：

(額外費用:10 歲以下 50 歐，11 歲及以上 100 歐)

- SJ/FAM32 於國際接待中心體驗公社生活與跨文化交流，協助照料菜園以提高永續發展意識
- SJ/FAM47 於 Laguépie 村莊建造、裝飾石道，並為樸門花園製作昆蟲之家

中長期 (18 歲以上)：

- SJ/MTV13 於 Montendre 村莊協助每周的晚市搭建攤位與後勤工作，提高參與者資源回收的意識

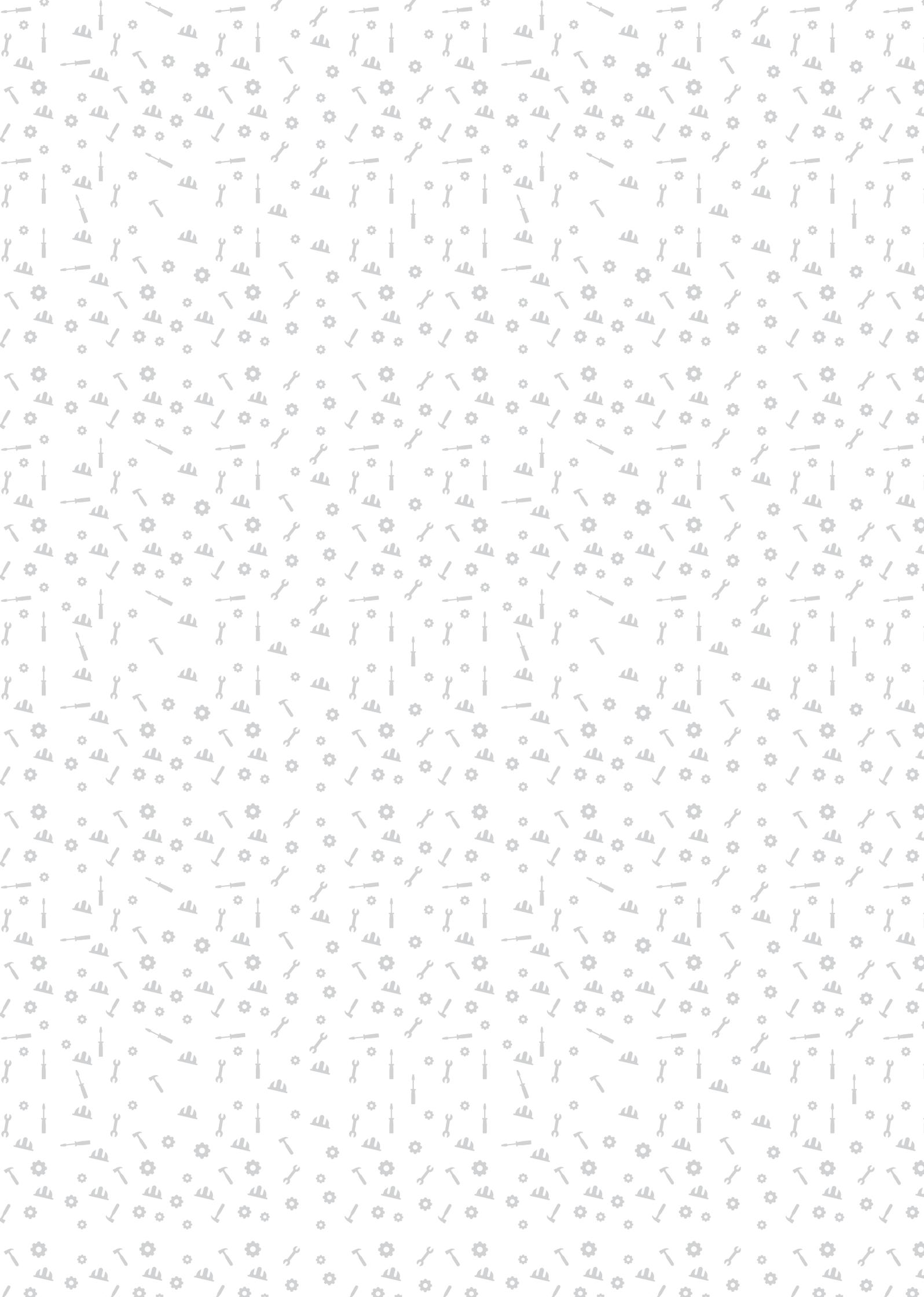
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WHO ARE WE? #MouvementSJ

Solidarités Jeunes (SJ) is a non-formal education national movement that values voluntary commitment, strong political will, and social solidarity as its core principles. Our course of action is influenced by our ideal vision of a society where progress is social. Respect for human beings and the environment is a fundamental and shared value, and the freedom to choose, to dream, and to resist is innate and encouraged by all.

Our activities are organised for all, regardless of gender, social and cultural background, or nationality. Since its creation, SJ participates in the construction and maintenance of peace by promoting intercultural and international social connections in France and abroad. SJ works through participative pedagogy which supports initiative and personal commitment, and combines the skills of all our volunteers, active members and staff.

Solidarités Jeunes is composed of a National Secretary based in Paris, eight regional offices, and one partner association. Our delegations host volunteers from France and from all around the world for short or long periods of time all year round. Furthermore, the partner association and the delegations host and provide assistance to young people with fewer opportunities, as part of our efforts towards inclusion and solidarity. All of our delegations and the partner association are situated in unique environments, such as castles, former campsites, isolated villages in the heart of the mountains, and former factories. These places have all been renovated thanks to the work of our short and long-term volunteers, workers and permanent staff.

SJ has been working in partnership with national and international networks (Cotravaux, CNAJEP, CCIJS, NVDA and Alliance) for several decades.

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REGIONAL DELEGATIONS

Global goals
local impact



Vir'Volt // SJ in Île-de-France The goal of Vir'Volt association is to boost the dynamic of international workcamps for young volunteers in urban and rural areas of the Ile-de-France region. Vir'Volt wants to mix international participants, young people in social exclusion, and local inhabitants. Living together in harmony, where each individual can find his place in the group, no matter where he comes from or where he is going, is the motto.



La Maison Des Bateleurs // SJ in Nouvelle-Aquitaine La Maison des Bateleurs, which opened 16 years ago in Montendre, organizes around 15 international workcamps in the region and several other international activities all year long, to ensure multicultural and intergenerational exchanges with active solidarity. You can find long term volunteers, permanent workers, and groups of young people who come to enjoy the nice environment of the Charente-Maritime region.



Sem&Vol // SJ in Nouvelle-Aquitaine Since 2013, Dordogne has held international projects of arts and culture. Following a very positive hosting experience by the local population, a branch of Solidarités Jeunesses was created in Aquitaine in 2015 and then became a regional delegation in 2016. The goals of this new organization are to: develop workcamps and international exchanges, create networks of local partners, encourage mobility and youth commitment, and develop artistic and cultural projects in this area.



Citrus // SJ in Occitanie In 2002, Citrus was established in Toulouse, under the initiative of a group of young volunteers driven by the desire to develop volunteer projects in the Midi-Pyrénées region. In 2012 it moved to Laguépie, a small village 1 hour north-east of Toulouse. The association's various activities bring people to work, mingle, and live together. «Working together» is based on the philosophy that unites long term volunteers, employees in integration projects, permanent staff, and volunteers on international projects.



Réseau d'Entraide Volontaire // SJ in Occitanie

Founded in 1974 by a small group of locals, the REV became the Languedoc-Roussillon regional delegation of Solidarités Jeunesses national movement in 1979. The delegation is based out of two houses located in the centre of the village of Beauvoisin. The smallest house is a permanent home for volunteers, and contains two offices: this is where life takes place in this community of discovery and exchange of traditions, habits, moods, and dreams. Since April 2011, the REV has hosted small groups to facilitate exchanges between people from different cultures, generations, and backgrounds.



Centre de Beaumotte // SJ in Bourgogne-Franche-Comté

The Beaumotte Center association was created in 1979 on the site of an old factory on the banks of the «Onion» river. It is located in the village of Beaumotte-Aubertans, a village of 391 inhabitants. The nearest towns are Vesoul (25 Km) and Besançon (30 Km). The association provides with breathing space for those experiencing difficulty, and a training ground for people to develop and test their own abilities. The presence of international volunteers guarantees openness, tolerance of differences, and active solidarity.



Le Créneau // SJ in Auvergne-Rhône-Alpes

The castle of Prureaux is a welcoming place that provides opportunities for everyone to participate in projects and learn how to live and work together in spite of linguistic, socio-cultural or socio-economic differences, and prejudices existing in society.

This is an opportunity for people from near and far to share the experience of collective living. The diversity of the inhabitants of the castle is culturally enriching and teaches people how to live together, to exchange their customs and traditions, and to live in respect and tolerance.



Les Villages des Jeunes // SJ in Provence-Alpes-Côte-d'Azur

Les Villages des Jeunes works towards social integration and participation of all. Its objective is to allow people from different social and cultural situations to work together to complete projects beneficial to the community. The association runs two international hosting centres near the Alps: the Fai farm with its "singing mountains" and the hamlet of Vaunières, an isolated hamlet at an altitude of 1200 meters.

Neige & Merveilles // Partner association

Neige & Merveilles became a mountainside hosting and entertainment community in 1994. Since 2007, Neige & Merveilles conducts actions in favour of sustainable development, renewable energy, development of the mining heritage and local history, improved reception conditions, and development of entertainment and leisure practices combining heritage and respect for the environment.

VOLUNTEERING

We love our volunteers

Volunteering is an exchange, an encounter, facilitated by someone who wants to offer his or her time, energy, and fresh perspective to a general project of interest. Volunteering is also a welcoming community that offers a valuable opportunity for the volunteer to learn, to experiment, and to undergo personal development. Being a volunteer is not merely an activity, but a multi-faceted process brought about by our partnered associations before, during, and after the volunteer project is completed. At SJ, volunteering does not mean humanitarian aid, since we do not deal with emergency situations, but rather an intercultural exchange and apprenticeship carried out through meaningful initiatives for local communities. Voluntary service exists almost everywhere in the world and it is a commitment that varies across different countries, cultures, and types of projects.

Volunteering brings together diverse communities and separate entities, local associations, men, women, youth, and local authorities.

GENERAL INFORMATION

La vie à SJ

» Group Life

Most of our workcamps bring together between 8 and 15 volunteers of around 5 different nationalities and with an average age of 20 years.

The group is responsible for cooking and cleaning, so volunteers are asked to bring their favourite traditional recipes! Adult workcamps are open to volunteers of 18 years old or older and there is usually no age limit unless a specific partner has requested one.

» Qualifications

We do not ask that volunteers have any particular qualifications, but they must be motivated to help and open to experiencing life as a volunteer in a rural area along with people from diverse backgrounds. A basic knowledge of English and French is helpful.

» Camp Leaders

There will be two camp leaders who will accompany the group as they organize aspects of daily life at the workcamp, such as managing the budget, cooking, recreational activities etc...The host community often provides a technical leader for specific manual tasks in order to guide volunteers in the methods and procedures of these tasks.

» Languages

The language used by the group will be dependent on the group itself and on the capacities of each volunteer, but English and French are the most common languages used in our projects.

» Accommodation

Volunteers will be hosted in various types of accommodations, including but are not limited to rooms provided by the local association, in tents, or in schools, depending on the project and the region.

» Insurance

Solidarités Jeunesses provides insurance for accidents and civil liability (accidents caused by participants, damages that result from the conduct of the insured). This insurance doesn't cover sicknesses that may occur during the stay in the workcamp. Please inform your volunteers that they need to have their own insurance for travel and sickness.

» Leisure Time

Solidarités Jeunesses considers workcamps as an environment for volunteers to experience community life. For this reason, volunteers organize their leisure time activities together in accordance with local conditions, group preferences, and financial resources (budget planning). Opportunities may vary between visiting tourist attractions in the region, discovering the surrounding environment, and organising culture evenings with locals, etc... It is the responsibility of each volunteer to contribute to a positive and lively group dynamic!

» **Adult workcamps**

No participation fee

Workcamps usually last 3 weeks

Age limit : 18+ or 17+ for some workcamps

Working hours: 28 to 30 hours per week (mornings)

Afternoons are dedicated to cultural, non-formal education activities or leisure activities

» **Teenager workcamps**

Participation fee for teens: 150 euros that have to be at least 3 weeks before the workcamp by bank transfer for EU citizens or in cash upon arrival for non EU citizens.

Medical questionnaire and parental authorisation form have to be sent to SJ at least 3 weeks before the camp starts. You need to bring an original to the workcamp.

Age Limit : 15 -17 years + one workcamp for 12-14 year-old volunteers

Working hours: 20 to 25 hours per week (mornings)

Afternoons are dedicated to cultural, informal education/ recreational activities

» **Family workcamp**

Duration : 1 week

Between 3 and 8 families

Participation fee: 50€ for children under the age of 10, 100€ per person 11+

Age Limit for children : 5-15, there is no age limit for adults

» **European Solidarity Corps short term projects**

open to EU and neighboring countries

travel costs will be partially reimbursed and pocket money will be provided

» **Trilateral workcamps**

These projects are open to all german organizations and partners who have already signed the preliminary Agreement of Partnership Groups should be prepared by the group leader before the project starts

Group leaders participate in the workcamp as co-leaders during the project

» **MTV projects (Adult)**

Minimum stay: Volunteers need to stay for the whole duration.

A Skype interview will be organized before acceptance

Age Limit : 18+

Type:

CONS: construction

CULT: cultural

ENVI: environmental

RENO: renovation

TEEN: teenager workcamp

FAM: family workcamp

MTV: middle term project

TRI: trilateral workcamp (OFA)

YE: youth exchange (Erasmus+)

ESC: volunteering teams (European Solidarity Corps)

Codes for regional delegations:

S&V Sem&Vol

CRE Le Créneau

CDB Centre de Beaumotte

V'V Vir'Volt

REV Réseau d'Entraide Volontaire

CIT Citrus

AVJ Les Villages des Jeunes

MDB La Maison des Bateleurs

N&M Neige & Merveilles



ADULT WORKCAMP

Region	Code	Title	Dates		Age	Type	Vols
BAT	SJ01	The History of the Atlantic Coast 1	04/03/20	04/24/20	18+	RENO/CULT	12
BAT	SJ02	The History of the Atlantic Coast 2	04/25/20	05/16/20	18+	RENO/CULT	12
AVJ	SJ03	Historical Wanderings in Clausonne Abbey 1	05/16/20	05/29/20	18+	RENO	12
BAT	SJ04	Le Fort de l'Aiguille 1	05/19/20	06/09/20	18+	RENO	12
AVJ	SJ05	A Sustainable Wall	05/31/20	06/13/20	18+	RENO	12
AVJ	SJ06	Historical Wanderings in Clausonne Abbey 2	06/08/20	06/21/20	18+	RENO	12
BAT	SJ07	Le Free Music Festival	06/05/20	06/26/20	18+	CULT/FEST	12
BAT	SJ08-1	Le Fort de l'Aiguille 2-1	06/11/20	07/02/20	18+	CONS	8
BAT	SJ08-2	Le Fort de l'Aiguille 2-2	06/11/20	07/02/20	18+	CONS	8
S&V	SJ12	The Dronne's Riverbanks	06/13/20	07/04/20	18+	ENVI	12
N&M	SJ09	A Fistful of Lime	06/14/20	06/27/20	18+	RENO	12
N&M	SJ10	The Stone House	06/14/20	06/27/20	18+	RENO	12
VV	SJ14	Festif l'Art Festival	06/29/20	07/10/20	18+	CULT/FEST	13
S&V	SJ15	Issigeac au Naturel	07/04/20	07/25/20	18+	ENVI/RENO	12
N&M	SJ19	The Mercantour Silver Mine 1	07/05/20	07/18/20	18+	ARCH	12
AVJ	SJ21	Keeping Fai Warm 1	07/06/20	07/18/20	18+	RENO	12
BAT	SJ22	Beaufiest'yal	07/06/20	07/27/20	18+	CULT	12
BAT	SJ23	Heading to the Oléron Island 1	07/07/20	07/28/20	18+	RENO/CULT	12
BAT	SJ25	Bio'Sphere of Melle	07/09/20	07/30/20	18+	ENVI/CULT	9
BAT	SJ26	Protect the Youth and Education in Rouffignac	07/10/20	07/31/20	18+	RENO	12
CRE	SJ27	Ice Age in Central France 1	07/11/20	08/01/20	18+	RENO	12
CDB	SJ28	An Intercultural Path	07/11/20	08/01/20	18+	RENO	6
AVJ	SJ37	Keeping Fai Warm 2	07/20/20	08/01/20	18+	RENO	12
BAT	SJ39	Let's Renovate the Archeological Garden	07/24/20	08/14/20	18+	RENO	12
CRE	SJ42	Travel to the Middle Ages	07/25/20	08/15/20	18+	CULT	12
AVJ	SJ43	The Discovery of an Abandoned Village	07/11/20	07/25/20	18+	RENO	12
AVJ	SJ44	A Stone Paved Floor	07/26/20	08/08/20	18+	RENO	12
S&V	SJ46	The Sixties in France	07/29/20	08/19/20	18+	FEST/CULT	12
AVJ	SJ52	Roof & Roll 2	07/29/20	08/18/20	18+	ENVI/RENO	12
CIT	SJ54	A Shared Garden on the Bastides' Road	08/05/20	08/26/20	17+	RENO/ENVI	15
CRE	SJ56	Ice Age in Central France 2	08/08/20	08/29/20	18+	RENO	12
AVJ	SJ57	The Canyons of Riou	08/09/20	08/22/20	18+	RENO	12
AVJ	SJ58	Mystery at La Mère Eglise	08/10/20	08/30/20	18+	RENO	12
BAT	SJ62	Immersion at the Rochard Lodge	08/15/20	09/01/20	18+	RENO	9
N&M	SJ64	The Mercantour Silver Mine 2	08/16/20	08/29/20	18+	RENO	12
N&M	SJ65	A New Roof for the Merveilles	08/16/20	08/29/20	18+	RENO	12
BAT	SJ66	Saint Pierre Wash House	09/02/20	09/23/20	18+	RENO	12
REV	SJ68	The Witch's Claws of Leucate	09/05/20	09/26/20	18+	ENVI	10
AVJ	SJ69	The Real Story Behind Arzeliers Castle	09/06/20	09/19/20	18+	RENO	12
AVJ	SJ70	Between Vineyard and Almond Trees	09/06/20	09/19/20	18+	RENO	12
BAT	SJ71	Let's Build a Wall for the School	09/09/20	09/30/20	18+	RENO	12
BAT	SJ72	The Vauban Fort of Fouras	09/09/20	09/30/20	18+	RENO	12
CRE	SJ73	Castle, Heart and Legs	09/12/20	10/03/20	18+	CULT	12
BAT	SJ74	Fort Liédot on Aix Island	09/28/20	10/19/20	18+	RENO/CULT	12

VOLUNTEERING TEAMS (EUROPEAN SOLIDARITY CORPS)

Region	Code	Title	Dates		Age	Type	Vols
AVJ	SJ/ESC11	Tracing the Steps of the Duke of Lesdiguières	06/29/20	07/19/20	18-30	RENO	11
CRE	SJ/ESC16	Back to the Future	07/04/20	07/25/20	18-30	RENO	12
AVJ	SJ/ESC34	Roof & Roll 1	08/07/20	27/07/20	18-30	ENVI/RENO	12
CDB	SJ/ESC41	Be the Change, Now !	07/25/20	08/15/20	18-30	RENO	12
BAT	SJ/ESC55	A Second Life for the Water Mill	08/05/20	08/26/20	18-30	RENO	12
VV	SJ/ESC67	Saint-Pierre Church	09/05/20	09/26/20	18-30	RENO	12
CIT	SJ/ESC75	Save a Listed Monument	08/09/20	29/09/20	18-30	RENO	12

TEENAGER WORKCAMPS

Region	Code	Title	Dates		Age	Type	Vols
CIT	SJ/TEEN38	Build the Way Together 2	07/24/20	08/10/20	12-14	CONS/ENVI	15
VV	SJ/TEEN18	Renovation at the Pedagogical Farm 1	07/05/20	07/18/20	15-17	CONS/ENVI	18
CIT	SJ/TEEN20	Build the Way Together 1	07/05/20	07/20/20	15-17	CONS/ENVI	15
S&V	SJ/TEEN24	From Castle to Abbey 1	07/08/20	07/22/20	15-17	RENO/ENVI	15
CIT	SJ/TEEN29	Green Lungs for the District	07/11/20	08/01/20	15-17	ENVI	15
CIT	SJ/TEEN30	Paint your City Green !	07/13/20	07/28/20	15-17	CULT	15
VV	SJ/TEEN33	Renovation at the Pedagogical Farm 2	07/19/20	08/01/20	15-17	CONS/ENVI	18
AVJ	SJ/TEEN35	Untamed Nature in Vaunières 1	07/19/20	08/01/20	15-17	ENVI	12
REV	SJ/TEEN36	Cévennes Up !	07/19/20	08/05/20	15-17	ENVI	12
S&V	SJ/TEEN40	From Castle to Abbey 2	07/25/20	08/08/20	15-17	RENO/ENVI	15
BAT	SJ/TEEN45	Heading to the Oléron Island 2	07/29/20	08/19/20	15-17	RENO/CULT	12
CDB	SJ/TEEN48	A House of Unity	08/01/20	08/15/20	15-17	RENO	15
VV	SJ/TEEN51	Eco-Camp Site in La Ferté-Alais 1	08/02/20	08/15/20	15-17	CONS/ENVI	18
AVJ	SJ/TEEN53	Untamed Nature in Vaunières 2	08/02/20	08/15/20	15-17	ENVI	12
S&V	SJ/TEEN59	From Castle to Abbey 3	08/12/20	08/26/20	15-17	RENO/ENVI	15
VV	SJ/TEEN63	Eco-Camp Site in La Ferté-Alais 2	08/16/20	08/29/20	15-17	CONS/ENVI	18

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TRILATERAL WORKCAMPS

Region	Code	Title	Dates		Age	Type	Vols
CRE	SJ/TRI31	Between Earth and Stone	07/18/20	08/01/20	15-17	RENO	12
CIT	SJ/TRI60	Build the Way Together 3	08/12/20	08/28/20	15-17	CONS/ENVI	15
CRE	SJ/TRI61	Let the Sun Shine on the Castle	08/15/20	08/29/20	15-17	RENO	12
CIT	SJ/TRI76	Let's Walk and Ride Green!	06/10/20	27/10/20	18-30	ENVI	15

FAMILY WORKCAMP

Region	Code	Title	Dates		Age	Type	Vols
BAT	SJ/FAM32	Seasonal Vegetable Garden : A Family Adventure	07/19/20	07/26/20	5+	ENVI/CULT	15
CIT	SJ/FAM47	Sow the Small Pebbles as a Family	08/01/20	08/10/20	5+	CONS/ENVI	15

MTV

Region	Code	Title	Dates		Age	Type	Vols
BAT	SJ/MTV13	Rural Night Market	06/29/20	08/31/20	18+	ENVI	4

ADULT WORKCAMP

SJ01 THE HISTORY OF THE ATLANTIC COAST 1 03/04-24/04 RENO/CULT 12 vols 18+

SJ02 THE HISTORY OF THE ATLANTIC COAST 2 25/04-16/05 RENO/CULT 12 vols 18+

- » Project: The islands which border the Atlantic coast were, during the last centuries the barrier that protected the French coastline. From those islands, the Island of Aix, small pedestrian island in the Atlantic is a place steeped in history. For several years, the Island of Aix has been jostling international projects as part of the restoration of Fort Liédot. To continue the conservation actions and actions to conserve and restore the island's heritage, while promoting its dynamism and local development, a partnership between the Ile d'Aix municipality, Solidarités Jeunesses and the Conservatoire du littoral has been set up.
- » Work: You will participate on this site in the restoration of the large west stone shooting range, which faces Fort Liédot. The works will consist of de-vegetating the site in order to start masonry work and traditional stone cutting on rubble walls. You will have the mission to cut and replace the stones then to de-grout and regrout the wall, in hydraulic heat.
- » Accommodation and food: Collective in shared rooms (4 beds) at the Armand Fallières housing center, near Fort Liedot. The food and meals will be prepared, in a rotation of roles.
- » Location: In the middle of the sea, 20 km of Rochefort-under Sea; Charente Maritime.
- » Leisure activities: In the Island of Aix, you can profit out of numerous nautical activities as the fish and the sailing with the local clubs. The beach, the bike rides bordering the sea, beach volleyball and other pleasures are to be discovered. You can also visit forts and museums as well as certain cities such as La Rochelle and Rochefort. The time dedicated to leisure activities promote the meeting with inhabitants who wait for you with impatience!
- » Closest train station: Rochefort (17300)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux-Mérignac

SJ03 HISTORICAL WANDERINGS IN CLAUSONNE ABBEY 1 16/05-29/05 RENO 12 vols 18+

SJ06 HISTORICAL WANDERINGS IN CLAUSONNE ABBEY 2 31/05-13/06 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: Participate in the valorisation of a historic site at the heart of idyllic mountain landscapes !Join us and come discover l'Abbaye de Clausonne and its natural environment at 1140 meters of altitude!
- » It is in the XII century that the Abbaye sees the day. After multiple periods of deconstruction and of reconstruction over the centuries, in the 20th century, it became an agricultural building, which was abandoned in the 1950s. It is in 1994 that the association of friends of Abbaye of Clausonne was created to conserve the vestiges of this exceptional architecture, on an exceptional site. Since then, the association wanted to make this place a place of discovery, learning and knowledge.
- » Work: Do you want to learn ancient techniques of masonry, the use of ancient material and ecology? This year, we will work to continue the masonry in stone, on the ancient sheep herding, in order to make it, in a few years, a room for cooking, storing tools, etc. We will continue as well to work on putting value in the site and hiking trails. And if the time allows, we will participate in the construction of stone stairs in the sheepfold with the help of masons that will there to transmit their knowledge! The work represents 30h in a week. The nights and weekends are free for activities that you will choose to organise together.
- » Accommodation and food: Our principal place of living is a the Ferme du Fai, it's an international welcoming center. You will sleep in rooms of 3 to 6 beds and will have access to bathrooms, toilets, and the kitchen. There is no WIFI. But you will meet people coming from the whole world! This center is found 30 minutes walking distance from the Abbaye. You will cook in a rotation of roles, so that you can taste several specialties! Here, we pay attention to what we eat, to reduce our impact on the planet we try to eat a maximum of local products and we eat meat two times a week.
- » Location: The farm of the Fai, at 3km of the village of Saix is 15 km from the first town, Veynes. Once or twice a week, we will organize a trip to the nearest town to go shopping.
- » Leisure activities: You will be in an exceptional setting to discover the pleasures of mountain hiking, its rivers, its lakes, the farmers and producers markets, the festive nights organised in surrounding villages. In group, you will decide activities and discovery outings that you wish to set up. The reception center usually organizes one musical evening per week with homemade wood-fired pizzas.
- » Closest train station: Veynes Dévoluy (05400), the meeting times are generally between 4pm and 6pm at the station
- » Closest airports: Marseille, Lyon

SJ04 LE FORT DE L'AIGUILLE 1 19/05-09/06 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: Situated at the mouth of Charente, the Fouras Peninsula is home to 3 ports and 5 beaches on the Atlantic coast. Following 8 international workcamps carried out between 2015 and 2019, the town of Fouras-les-Bains and the association Maison des Bateleurs - Solidarités Jeunesses wished to renew their partnership in 2020 in order to continue the rehabilitation work on the Aiguille fort (known as the largest in France). In an idyllic setting with a view of Fort Boyard, the work will consist of rehabilitating the redoubt, a fortification system built by Vauban to protect the town of Fouras from a possible invasion from an enemy landing by the sea.
- » Work: You work on the restoration of a new part from the northern facade of the redoubt facing the Atlantic Ocean. You will have the mission of de-vegetating the facade and the crowns in order to then de-grouting then grouting with lime mortar. Other traditional masonry work, such as the resumption of stone crowning and stonecutting is planned.

- » Accommodation and food: Collective in tents at Fouras campsite (swimming pool, multi-sports area, WIFI, snack bar, etc.) Food will be provided and meals will be prepared in turns.
- » Location: Fouras-les-Bains, Charente-Maritime, 20 km from Rochelle
- » Leisure activities: You will be able to discover numerous nautical activities; such as fishing and sailing with local clubs. The beach, the bike rides bordering the sea, the beach volleyball and other pleasures are there to discover. You can also visit forts and museums as well as some cities like La Rochelle and Rochefort. Leisure activities will promote the meeting with the inhabitants who are waiting for you with impatience!
- » Closest train station: Rochefort (17300)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux-Mérignac

SJ05 A SUSTAINABLE WALL 31/05-13/06 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: Come and discover one of the small perched towns in the South of France, Serres in the Alpes, which offers a magnificent panorama of the medium mountain range of the Baronnies Provençales! The town, leaning against the Pignollette rock, is made up of small shady medieval streets and covered and sloping passages in which it is good to stroll. At the top of this village and at the bend in the monks' path, is the chapel of Notre Dame de Bon Secours, which overlooks the Buëch valley. This building was erected in 1730 and blessed in 1732. Partly dug into the rock, it marries the hillside, on the presumed site of the former chapel of the castle of Serres. The Baronnies Provençales Regional Nature Park, in partnership with the association Les Villages des Jeunes and a hiking organization, launched an operation to raise awareness and promote the dry-stone building technique in 2018. Elected officials and inhabitants will be mobilized for this operation through restoration actions and discoveries of the dry-stone built heritage (conference, visit).
- » Work: The path of the Monks meanders along the hillside below the chapel; it is supported by dry stone retaining walls and has a stone-covered walkway, known as a calade in south-eastern France. One of the retaining walls of the path, located under the chapel, is partly deteriorated due to lack of maintenance. You will participate in the restoration of this wall which is essential to put the chapel back in its place in the landscape by redrawing the flatness of the wall leading to it. The following work will be undertaken: dismantling and sorting of the stones, earthworks and reconstruction of the wall according to the very precise technique of dry stone construction (theoretical and practical input). You can also discover the technique of restoration of the dry stone path: punctual recovery of the damaged parts of the path, realization of stone steps.
- » The workcamp will be supervised by a professional in dry stone construction techniques. A daily work of 6 hours is planned, the organization of the days will be discussed and decided by the group of participants. The pedagogical objective is to discover a traditional construction technique which does not require any material, except stones from the stoning of fields intended for agriculture or recovered from old buildings. Theoretical, historical and practical contributions will be disseminated. It should be noted that this workcamp is part of a more global action to enhance the site of the chapel. The population of the village is invited to take part in the work of clearing the brush and creating a calade on the chapel square.
- » Accommodation and food: You will be accommodated in tents at the Barillons campsite located in Serres. An animation team will be present to help you in the organization of the collective life: planning of household chores, elaboration of menus and preparation of meals in turn, organization of leisure activities and outings. The purchase of local products is widely favoured.
- » Location: Serres is a small town in the South of France, nestled between the Alps and Haute Provence (30 km North of Sisteron, 140 km South of Grenoble). It has several services: train station, shops, Provençal market...
- » Leisure activities: Land of light, scents and flavours, the Baronnies Provençal is a land where the sweetness of life is combined with the practice of outdoor sports like idleness! Rich in natural and agricultural heritages adapted to the Mediterranean climate under alpine influence, the Provençal Baronnies are marked by fragrant, aromatic and medicinal plants: wild thyme, rosemary, lavender. Near Serres, you can discover many major sites in the south of the Hautes-Alpes: Ajour mountain and Clausonne abbey, Saint-Genis mountain, the Méouge gorges, Orpierre site, the Riou lake where you can practice many sports activities (climbing, mountain biking, hiking, swimming in lakes and rivers).
- » Closest train station : Serres (05700). Access via Valence TGV, Valence ville, Grenoble, Marseille Saint-Charles and Aix en Provence train stations.
- » Closest airports: Marseille or Lyon

SJ07 FREE MUSIC FESTIVAL 05/06-26/06 CULT/FEST 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Montendre is a charming town in the south-west of France which saw the birth, in 2001, of the «FREE Music Festival», an artistic event of contemporary music, a source of development and local dynamism, which has contributed to the highlighting of this small town. The festival is supported by the association A Donf' which aims to promote and develop education and artistic practices for all. The international workcamp, at the heart of the festival, brings a rich intercultural dimension to the artistic and intergenerational dynamics carried by the event. 2020 sees the birth of the 20th edition of the festival!
- » Work: You will work with others volunteers in the preparation and setting up of the festival and accommodations (camp, food area/rest area/volunteers, etc). The work consists of arranging the park in such a way that will make it more attractive. You will welcome the public and help volunteers in the event's logistics. After the festival, you will help in cleaning and tidying the place in a friendly atmosphere !
- » Accommodation and food: In collective dorms (8 people) at La Maison des Bateleurs, in Montendre. Food is included and everyday, someone in the group will be chosen to cook.
- » Location: Montendre, Charente-Maritime, from 75 km of Bordeaux.
- » Leisure activities: Between some nice villages in the south of Saintonge, you will enjoy the local heritage. Aside from the work, you will take part in summer activities : music events, nightmarkets, farmer markets or tasting local products. Visits to the cities, like Bordeaux or Angoulême and beach days can be organized. Cognac and St Emilion, two traditional cities of wine, are very close !
- » Closest train station: Montendre (17130)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux-Mérignac

SJ08-1 LE FORT DE L'AIGUILLE 2-1 11/06-02/07 CONS 8 vols 18+

- » Project: Located at the mouth of the Charente river, the peninsula of Fouras-les-Bains is home to three harbours and five beaches along the Atlantic coast. Following the 8 international work sites that were realised between 2015 and 2019, the town of Fouras-les-Bains and the association Maison des Bateleurs - Solidarités Jeunesses wanted to renew their partnership in 2020 to continue the development of Fort de l'Aiguille (said to be the largest of its kind in France). In an idyllic setting with views of Fort Boyard, the work site will continue the delimitation work being done on the redoubt (a type of fortification system built by the French military engineer Vauban that protected Fouras from potential enemy sea invasion).
- » Work: You will have the task of developing the landscape of Fort de l'Aiguille. The work will consist of demarcating the spaces that make up the integral part of the redoubt, as well as securing and protecting the site during future cultural events. You'll need to create and install a barrier and fence around the fort's Eastern front. Additionally you'll have to dismantle the existing doorway, which is in poor condition and unaesthetic, in order to replace it.
- » Accommodation and food: Collective in tents on Fouras' campground *** (swimming pool, multi-sports space, WIFI, snacks..) Food will be provided, and meals will be prepared alternately by participants.
- » Location: Fouras-les-Bains, Charente-Maritime, 20 km from Rochelle
- » Leisure activities: You can take advantage of everything living by the ocean has to offer! Fishing, sailing with local clubs, biking along the water, and of course relaxing on the beach are just some of the things you can spend your free time enjoying. The Île d'Aix, a small car-free island in the middle of the ocean, is also available to visit by boat. Since Fouras is also a popular seaside destination, you will have the opportunity to participate in the many summer events that are put on in June.
- » Closest train station: Rochefort (17300)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux-Mérignac

SJ08-2 LE FORT DE L'AIGUILLE 2-2 11/06-02/07 CONS 8 vols 18+

- » Project: Located at the mouth of the Charente river, the peninsula of Fouras-les-Bains is home to three harbours and five beaches along the Atlantic coast. In an idyllic setting with views of Fort Boyard, you will work on the restoration of Fort Aiguille. The fort is a redoubt, a type of fortification system built by the French military engineer Vauban, that protected Fouras from potential enemy sea invasion.
- » Work: This project is a continuation of the work undertaken last year by volunteers. Your main project will be working on the restoration of a new part of the redoute's main facade. You will help the technical leader remove vegetation from the facade, and remove and replace the lime mortar that keeps the stones of the redoubt in place. Other traditional masonry work is also planned, such as stonecutting and redoing the capstones that decorate the top of the redoute.
- » Accommodation: In groups, in tents on Fouras' campground *** (swimming pool, multi-sports space, WIFI, snacks..) Food will be provided, and meals will be prepared alternately by participants.
- » Location: Fouras-les-Bains, Charente-Maritime, located 20 km from La Rochelle
- » Leisure activities: You can take advantage of everything living by the ocean has to offer! Fishing, sailing with local clubs, biking along the water, and of course relaxing on the beach are just some of the things you can spend your free time

enjoying. The Île d'Aix, a small car-free island in the middle of the ocean, is also available to visit by boat. Since Fouras is also a popular seaside destination, you will have the opportunity to participate in the many summer events that are put on in June.

- » Closest train station: Rochefort (17300)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux

SJ12 THE DRONNE'S RIVERBANKS 15/06-06/07 ENVI 12 vols 18+

- » Project : The municipality of La Roche Chalais is hosting an international workcamp of volunteers for the fourth year: after carrying out paths which connect the village to the river and redeveloped the banks of the river we continue to work on the heritage and natural spaces of the village. In connection with the various political, cultural and technical actors of the territory, this camp will bring you to meet a rural territory and to participate in its dynamism. It will also be an opportunity to participate in a broader program of support for the integration of refugees in this territory through voluntary actions. Indeed, a group of local inhabitants mixing "original" inhabitants and newcomers will participate with you at the different times of the construction site, helping to break down the labels and stereotypes around migration and to enhance their involvement in this territory.
- » All these different local people and the regulars of the campsite where you will be accommodated will offer you many ways to participate in local life: meals, activities with the children of the school, local associations... You will discover the hospitality of the population and the charm of the landscapes and local heritage, by organizing with the other volunteers and leaders your program of activities.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°10 from the United Nations: Reduced Inequalities.
- » Work: Various works of environment and enhancement of the built and natural heritage (maintenance of sports course, approaches to a pond, restoration of wash houses and calvaires, ...) You will work in various spaces in and around the village frequented daily by the Chalaisiens. to improve their living environment. Worksite in the mornings and discoveries of the surroundings and collective life in the afternoons.
- » Accommodation and food : You will be welcomed at the municipal campsite, very comfortable! Sleeping under tents, camp beds provided. A covered dining area is reserved for you, with a kitchen where you can prepare good food in turn.
- » Location : La Roche Chalais is located on the Greenwich meridian, at the crossroads of four departments and 70 km from Bordeaux, Périgueux and Angoulême.
- » Leisure activities: Swimming, canoeing, sightseeing and on the campingsite, table tennis, pétanque, table football, entertainment around fishing with the local fishing club...
- » Closest train station: reception on Saturday 15 June in the late afternoon at Saint-Aigulin train station (17360).
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux-Mérignac.
- » Note: you will often work with your feet in the water, Bring suitable boots and clothing !

SJ09 A FISTFUL OF LIME 14/06-27/06 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: You will participate in the construction of a welcome centre and exhibition space that will benefit the association's educational events, and will offer a new cultural element to our current program which includes a centre of documentation for past historical and archaeological work, conferences, educational content for children and teenagers, scientific publications concerning geological and mining heritage.
- » Work: You will restore this building's façades using lime mortar. The work will include removing outer layers of plaster, recovering the boards of the framework, reworking the plaster joints, using mortar to repair the stonework wall and brushing the mortar joints. This work camp involves 4 days of work per week, from 08:30 to 12:00 and from 14:00 to 17:30. A technical supervisor will accompany you during your working day.
- » Accommodation and food: You will be sharing a room with 4-6 other volunteers. Bathrooms are also shared. Meals are prepared by our kitchen staff. You will be asked to lend a hand with the preparation of some food, tidying the dining area, and washing the dishes.
- » Location: Tende (06430) - 2 hours from Nice by train. The organisation "Neige et Merveilles" is located at an altitude of 1.500 metres in an isolated mountainous area, 10 km from the Closest village of Tende, and 50 km from Vintimille (Italy).
- » Leisure activities: You will discover the regional mountainous environment and sporting activities: hiking/ guided tour in the "Vallée des Merveilles" in the Mercantour National Park, swimming in the Bendola river, visiting local villages (Tende, La Brigue, Saorge), trying the Via Ferrata and in the evenings, enjoying dance, photo-video sessions, stargazing, board games, barbecue, international meals. You will accompanied by a daily life facilitator.
- » Remarks: Possibility of working at a height on secured scaffolding.
- » Closest train station: Tende (06430)
- » Closest airport: Nice

SJ10 THE STONE HOUSE 14/06-27/06 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: Take part in an enriching experience that will teach you new skills in a communal environment. You will make a valuable contribution to the larger scale project of development and restoration of one of the Maritime Alps' heritage sites - the medieval silver mine of Vallauria. The construction of this storage workshop dates back to the mining period at the end of the 19th century.
- » Work: You will work on the building's exterior and inside. Plastering and re pointing each of the building's facades using lime mortar. You will participate in the construction of a wooden mezzanine. This workcamp involves 4 days of work per week, from 08:30 to 12:00 and from 14:00 to 17:30. A technical leader will accompany you during your working day.
- » Accommodation and food: You will be sharing a room with 3-4 other volunteers. Bathrooms are also shared. Meals are prepared by our kitchen staff. You will be asked to lend a hand with the preparation of some food, tidying the dining area, and washing the dishes.
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- » Remarks: Possibility of working on scaffolding low height.
- » Closest train station: Tende (06430)
- » Closest airport: Nice

SJ14 FESTIF L'ART FESTIVAL 29/06-10/07 CULT/FEST 13 vols 18+

- » Project: The Festif l'Art is a festival of contemporary music created in 2008 and organised by the members of the association Asso Siffil'Art. Its goal is to make culture accessible to a greater number of people by proposing concerts that include a wide range of genres and musical styles (pop-rock, reggae, electro...), as well as various performances and workshops: wall painting, circus arts, spaces for relaxation, recycled art etc. The association also uses a pricing policy that's driven by donations. Each year, the Festif l'Art follows a theme to stimulate the public imagination. For the first time, Asso Siffil'Art wants to host an international workcamp to add an intercultural dimension to the festival and to support the committed team of volunteers.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations : Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: You will work with the association's volunteers to set up, organise, and take down the festival. You will be involved in different tasks: wood and building work, cooking, helping the Green team to organise eco-friendly practices, material installation, and decoration. During the festival, you will also be able to help with customer service and to lead activities for children.
- » Accommodation and food: You will sleep in communal tents near the festival grounds and the campsite that hosts the volunteers. Please bring a sleeping bag with you. Bathrooms and showers are available closeby. Food will be provided, and meals will be prepared by teams of volunteers and association members.
- » Location: The festival is organised in the town of Chauconin-Neufmontiers which is located 40 km east of Paris. Note-- This project should not be seen as a sightseeing trip to Paris. If you wish to visit Paris, you should arrive some days before or leave some days after the dates of the workcamp.
- » Leisure activities: During your free time, you will have the opportunity to visit the town of Meaux, the local sites important to the area's cultural heritage, and to enjoy the local activities organised that are organized during the summer. Free-time activities will be organized collectively, depending on the wishes of the group and the available budget.
- » Closest train station: Meaux (77100)
- » Closest airports: Paris Roissy Charles de Gaulle airport, Paris Orly and Paris Beauvais.

SJ15 ISSIGEAC AU NATUREL 04/07-25/07 (TBC) ENVI/RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: Come experience Issigeac in the summer ! This very pretty medieval village invites you to discover its heritage and environment by participating in this project to enhance the natural wetlands located a stone's throw from the village. With the guidance of a professional technician and the help of local volunteers, you will participate in the maintenance of these wetlands: pruning, shoreline reinforcement, and trail maintenance. Using masonry work you'll restore an old wash house: repair low stone walls, construct a paved floor etc. You will also be involved with local associations to help prepare the various events that characterize village life during the summer.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°6 from the United Nations: Clean water and sanitation.
- » Work: In the mornings, you will perform riverbank and wetland maintenance: cutting and removing vegetation, riverbank reinforcement, and clean-up. Work with manual tools will be prioritized: pruning shears, saws, branch cutters... in order to preserve this fragile environment. You'll also perform masonry work on a former washhouse and help implement cultural and touristic events.

- » Accommodation and food: You will be hosted at ISSIGEAC's municipal stadium. You'll sleep in tents, mattresses provided. A covered dining area is reserved for you, along with a kitchen where you will take turns preparing tasty dishes.
- » Location: Issigeac is located in the southwest of the Dordogne, on the border with Lot-et-Garonne, 20 km from Bergerac
- » Leisure activities: Swimming, canoeing, site visits, local festivals, etc.
- » Closest train station: We will meet on Saturday, July 6th in the late afternoon at Bergerac (24100) station.
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux-Mérignac or Toulouse-Blagnac.
- » Note: You will often work with your feet in the water! Bring boots or sandals and appropriate clothing.

SJ19 THE MERCANTOUR SILVER MINE 1 05/07-18/07 ARCH 12 vols 18+

- » Project: You will participate in the restoration of a site that is a striking example of a remarkably well conserved piece of historical and geological heritage, and that's one of the most important mines in the Alps. The Vallauria mine was exploited for its galena (silver-bearing lead), and blend (zinc based mineral) from the Middle Ages until 1930. Since 2011, volunteers have been reviving the accessibility to this site, both above and belowground. And since 2009, archaeological digs have also been taking place at the site. Your goal with this project will be to help open this medieval mine to the public.
- » Work: Under the supervision of a mining archaeologist, you'll complete the last remaining work to be done in order to open the circuit to the public. The underground visitor trail must be clean, comfortable and secure. You will work to stabilize and level of the floor of the mine, evacuate stone blocks, construct low walls and a dry-stone staircase, and showcase the outcropping ledge of the medieval mine.
- » Accommodation and food: You will be sharing a room with 2/3 other volunteers. Bathrooms are also shared. Meals are prepared by our kitchen staff, and you'll be asked to lend a hand with the preparation of some food, tidying the dining area, and washing the dishes.
- » Location: Tende (06430) - 2 hours from Nice by train. The organisation "Neige et Merveilles" is located at an altitude of 1.500 metres in an isolated mountainous area, 10 km from the closest village of Tende, and 50 km from Vintimille (Italy).
- » Leisure activities: You'll have the opportunity to explore the regional mountainous environment and participate in sporting activities, a hiking/ guided tour in the "Vallée des Merveilles" in the Mercantour National Park, visit local villages (Tende, La Brigue, Saorge), try out via feratta and ziplining, and in the evenings enjoy dances, photo-video sessions, stargazing, board games, barbecue, international meals etc.
- » Note: You will work underground, and you'll have to carry stones and buckets of mortar.
- » Closest train station: Tende (06430)
- » Closest airport: Nice

SJ21 KEEPING FAÏ WARM 1 06/07-18/07 RENO 12 vols 18+

SJ37 KEEPING FAÏ WARM 2 20/07-01/08 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Participating in the ecological insulation of a stone house in the heart of an idyllic mountain landscape-- that sound interesting ? Join us and come discover the former Ferme du Fai and its natural setting at an altitude of about 1000 meters ! The association Les Villages des Jeunes has managed, organized, and renovated Fai's welcome center since 1990, in partnership with the SIVU of Haute-Maraize. The Ferme du Fai is a former agricultural area where the buildings were converted into studios and group accommodations. From April to December, the association organises a back-to-work project there for local residents and welcomes, in the form of internships, young people facing hardships. In the summer, the Fai is also a place of residence for professional artists that come to take advantage of the amazing location to create collectively and contribute to festivals like La Montagne qui Chante...The workcamps that we organise at Fai contribute to making this a place of innovation and freedom where working and living together, whether that be for a few days or several months, becomes possible for young people and adults, people from all countries and all cultures, employees, volunteers, artists, tourists etc. We hope that you too, a volunteer from France or abroad, will come with this spirit of openness and collaboration that fuels our project !
- » Work : The insulation workcamp will take place at a building called « Auberg'in », which is set to become a place to welcome groups (includes dormitories, sanitary facilities and a large kitchen). For the comfort of those welcomed, we hope to improve the insulation of this stone house. With the help of a technical supervisor, we will work with techniques and materials of eco-construction (like hemp and lime, wood...) In effect, it will be about constructing a wooden framework on the exterior facades of the building. This framework will hold the insulating materials, made from a mortar of lime and hemp straw. At one point, we will work at high levels with the help of scaffolding. The time spent at the worksite will be around 30h per week.
- » Accommodation and food : Housing will be in individual tents, that we furnish and provide mattresses for, on the campgrounds of the Ferme du Fai. The campgrounds have access to showers, restrooms, and the kitchen. There's no WIFI, but you'll be able to meet people from all over the world ! You'll take turns cooking, that way we'll be able to taste a number of different specialties ! Here, we pay attention to what we eat, and to reduce our impact on the planet, we try to eat a maximum of local products and limit eating meat to twice a week. Community life will be organised together : organization of menus, grocery shopping, activities, etc.
- » Location : The farm of Fai, 3km from the village of Saix, is 15km away from the main city, Veynes. Grocery shopping days,

which will be conducted once or twice a week, will be organised using our vehicles.

- » Leisure activities : You will be in an exceptional location to discover the joys of hiking among the mountains, its rivers, its lakes, the farmers markets, and festive events organized in the surround villages (depending on programming). As a group, you'll decide the activities and outings that you want to set up (subject to distance). Once a week, the welcome center generally organises an evening of music with homemade woodfired pizzas.
- » Closest train station : Veynes Dévouly (05400) – Accessible via the stations Valence TGV, Valence city, Grenoble, Marseille Saint-Charles.
- » Closest airports: Lyon or Marseille.

SJ22 BEAUFIEST'YVAL 06/07-27/07 CULT 12 vols 18+

- » Project: The Beaufiest'Yval is a festival of performances and activities for families and people of all ages that takes place in Beaufief park (in Mazeray) in an exceptional 8 hectare setting in Charente-Maritime. Organised by the association Centre De Loisirs de Beaufief that works enhance the vibrancy of local life and prioritize cultural exposure for all, this festival is an amazing opportunity to experience life together, a moment of sharing and warmth. A long-time partner, the workcamp will celebrate its 6 years at the heart of the 10th edition of the festival, which was a great success.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°4 from the United Nations: Quality Education.
- » Work: You will work with volunteers, children and youth of the Centre de Loisirs de Beaufief, in the preparation and execution of the festival. Your work will consist of adapting the park and making it attractive, assisting with putting up gazebos, stages, and stands. During the festival, you'll be tasked with welcoming the public, helping volunteers, as well as have the chance to participate in an open stage. After the event, you will help clean and rearrange the site. Both before and after the festival, you will organise exchanges between the children, hosts, and parents of the Centre de Loisirs. Activities, games, sharing, and collaboration will enrich this intercultural experience.
- » Accommodation and food: Under tents, on the property of the Centre de Loisirs de Beaufief, in Mazeray. Food will be provided and meals will be prepared alternately by participants.
- » Location: Mazeray, Charente-Maritime, 1 hour from La Rochelle.
- » Leisure activities: The volunteers from Le Centre de Loisirs de Beaufief will propose activities that aim to immerse you in local life and you will leave to discover the rich culture and heritage of the surrounding vicinity (castles, abbeys, arboretums, etc.) This will also be an opportunity to discover the region and take advantage of Bernouet lake and its little bar (guinguette, as well as visit towns like La Rochelle and Poitiers.
- » Closest train station: Saint-Jean d'Angély (17400)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux-Mérignac.

SJ23 HEADING TO OLÉRON ISLAND 1 07/07-28/07 RENO/CULT 12 vols 18+

- » Project: The municipality of Grand-Village-Plage is a charming resort area in the South-West part of Oléron island on the coast of the Atlantic ocean, and is a long-time partner of the association (since 1996). For some years, work surrounding the enhancement of housing and the Oléronnais way of life, from the 19th century to today, was started by the municipal community and the municipality of Grand-Village. This project will be focused on Oléron's surviving traditional peasant home that illustrates wonderfully the daily lives of islanders during the end of the 19th century. It's in the hopes of refurbishing Oléron's eco-conscious peasant home, which is set to become a must-see spot and a place for experimentation, that the municipal community of Oléron island wished to once again establish a workcamp of young volunteers.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable Cities and Communities.
- » Work: Overseen by a technical advisor specialized in traditional masonry, you'll begin by working on the restoration (pic-tage) of the facades of the home. You will also have to renovate or put up the small dry-stone walls that outline the space covered by this traditional peasant home.
- » Accommodation and food: On a campground, under tents with all amenities available. Food will be provided, and meals will be prepared alternately by participants.
- » Location: In the middle of the ocean, 35km from Rochefort-sur-Mer, Charente Maritime.
- » Leisure activities: On the island of Oléron, you'll be able to take advantage of everything living by the water has to offer! Fishing, surfing, biking along the ocean, beach volleyball and other activities are all available for you to discover. You'll also be able to visit certain towns like Rochelle and Rochefort. Activities and excursions will be organized with local residents who can't wait to meet you!
- » Closest train station: Rochefort (17300)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux

SJ25 BIO'SPHERE OF MELLE 09/07-30/07 ENVI/CULT 7 vols 18+

- » Project: Melle, a small, lovely, and dynamic town, is known for its extraordinary local heritage which includes sites like a UNESCO roman church, a collection of old motorbikes, silver mines dating back to the middle ages, etc. The town of Melle is a loyal partner of Solidarités Jeunesses, and has hosted several workcamps over the past few years. For many years, this small village that has a strong attachment to the environment has engaged in the protection and enhancement of biodiversity. Working within the theme of « environment », this work camp will consist of fostering biodiversity on site classified by Natura 2000 (a European network of natural sites). In the heart of « pré aux demoiselles », this site is a protected plot of land that allows us to act concretely to aid with humid zones and bats.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable Cities and Communities.
- » Work: Your work will consist of upgrading this protected zone of fauna and flora. You will construct facilities within the area dedicated to the protection of bats and dragonflies. You'll also have to :
 - » - Finishing the building of observatory of the humid zone,
 - » - Install cavities to promote the hibernation and hosting of bats
 - » - Protecting the access to the cavities
- » Accommodation: Indoors, in the tourist hosting center of Melle, located in the center of the village,
- » Location: Melle, 60km from the sea, between Poitiers and La Rochelle,
- » Leisure activities: During your free time, you will have the opportunity to attend summer concerts and shows and discover the international biannual exhibition of contemporary art in Melle. Other regional charms include tourist attractions and landmarks, a local cinema, and a swimming pool. Activities with the locals will be organized, and a minibus will be provided for the group for excursions to the ocean, La Rochelle, Poitiers, and Niort.
- » Closest train station: Niort (79000).
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux

SJ26 PROTECT THE YOUTH AND EDUCATION IN ROUFFIGNAC 10/07-31/07 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: Rouffignac is a charming small municipality in the South-West of France located in the department Charente-Maritime. A very rural municipality, Rouffignac has nonetheless a magnificent cultural and historical heritage with regards to the parish church Saint-Christophe. The municipality executed its first workcamp in 2019, having been very interested by the intercultural dynamic established in other municipalities in the territory that organise workcamps each year. The first international workcamp set up in Rouffignac focused on the the restoration of a portion of the low stone walls that encircle and protect the school's surroundings and secure the exit, which are in poor condition. This object of this 2020 workcamp is to continue and finish the renovation of these low walls that protect the school.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable Cities and Communities.
- » Work: Overseen by a technical advisor specialized in traditional masonry, you will have to take down the walls, reconstruct the foundations which are in poor condition, then put the walls back up using specific techniques. You'll also have to strengthen and highlight the two stone towers that are on either side of a wrought iron gate that enabled schoolchildren at the time to enter and exit. The technical supervisor will teach you techniques in masonry and sizing of stones.
- » Accommodation and food: Communal, in mixed dormitories, with all amenities available (sanitary facilities, kitchens, etc.) Food will be provided to you and meals will be prepared alternately by participants as needed.
- » Location: Rouffignac, 80km from Bordeaux, Charente-Maritime.
- » Leisure activities: The goal will be to exchange the richness of your cultures with that of the residents and associations of Rouffignac. Excursions throughout the region will be organized collectively according to your wants (visits, the ocean, museums, etc.) You'll also have the opportunity to discover cities like St Emilion, Bordeaux, La Rochelle etc., and your free time is a great opportunity to meet the locals who can't wait to see you!
- » Closest train station: Montendre (17500)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux

SJ27 ICE AGE IN CENTRAL FRANCE! 1 11/07-01/08 RENO 12 vols 18+
SJ56 ICE AGE IN CENTRAL FRANCE! 2 08/08-29/08 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: The Castle Les Prureaux needs you to renovate a central element of its past daily life: its fixed cooler, the ancestor of our fridges! The fixed cooler is a large well where our ancestors used to pile up ice they collected during the winter, to ensure that there would always be supply of ice to refresh food and drinks all year! At the heart of this region, come and discover how this cooler functions and get trained in different renovation techniques! Surrounded by a bamboo grove, the cooler must be protected from this invasive plant. This is also an opportunity for you to discover the biology of this underrated plant and to imagine alternatives to enhance it: decoration, construction, furniture, textiles, the possibilities with bamboo are endless!
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°15 from the United Nations: Life on Land.
- » Work :The work will consist of developing and enhancing the cooler's surroundings: leveling and earthing the area with

gravel, cleaning up the surrounding vegetation, protecting access to the cooler with a wooden barrier, renovating and enhancing the access stairs, building a temporary wooden shelter to protect the cooler from the rain. You'll also work on delineating the bamboo grove that borders the cooler by setting up a bamboo barrier to prevent the plants spreading through their roots. You'll also remove the existing bamboo to recreate a second bamboo plantation. Finally, you'll work to promote the use of the recovered bamboo through different workshops!

- » Accommodation and food: You will sleep in tents with access to outdoor showers and dry toilets. Food is provided and meals will be prepared by the volunteers themselves in turns. Meals will be had under a big tent outside or, in case of bad weather, inside in the dining room of the castle. We provide a fully equipped kitchen and activity rooms.
- » Location: Montcombroux-les-Mines. A former bourgeois home, the Castle Les Prureaux is in the middle of an agricultural area. Since 1993, our association has worked to maintain and enhance the historic buildings on the site. This «permanent» project, led by volunteers and hosting young people all year round, remains a rich educational opportunity that supports exchange, doing, and collaboration.
- » Leisure activities : Afternoons and weekends are collectively planned with the whole group. If you like spending time in the city, Moulins and Vichy are located about 40 kms away. If you're more of the countryside type, don't hesitate to discover the region on foot or by bike, explore the banks of the canals, swim, or take advantage of local festivities and cultural events.
- » Closest train station: Moulins-sur-Allier train station (03000)
- » Closest airport: Lyon Saint-Exupéry

SJ28 AN INTERCULTURAL PATH 11/07-01/08 RENO 6 vols 18+

- » Project: This project is a collective civic experience, one of self discovery, but also where you'll exchange with others. «Monmarin» is a multicultural neighborhood located in the city of Vesoul where the locals want to welcome you and have you experience collaboration, exchange, and altruism.
- » Work: This project has been imagined in collaboration with neighborhood residents who can't wait to meet you ! Your job will be to create a paved path to the entrance of the district, and you'll also learn about stone cutting and traditional masonry techniques while working in a diverse team.
- » Accommodation and food: You will be living at the town hall in the center of the district and sleep in a common room on camp beds. Remember to bring a sleeping bag and pillow ! A kitchen will be available for you to use on location. Showers will be taken at the local stadium that's only 3 minutes away by foot. While accompanied by the facilitating team, you'll plan your own menus and take turns preparing meals. We'll also organize frequent meals at local residents' homes, which will allow you to spend time with them while discovering local specialities.
- » Location : Montmarin, Vesoul (70000), 30 km from Besançon
- » Leisure activities: The afternoons will be dedicated to activities that you'll organize with the group and the leaders. Monmarin offers various cultural and sport activities like visiting Vaivre lake, sailing, hiking etc. If you have any ideas, don't hesitate to propose them ! You'll learn how to make collective decisions.
- » Closest train station: Vesoul train station (70000). A meeting point will be organised around 6 p.m.
- » Closest airports: Paris or Basel in Switzerland.

SJ52 ROOF & ROLL 2 29/07-18/08 ENVI/RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Participating in eco-construction work on a mountain cottage at the heart of an idyllic mountain landscape, that sound interesting ? Joins us and come discover the Hameau de Vaunières and its natural setting at 1173 meters above sea level ! Vaunières, a hamlet unlike any other ! Lost at the end of the valley of Buëch, at the heart of the Hautes Alpes, the association Les Villages des Jeunes has managed, organized, and renovated the welcome center of Vaunières since 1964 ! Vaunières is a former small mountain village that today has become a launching pad for local youth and adults, but it's also a venue that hosts French and international volunteers. Vaunières is a vacation destination for many families, tourists, and constituent groups who come to take advantage of the calm mountain atmosphere and the dynamics of the environment. The workcamps that we organise at Vaunières with volunteers from all countries, allow us to reinforce the cultural diversity of our engagement and make this site a place that's open to the world, where people of all ages and of all social and cultural backgrounds agree to meet each other and work together while participating in life within a community. We hope that you too, a volunteer from France or abroad, will come with this spirit of openness and collaboration that fuels our project !
- » Work : Since 2019, we've worked on the renoovation of the cottages that have been abandoned for the past 20 years. This year we're continuing this work, but focusing on taking care of the cottages' framework, roofing, and insulation. All with eco- materials. With the help of a technical supervisor, we'll work with wood, and you'll become familiar with framing and ecological insulation work. Warning, work will sometimes be conducted at heights (scaffolding). The time spent at the worksite will be around 30h per week.
- » Accommodation and food : Housing will be in individual tents, that we furnish and provide mattresses for, on the campgrounds of the hamlet of Vaunières. The campgrounds have access to showers, restrooms, and the kitchen. There's no WIFI, but you'll be able to meet people from all over the world ! You'll take turns cooking, that way we'll be able to taste a

number of different specialties ! Here, we pay attention to what we eat, and to reduce our impact on the planet, we try to eat a maximum of local products and we limit eating meat to twice a week. Community life will be organised together : organization of menus, grocery shopping, activities, etc.

- » Location : Le Hameau de Vaunières, 6km from the village St Julien en Beauchêne, is 23km away from the main city, Veynes. Grocery shopping, which will be conducted once or twice a week, will be organised using our vehicles.
- » Leisure activities : You will be in an exceptional location to discover the joys of hiking among the mountains, its rivers, its lakes, the farmers markets, and festive events organized in the surround villages (depending on programming). As a group, you'll decide the activities and outings that you want to set up (subject to distance). Once a week, the welcome center generally organises an evening of music with homemade woodfired pizzas.
- » Closest train station : Lus-La-Croix-Haute (26620)
- » Closest airports: Lyon or Marseille.

SJ39 LET'S RENOVATE THE ARCHEOLOGICAL GARDEN! 24/07-14/08 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: Sometimes called the "small pointevine Switzerland" the municipality Béruges is home to vestiges of prehistoric, gallo-roman, and Merovingian times. A dynamic municipality, Béruges highlights its historic riches today thanks to its archaeological garden where one can admire gallo-roman vaults and lapidary elements. The garden also has an archaeological museum that bears witness to daily life in the past (ceramics, decorative and grooming items, tools, etc.) and hosts discovery trails: ancient paths, monumental gallo-roman walls, vantage points...It's within this context that the Béruges municipality, a partner of the association for the past 3 years, wishes to relaunch their partnership with Maison des Bateleurs – Solidarité Jeunesse, in order to host an international workcamp that continues the renovation of Maison Bourdin which is set to become a place that highlights the municipality's heritage.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable Cities and Communities.
- » Work: Supervised by a technical advisor specialized in the resizing of stone, you'll work on the restoration of Maison Bourdin, and more specifically on the low walls that surround the house across from the archaeological garden. You'll conduct traditional masonry work where you'll be able to become familiar with techniques like de-grouting and re-grouting with lime mortar, and resizing traditional stone.
- » Accommodation and food: Under tents, in the garden of the former presbytery at the heart of the municipality. Food will be provided to you and meals will be prepared alternately by participants as needed.
- » Location: Béruges, département de la Vienne, 12km from Poitiers
- » Leisure activities: Volunteers of the association, friends of Béruges, and residents will accompany you in the discovery of the rich historical and environmental heritage of the municipality and its surroundings that are teeming with ancient and troglodytic sites. Activities and excursions will be organized according to your wants, with the help of the residents of the municipality. You'll also have the opportunity to attend local festivities, night markets, and visit large cities like La Rochelle or Poitiers, but also the amusement park Futuroscope.
- » Closest train station: Poitiers (86000)
- » Closest airports: Paris or Bordeaux

SJ42 TRAVEL TO THE MIDDLE AGES 25/07-15/08 CULT 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Travel back in time to the Middle Ages and help transform a village into a medieval festival! Each year, this festival, founded by the organization "Souvigny Grand Site" attracts over 30.000 visitors over 9 days! You will cooperate with the team of local volunteers to do all that necessary to manage the festival including building its facilities, supporting its organisation, and cooking.
- » Work : The work you will be doing is both technical and physical. You'll have to : set up stands, stages (in wood) and tents, create signs, organize the visit route, guide guests, support the organisation of the festival (cook and serve food, tidy up, etc.), and manage stands such as the refreshment bar, the pancake stand, etc.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°15 from the United Nations: Life on Land.
- » Accommodation and food : Your communal dormitory will be located in a municipal building. Food will be provided and meals will be prepared by the volunteers in turn by organised kitchen teams. You'll have lunch with the other local festival volunteers.
- » Location : For 22 years, Souvigny has hosted international workcamps to work with local volunteers on the overall organization of the festival and share the traditions of French medieval culture. For nine days, amateur and professional troupes perform in open stages, turning into « troubadours » and « saltimbanques ». You will discover music, theater, juggling, fire artists, tightrope walkers, raptors and horses, craftsmen at work, forge, food, tents, etc. Welcome to Souvigny of yesteryear!
- » Leisure activities : Your free time will be dedicated to activities that you'll organise collectively with the whole group. During the project's second week of and over the weekends you will be very occupied with your work, but, you'll be able to enjoy the concerts, workshops, exhibitions and other activities put on during the festival ! You'll have time to discover the

region together during the last week.

- » Closest train station: Moulins-sur-Allier train station (03000)
- » Closest airport: Lyon Saint Exupery.
- » Note : Attention ! Some tasks will be quite physical and will require moving and erecting sometimes heavy and large structures. You need to be in good physical condition to be able to participate.

SJ43 THE DISCOVERY OF AN ABANDONNED VILLAGE 11/07-25/07 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Join us in the heart of the provençale Baronnies, in a stunning setting surrounded by mountains at the site of the abandoned village Saint Cyrice ! A 12th century church is all that remains of this village, and enthusiasts have taken on the job of restoring and showcasing it. Situated at the top of a hill, the view from the church is magnificent.
- » The principal aims of this workcamp is to upgrade the former main road of the village, to remove the original stone floor located in the square of the church, and to create a supporting wall at the entrance of the site. These works will enhance this site which is frequented by tourists. The natural regional park of the provençale Baronnies, in partnership with the association Les Villages des Jeunes and the Pôle Randonnée de la Communauté de Communes du Sisteronais Buëch, launched an operation to raise awareness about, and highlight the technique of dry stone masonry. Elected officials and residents will be engaged in this operation by helping restoration efforts and promoting the discovery of dry stone built heritage (conferences, visits). The international workcamp is in line with these efforts, and will revolve around the continuation of work that has already been done in 2019. This work was accomplished in partnership with the association « A la belle Etoile » that assembles motivated residents to help with the restoration and upgrade of this site.
- » Work : Last year, this site welcomed multiple workcamps : a 2 week long international workcamp and a workcamp open to residents. These workcamps were tasked with 3 different jobs : the removal of the former village's main road, the creation of a stone wall at the entrance of the site, and the removal of the dry-stone floor located in the church's square. This first year allowed the issues related to dry-stone as well as the site to be highlighted in front of elected officials, residents, and tourists. This year, you will continue the work undertaken last year and will be supervised by a professional in dry-stone masonry. A day's work is expected to last 6 hours, and the organisation of the days will be discussed and decided on by the group of participants. The pedagogical objective is to discover a traditional construction technique whose only required materials are stones cleared from fields intended for agriculture, or those that are recovered from former buildings.
- » Accommodation and food : You will be living at the « Les Catoyes » campsite in tents, a dozen kilometers away from the workcamp site. A facilitating team will be present to help with the organisation of collective life during the two weeks of the camp : planning housekeeping tasks, developing menus and preparing meals alternately, organizing recreational activities and outings etc. The purchase of local products will be prioritized, and everyone will come with their own ideas, talents, and tips and tricks to help prepare meals.
- » Location : Etoile Saint Cyrice is located in the South of France, between the Alps and Haute Provence (40km from Sisteron). It is close to the village Orpierre, a hot-spot for rockclimbing that has many shops and that also organises festivities during the summer period.
- » Leisure Activities : The land of sunshine and amazing flavors, the provençale Baronnies massif is good living personified where you can enjoy outdoor activities in the heart of nature while also just lounging around ! Rich in natural heritage with agriculture adapted to the mediterranean climate within the mountains, the provençale Baronnies are known for their aromatic and medicinal plants : wild thyme, rosemary, lavender. In close proximity to Etoile Saint Cyrice, you'll be able to discover numerous sites : the Sisteron citadel, the priory of Saint André de Rosans, Saint-Genis mountain...Orpierre is also an amazing site for rockclimbing and the provençale Baronnies are full of varied hiking trails and spots where you can enjoy the surrounding rivers.
- » Closest train stations : Serres or Laragne-Montéglin (05700). Accessible via the stations Valence TGV, Valence city, Grenoble, Marseille Saint-Charles, Aix en Provence.
- » Closest airports : Marseille or Lyon.

SJ44 A STONE PAVED FLOOR 26/07-08/08 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Join us in the heart of the provençale Baronnies in a stunning setting surrounded by mountains ! Rosans is a charming site to appreciate the cobble stoned streets of a village nestled within the lush mountainside between Alpes and Provence ! Take in nature at its most rich and breathe deeply, here the air is as pure as the sky !
- » The workcamp concerns an old path linking the village to the lake of Rosans. This path is flanked by dry-stone walls and is connected to an old pathway that today is abandoned in favor of the route situated below. This pathway offers magnificent views over the landscape of Rosanais that varies with the season. The regional natural park of the provençale Baronnies, in partnership with the association Les Villages des Jeunes and the Pôle Randonnée de la Communauté de Communes du Sisteronais Buëch, launched an operation to raise awareness about, and highlight the technique of dry stone masonry. Elected officials and residents will be engaged in this operation by helping restoration efforts and promoting the discovery of dry stone built heritage (conferences, visits). The international workcamp is in line with these efforts, and will revolve around the continuation of work that has already been done in 2019.

- » Work : Last year, this site welcomed many workcamps : a 2 week international workcamp where participants discovered dry-stone masonry technique by creating a stone floor (called a calade) to the right of a water supply on the path, and two workcamps open to the residents to participate in the restauration of the path's supporting walls that had many gaps. This year, you will participate in the continuation of this work. The creation of the dry-stone floor will be followed up to ensure that the whole project is cohesive with landscape. The workcamp will be supervised by a professional in the field of dry-stone masonry. A day's work is expected to last 6 hours, and the organisation of the days will be discussed and decided on by the group of participants. The pedagogical objective of this worksite is to discover a traditional construction technique whose only required materials are stones cleared from fields intended for agriculture, or those recovered from former buildings. Theoretical, historical, and practical approaches will be shared with participants.
- » Accommodation and food : You will be housed under tents on municipal campground two steps away from the workcamp place. A facilitating team will be present to accompany the participants in the organisation of collective life during the two weeks of the camp : planning housekeeping tasks, developing menus and preparing meals alternately, organizing recreational activities and outings. The purchase of local products will be prioritized, and everyone will come with their own ideas, talents, and tips and tricks to help prepare the meals.
- » Location : Rosans is a village in the south of France, nestled between the Alps and the Haute Provence (23 km to the west of Serres, 40km to the east of Nyons). The village is home to various shops, and festivities are usually organised during the summer period.
- » Leisure activities : The land of sunshine and amazing flavors, the provençale Baronnies massif is good living personified where you can enjoy outdoor activities in the heart of nature while also just lounging around ! Not far from Rosans, you will be able to explore numerous sites : the Saint André de Rosans priory, Saint-Genis mountain, Clavière mountain, the village of Rosans, the geological curiosity « dinosaur eggs » etc. The Saint May canyons, located closeby, house an important colony of vultures (wild vultures, black vultures, bearded vultures, egyptian vultures) that one can observe easily while hiking a trail that offers spectacular panoramic views of the canyon and the massifs of Baronnies. To refresh yourselves, the lake of Rosans is only a ten minute walk away from the village and is a great escape for those looking to relax.
- » Closest train station : Serres (05700). Accessible via the stations Valence TGV, Valence ville, Grenoble, Marseille Saint-Charles, Aix en Provence.
- » Closest airports : Marseille or Lyon.

SJ46 THE 60s IN FRANCE 29/07-19/08 CULT 12 vols 18+

- » Description : For the fifth year, the town of Coulaures will host a international workcamp to help prepare and execute their dance and music festival that welcomes more than a thousand people. This year, the festival will be revisiting the 60s. Yéyé, rock'n roll, t'cha t'cha t'cha, Johnny Hallyday, Sylvie Vartan, Brigitte Bardot, and rythms and melodies from outside of France that might take over - it'll all be at the festival! Come be part of the celebration alongside the village's dynamic team of volunteers! Creativity will be in the spotlight: decorations will be put up, dances will be choreographed, and musical acts will be performed! By organizing your own set of activities with other volunteers and leaders, you'll discover the welcoming spirit of the locals and and the charm of Coulaures' landscape and heritage.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable Cities and Communities.
- » Work : Every afternoon, you will help with the logistics, marketing, and execution of the festival's events and dance performances .
- » Accomodation and food : You will be hosted in the town's reception hall, with acces to showers and a kitchen where you can take turns preparing delicious dishes. Campbeds will be provided for you.
- » Location: Coulaures, 30 km from Périgueux.
- » Leisure activities : Swimming, canoeing, visits to historical and heritage sites, local parties...
- » Closest train station : Thivier (24800), you'll be welcomed Saturday July 29 at the end of the afternoon.
- » Closest airport : Bordeaux

SJ54 A SHARED GARDEN ON THE BASTIDES' ROAD 05/08-27/08 (TBC) RENO/ENVI 15 vols 17+

- » Project : Right on the top of the hill, you will be welcomed by the two impressive towers of Salvagnac's medieval castle, last pieces of their great medieval period, and by the astonishing view from there. It's at the heart of this little village that you will take part in the renovation of the new shared gardens, an initiative led by the community since 2012 et which is very popular among the population. So you will work closely with the local associations whilst learning new skills, and discover intercultural and intergenerational diversity.
- » Work : You will participate in the renovation of the shared gardens, close to the village center, behind a residencial area, and with a beautiful view on the Tarn's countryside. You will clear the piece of land, install a fence and you will restore the roof and the door of a little shack in bricks which will be the future cosy meeting point of the gardeners.
- » Accomodation and food : You will sleep in tents with all amenities next to your place (kitchen and sanitarries). You can also enjoy the local market on Wednesday morning and discover the local products and producers.
- » Location: Salvagnac, 20 km from Gaillac, 35 km from Montauban and 50 km from Toulouse. This village is only a few kilo-

meters from the church of Notre-Dame-du-Bourg, in Rabastens, classified as a world heritage by the UNESCO.

- » Leisures activities : This project will engage you in intercultural, intergenerational and international exchanges in and around Salvagnac. From a close partnership with the local retirement home, a certain number of activities will be organized with them. Local associations and the english group of the village are also expecting your arrival. You will be close to the Tarn river, the leisure base of Castelnaud-de-Montmiral where you can practice canoe and also of the beautiful state-owned forest of La Grésigne, ideal place for walking and wildlife lovers.
- » Closest train station : Rabastens (81800)
- » Closest airport : Toulouse-Blagnac

SJ57 THE CANYONS OF RIOU 09/08-22/08 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Situated in the provençale Baronnies, the mountain of Saint Genis (part of the Garde Colombe village) is a geological formation that is emblematic of the region. The mountain is cut through with magnificent canyons that are crisscrossed by former paths that bear witness to significant activity on this massif that today is dedicated to logging. The site, situated within unspoiled nature, is an amazing place to admire the surrounding landscape and exceptional vegetation.
- » Several supporting walls made from dry-stone were built to open up the paths that wind along the slopes of this site. The proposed workcamp will be focused on the restoration of these supporting walls and the creation of steps, most notably on the trail leading to the former area of the castle. The regional natural park of provençale Baronnies, in partnership with the association Les Villages des Jeunes and the Pôle Randonnée de la Communauté de Communes du Sisteronais Buëch, launched an operation to raise awareness about and highlight the technique of dry stone masonry. Elected officials and residents will be engaged in this operation by helping restoration efforts and promoting the discovery of dry stone built heritage (conferences, visits). The international workcamp is in line with these efforts, and will revolve around the continuation of work that has already been done in 2019.
- » Work : Last year, this site welcomed multiple workcamps : a 2 week long international workcamp and another one open to residents. These workcamps were tasked with 3 different jobs : the removal of the former village's main road, the creation of a stone wall at the entrance of the site, and the removal of the dry-stone floor located in the church's square. This first year allowed the issues related to dry-stone as well as the site to be highlighted in front of elected officials, residents, and tourists. This year, you will continue the work undertaken last year and will be supervised by a professional in dry-stone masonry. A day's work is expected to last 6 hours, and the organisation of the days will be discussed and decided on by the group. The pedagogical objective of this workcamp is to discover a traditional construction technique that only required materials are stones cleared from fields intended for agriculture, or those that are recovered from former buildings. Theoretical, historical, and practical approaches will be shared.
- » Accommodation and food : You will be housed in tents on the « Les Cigales » campground on the Garde Colombe village, a dozen kilometers from the workcamp site. A facilitating team will be present to help with the organisation of collective life during the two weeks of the camp : planning housekeeping tasks, developing menus and preparing meals alternately, organizing recreational activities and outings etc. The purchase of local products will be prioritized, and everyone will come with their own ideas, talents, and tips and tricks to help prepare meals.
- » Location : Garde Colombe is located in the South of France, between the Alps and Haute Provence (20 km north of Sisteron). It is located in the Buëch valley in the heart of the medium mountains. It has several shops and organizes festivities during the summer period, notably on the site of the Riou lake.
- » Leisure activities : The land of sunshine and amazing flavors, the provençale Baronnies massif is good living personified where you can enjoy outdoor activities in the heart of nature while also just lounging around ! Rich in natural heritage with agriculture that has adapted to the mediterranean climate within the mountains, the provençale Baronnies are known for their aromatic and medicinal plants : wild thyme, rosemary, lavender. In close proximity to Garde Colombe, you'll be able to explore numerous sites : the medieval village and the rockclimbing sites of Orpierre, the Sisteron citadelle, the Clausonne abbey... you'll also be able to take advantage of the many outdoor activities that one can practice in provençale Baronnies : hiking of all levels, rock climbing, VTT, and swimming.
- » Closest train stations : Serres or Laragne-Montéglin (05700). Accessible via the stations Valence TGV, Valence city, Grenoble, Marseille Saint-Charles, Aix en Provence.
- » Closest airports: Lyon or Marseille

SJ58 MYSTERY AT LA MÈRE EGLISE 10/08-30/08 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Come discover « La Mère-Eglise », one of the most ancient chapels of the Hautes-Alpes ! Each summer, the stones under the arches vibrate with the songs of musicians that have come far and wide for the Festival of Music in Dévoluy. Built in the Romanesque style, the church is situated on the commune of Saint Disdier in the massif of Dévoluy (Hautes-Alpes).
- » Classified as a historic monument in 1927, Mère-Eglise was constructed by Clusien monks. Its stone bell tower and its thatched roof is what gives the church its characteristic charm, and inside one can find magnificent frescos. Since 2017, international workcamps have gathered at this idyllic site in order to continue the upgrade and protection of the walls below the church.

- » Work : Do you want to learn ancient masonry techniques ? How to use ancient and ecological materials ? This year, we'll continue the work on the stone walls close to the church. These walls were without a doubt were used as a weapons room, and our aim will be conserving and protecting them. All this will be accomplished with the help of a technical supervisor who'll be there to share their knowledge. Warning, you'll be toning up your arms ! You'll spend around 30h per week working. Evenings and weekends are free for the activities that you'll choose to organise together.
- » Accommodation and food : Under tents on the « Les Auches » campground in Saint Etienne in Dévoluy, situated in the heart of the Dévoluy massif. On the campsite, you'll have a peaceful stay in a mountainous setting with exceptional greenery. You'll have access to amenities like sanitary facilities, a barbecue, a bocce ball court, and WIFI at times. We will install a large kitchen tent in order to make our meals. You'll take turns cooking, that way we'll be able to taste a number of different specialties ! Here, we pay attention to what we eat, and to reduce our impact on the planet, we try to eat a maximum of local products and we limit eating meat to twice a week. Community life will be organised together : organization of menus, grocery shopping, activities, etc.
- » Location : The workcamp will take place on the surrounding hills of the small village St. Disdier in Dévoluy, around 15 minutes away from the campsite which is in the village St Etienne in Dévoluy with its small neighborhood shops. The main city, Veynes, is about 30km away. Grocery shopping, which will be conducted once or twice a week, will be organised using our vehicles.
- » Leisure activities : You will be in an exceptional location to discover the joys of hiking among the mountains, its rivers, its lakes, the farmers markets, and festive events organized in the surrounding villages (depending on programming). As a group, you'll decide the activities and outings that you'll want to set up (subject to distance).
- » Closest train station : Veynes Dévoluy (05400) – Accessible via the stations Valence TGV, Valence city, Grenoble, Marseille Saint-Charles.
- » Closest airport: Lyon or Marseille.

SJ62 IMMERSION AT THE ROCHARD LODGE 15/08-01/09 RENO 9 vols 18+

- » Project: Rochard is a former farm that has been transformed into a rustic lodge by an association that welcomes groups of children, hikers, and campers into their yurts. The lodge is located in Béceleuf, a small village close to Marais Poitevin, 70km from the Atlantic ocean, between Nantes and Bordeaux. The venue, surrounded by nature, encourages respect for the environment and a sustainable developmental approach. Thus, different projects were executed by the association Camping-Club des Deux-Sèvres through previous international workcamps, which include the construction of a pool with a phyto-purification system, and dry toilets suitable for communities. This association is a loyal partner of the association Maison des Bateleurs-Solidarités Jeunesses, and in 2019 celebrated its 12th international workcamp!
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable Cities and Communities.
- » Work: This year, the objective of the workcamp will be to continue the restoration of the lodge and most notably to produce new amenities (restoration room, stairs, loft, etc.) Techniques related to traditional masonry, painting, and woodwork will be shared with you. These activities will be accomplished under the guidance of the association's experienced technical supervisors that have volunteered.
- » Accommodation and food: Communal, under a yurt next to the lodge! Food will be provided for you and meals will be prepared alternately by participants as needed.
- » Location: Béceleuf, department of Deux-Sèvres, 20km north of Niort
- » Leisure activities: Excursions into the region and activities with residents will be organized in order to have time dedicated to intercultural exchange. You will have the opportunity to conduct visits to Marais Poitevin, artistic expositions, concerts, festivals, the pool, the museum, while also have outings to the ocean, Rochelle, Poitiers, Niort, etc.
- » Closest train station: Niort (79000)
- » Closest airport: Paris or Bordeaux.

SJ64 THE MERCANTOUR SILVER MINE 2 16/08-29/08 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: You will participate in the restoration of a site that is a striking example of a remarkably well conserved piece of historical and geological heritage, and that's one of the most important mines in the Alps. The Vallauria mine was exploited for its galena (silver-bearing lead), and blend (zinc based mineral) from the Middle Ages until 1930. Since 2011, volunteers have been reviving the accessibility to this site, both above and belowground. And since 2009, archaeological digs have also been taking place at the site. Your goal with this project will be to help open this medieval mine to the public.
- » Work: You will work underground to build stone walls using traditional techniques, and help evacuate the stones that are heaped within the room of the large vault. You will be working four days per week from 08:30 to 12:00 and 14:00 to 17:30 and will be accompanied by a technical supervisor.
- » Accommodation and food: You'll live in a room with 6 other volunteers. Each room will have its own bathroom. Meals are prepared by our kitchen staff, you'll be asked to lend a hand with the preparation of some food, tidying the dining area, and washing the dishes.

- » Location: Tende (06430) - 2 hours from Nice by train. The organisation "Neige et Merveilles" is located at an altitude of 1.500 metres in an isolated mountainous area, 10 km from the closest village of Tende, and 50 km from Vintimille (Italy).
- » Leisure activities: You'll have the opportunity to explore the regional mountainous environment and participate in sporting activities, a hiking/ guided tour in the "Vallée des Merveilles" in the Mercantour National Park, visit local villages (Tende, La Brigue, Saorge), try out via ferrata and ziplining, and in the evenings enjoy dances, photo-video sessions, stargazing, board games, barbecue, international meals etc.
- » Closest train station: Tende (06430)
- » Closest airport: Nice
- » Note: You will work underground, and you'll have to carry stones and buckets of mortar.

SJ65 A NEW ROOF FOR THE MERVEILLES 16/08-29/08 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: Neige et Merveilles is a preserved site rich in natural, archaeological, mineral, and cultural treasures. This site, having survived a long period of exploitative mining, has housed the association Neige et Merveilles for sixty years. Today, it's a place of welcoming, exchange, and discovery in service of cultural tourism, which is at the heart of the association Neige et Merveilles. You will be a part of the 4th session of a renovation project that started 3 years ago.
- » Work: You will participate in renovating a building that houses a multipurpose room reserved for conferences and events, as well as a library. You'll replace the existing roofing and insulate the new roof while double glazing windows to improve the building's energy performance. You will be working four days a week from 08:30 to 12:00 and 14:00 to 17:30 while accompanied by a technical supervisor.
- » Accommodation and food: You'll live in a room with 6 other volunteers. Each room will have its own bathroom. Meals are prepared by our kitchen staff, you'll be asked to lend a hand with the preparation of some food, tidying the dining area, and washing the dishes.
- » Location: Tende (06430) - 2 hours from Nice by train. The organisation "Neige et Merveilles" is located at an altitude of 1.500 metres in an isolated mountainous area, 10 km from the Closest village of Tende, and 50 km from Vintimille (Italy).
- » Leisure activities: You'll have the opportunity to explore the regional mountainous environment and participate in sporting activities, a hiking/ guided tour in the "Vallée des Merveilles" in the Mercantour National Park, visit local villages (Tende, La Brigue, Saorge), try out via ferrata and ziplining, and in the evenings enjoy dances, photo-video sessions, stargazing, board games, barbecue, international meals etc.
- » Note: Possibility of working on scaffolding; low height.
- » Closest train station: Tende (06430)
- » Closest airport: Nice

SJ66 SAINT PIERRE WASH HOUSE 02/09-23/09 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: Every year, by hosting volunteers and international work camps, this town of 3000 residents works toward the restoration of its heritage and contributes to the promotion of intercultural exchange. In fact, Montendre is home to one of the international centers of Solidarités Jeunesses: La Maison Des Bateleurs, to preserve and enhance its historical heritage and identity. Each year for the past ten years now, the town sets up an international work camp around its castle. This year however, the town wishes to bring new life to its wash house: the washhouse of St Pierre, a couple steps away from the host center La Maison Des Bateleurs.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable Cities and Communities.
- » Work: You will be involved in the restoration of the washhouse while accompanied by two technical leaders. The objective will be to carry out traditional masonry work: to disassemble, dig up, and re-join the existing stone work with lime mortar . You'll also be engaged in roofing to refurbish the existing roof which is in very poor condition, as well as do some finishing of the interior space.
- » Accommodation and food: Accommodation will be in dormitories at the host center La Maison des Bateleurs. Food will be provided, and the meals will be prepared alternately by participants.
- » Location: Montendre, Charente maritime 65kms from Bordeaux
- » Leisure activities: You'll have the opportunity to participate in national heritage days, visits of the region organised collectively according to yours wants, excursions to the ocean, museums etc. Activities with the house volunteers will be organised, such as pizza parties and movie nights. You will also be able to discover how a dynamic association like Solidarités Jeunesses functions, and have the chance to share the richness of your culture with the residents of the associations of Montendre.
- » Closest train station: Montendre (17130)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux

SJ68 THE WITCH'S CLAWS OF LEUCATE 05/09-26/09 ENVI 10 vols 18+

- » Project: Forget bubbling cauldrons and magic wands, the witches we're dealing with here are a much realer and more dangerous threat, that of an invasive plant species known as the "witch's claws". This workcamp will take place in Leucate, a «Natura 2000» area, that is an area recognized and protected by the European Union for the quality and uniqueness of its environment. For many years now, the city and the syndicate "Rivage", in charge of the preservation of this environment, have organized an international workcamp at the end of the summer to participate in the protection of the area.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable cities and communities.
- » Work: The participants will continue the work accomplish in previous years to fight against this invasive species. This plant grows on sandy soil, and is covering the space needed by migrating birds to nest. In order to for these protected species of birds to be able to nest in their traditional environment, participants will support this struggle for a more sustainable environment.
- » Accommodation and food: You'll live in a guesthouse in Saint-Laurent de la Salanque, and transportation will be provided to reach the work area around Leucate's pond. Food will be provided, and meals will be prepared in turns by the participants.
- » Location: Leucate.
- » Leisure activities: This project will take place in an seaside area popular with tourists during the summer holidays. At the time of the workcamp however, most of the tourists will have already left and volunteers will be free to enjoy the numerous activities available without being overcrowded. Additionally, the local partner association is excellent at proposing various activities that will immerse you in the local culture and heritage, most notably local cuisine! Participants will also be engaged in the organization and the celebration of a local cultural and ecological festival.
- » Closest train station: Leucate - La Franqui Train Station.
- » Closest airport: Montpellier.

SJ69 THE REAL STORY BEHIND ARZELIERS CASTLE 06/09-19/09 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project : At the gates of the provençale Baronnie, the site of Arzeliers lies perched on a small mountain where one can marvel at a beautiful view of the Durance valley. This former village that today is in ruins is the birthplace of the Laragne commune. There, we can still find the remnants of a chapel as well as the ruins of several homes. For some years now, the commune of Laragne has mobilized to bring the ruins of the Arzeliers castle, a witness to the rich past of these communities, back to life by upgrading and maintaining it. Since 2013, international workcamps of young volunteers have been organized for this purpose.
- » Work : Do you want to learn ancient masonry techniques ? How to use ancient and ecological materials ? This year, we will continue to work on protecting former homes in close proximity to the castle. With the aim of preserving this heritage and its remains, we will use the same materials used at the time, namely, plaster. We will collect the gypsum on site, and cook it (thanks to an oven built on location), in order to reuse it in the masonry. All of this will be accomplished with the help of a technical supervisor who will be there to share their knowledge ! Warning, this will tone up your arms ! You'll work for 30h a week. We will use a scaffold at times for work at heights. Evenings and weekends are free for activities the you will choose to organise together.
- » Accommodation and food : You'll be living under tents on the « Montéglin » campgrounds in Laragne, a small town steeped in history and typically provençal. On the campgrounds, you will have access to amenities like sanitary facilities, a barbecue, a pool, a bocce ball court, a bar, a restaurant, and WIFI. We will install a large kitchen tent in order to prepare our meals. You'll take turns cooking, that way we'll be able to taste a number of different specialties ! Here, we pay attention to what we eat, and to reduce our impact on the planet, we try to eat a maximum of local products and we limit eating meat to twice a week. Community life will be organised together : organization of menus, grocery shopping, activities, etc.
- » Location : The small town of Laragne is a welcoming town with all kinds of shops (10km from Sisteron and 40km from Gap).
- » Leisure activities : You will be in an exceptional location to discover the joys of hiking among the mountains, its rivers, its lakes, the farmers markets, and festive events organized in the surround villages (depending on programming). As a group, you'll decide the activities and outings that you'll want to set up (subject to distance).
- » Closest train station : Laragne Montéglin (05300)
- » Closest airports: Lyon or Marseille.

SJ70 BETWEEN VINEYARDS AND ALMOND TREES 06/09-19/09 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Join us in the heart of the provençale Baronnie, between Alps and Provence, in the village of Moydens. The air there is so pure that a huge observatory was installed ! Under the village lies a path that Henri IV was said to have used as a very practical passageway to get him from Italy to Spain. This path passes below the village and rejoins the trail of Vignes (vineyard in English). The trail is currently neglected and is lined by supporting walls that are degrading. The objective of this workcamp is to restore these supporting walls to bring visibility back to this path and its surrounding agricultural landscape.
- » The regional natural park of the provençale Baronnie, in partnership with the association Les Villages des Jeunes and the Pôle Randonnée de la Communauté de Communes du Sisteronais Buëch, launched an operation to raise awareness about, and highlight the technique of dry stone masonry. Elected officials and residents will be engaged in this operation by helping restoration efforts and promoting the discovery of dry stone built heritage (conferences, visits). The international workcamp is in line with these efforts, and will revolve around the continuation of work that has already been done in 2019.
- » Work : The land that was once cultivated is now wild and abandoned, but the trails that are visible in the landscape offer a magnificent view of the agricultural scenery and the surrounding mountains. It's along this path that you will discover the technique of dry stone masonry through the restoration of the supporting walls (disassembly, earthwork, resuming construction). This workcamp will be supervised by a professional in dry-stone masonry. A day's work is expected to last 6 hours, and the organisation of the days will be discussed and decided on by the group of participants. The pedagogical objective of this workcamp is to discover a traditional construction technique whose only required materials are stones cleared from fields intended for agriculture, or those recovered from former buildings. Theoretical, historical, and practical approaches will be shared.
- » Accommodation and food : You will be housed in tents on private land on the Moydens highlands, along with private access to a communal lounge that is fully furnished and equipped (kitchen, dining room, relaxation room, sanitary facilities). A facilitating team will be present to accompany the participants in the organisation of collective life during the two weeks of the camp : planning housekeeping tasks, developing menus and preparing meals alternately, organizing recreational activities and outings. The purchase of local products will be prioritized, and everyone will come with their own ideas, talents, and tips and tricks to help prepare the meals.
- » Location : Moydens is situated in the south of France, between the Alps and Haute Provence. It lies within 15 km of Serres that offers all the necessary services and shops.
- » Leisure activities : The land of sunshine and amazing flavors, the provençale Baronnie massif is good living personified where you can enjoy outdoor activities in the heart of nature while also just lounging around ! Not far from Moydens, you will be able to explore numerous sites : the Saint André de Rosans priory, Saint-Genis mountain, Clavière mountain, the village of Rosans, the geological curiosity « dinosaur eggs » etc. The Saint May canyons, located closeby, house an important colony of vultures (wild vultures, black vultures, bearded vultures, egyptian vultures) that one can observe easily while hiking a trail that offers spectacular panoramic views of the canyon and the massifs of Baronnie.
- » Closest train station : SERRES (05700). Accessible via the stations Valence TGV, Valence ville, Grenoble, Marseille Saint-Charles, Aix en Provence.
- » Closest airports : Marseille or Lyon.

SJ71 LET'S BUILD A WALL FOR THE SCHOOL 09/09-30/09 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Saint-Genis-De-Saintonge is a municipality in the southwest of France, situated in the heart of the charentaise countryside in close to the "Lalande" forest, and not far from the Gironde estuary. This municipality is an historical partner of the association with whom we realized the first workcamps within the Charente-Maritime territory in 1996. After not having had a project in the territory for the past dozen years, the community wants to experience the intercultural dynamism generated by the workcamps and use it to renovate the municipality's academic institution.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable cities and communities.
- » Work: Supervised by two technical advisors specialised in masonry, you will continue the work undertaken last year to restore a wall at the entrance of the Collège de Saint-Genis-De-Saintonge. To start, you'll have to take down the part of the wall that's in very poor condition. Then, you'll have the task of gathering reusable stones to put a new wall in place using traditional techniques.
- » Accommodation and food: Communal, in mixed dormitories with all amenities available (sanitary facilities, kitchens, etc.). Food will be provided for you, and meals will be prepared alternately by participants.
- » Location : Saint-Genis-De-Saintonge, 80km from Bordeaux, Charente-Maritime.
- » Leisure activities: The goal will be to exchange the richness of your cultures with that of the residents and associations of the territory. Excursions throughout the region will be organized collectively according to your wants (visits, the ocean, museums, etc.). You'll also have the opportunity to discover cities like St Emilion, Bordeaux, La Rochelle etc, and your free time is a great time to prioritize meeting the locals of the area, especially the middle school students, who can't wait to

see you!

- » Location: Saint-Genis-De-Saintonge, 80km de Bordeaux, Charente-Maritime.
- » Closest train station : Jonzac (17500)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux-Mérignac

SJ72 THE VAUBAN FORT OF FOURAS 09/09-30/09 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project: Located at the mouth of the Charente river, the Fouras peninsula is home to 3 ports and 5 beaches on the Atlantic coast. In an idyllic setting with a view of Fort Boyard, the workcamp will be focused on the renovation of Fort Vauban, also known as Fort Sémaphore, that is actually the fortified medieval castle of Fouras. It protected the city from potential invasion of enemies should they choose to disembark by boat from the sea. The fort is surrounded by 17th century fortifications: platforms, curtains, and a massive tower. This workcamp is in line with the partnership established between Solidarités Jeunesses and the municipality of Fouras (for the past 5 years), and its desire to continue local developmental actions (including the renovation of le Fort de l'Aiguille) through the intercultural dynamic offered by workcamps of young volunteers.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable cities and communities.
- » Work: You will work on the restoration of a portion of Fort Vauban, namely the northern facade. Accompanied by a technical supervisor, you will begin by having to remove vegetation from the facade, followed by disassembling the facade and re-grouting it with lime mortar. Other traditional masonry work and resizing of stones is anticipated, which will familiarize you with those techniques.
- » Accommodation and food: Communal, under tents on the Fouras campground (pool, multi-sport space, WIFI, snacks, etc.) Food will be provided and meals will be prepared alternately by participants.
- » Location: Fouras-les-Bains, Charente-Maritime, 20km from La Rochelle
- » Leisure activities: You can take advantage of everything living by the ocean has to offer! Fishing, sailing with local clubs, biking along the water, and of course relaxing on the beach are just some of the things you can spend your free time enjoying. You can also visit nearby forts and museums as well as cities like La Rochelle and Rochefort, and your free time is a perfect opportunity to meet the locals!
- » Closest train station: Rochefort (17300)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux

SJ73 CASTLE, HEART, AND LEGS 12/09 - 03/10 CULT 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Whether you are an athlete or a dreamer, this workcamp will have a little something for everybody : the fantasy of castle life by maintaining and renovating a castle's estate, and the sport and care necessary to organize a charity hike! Rochefort, in the heart of Auvergne, is a town named after the rock on which a medieval castle was built. This XIth century feudal monument looms over the village where 100 residents live. Every year, the village of Rochefort puts on a festive charity event sponsored by the regional newspaper. The « Virade du journal » consists of 3 hiking trails that aim to raise awareness and funds in the fight against cystic fibrosis. Come and commit to a project supported by a community proud of its Auvergne identity !
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°15 from the United Nations: Life on Land.
- » Work: There are two sides to this project. One, will be the enhancement of local heritage through important work maintaining the site and the castle's remains : clearing and cleaning work, building of dry stone walls, upgrading hiking paths. This enhancement will also include various tasks to maintain and develop communal spaces in the old town. The second project will be assisting with a local charity hike: preparing, organising and helping during the event.
- » Accomodation and food : You will live in a former presbytery, redesigned to host groups, with showers and toilets. Food is provided, and meals will be prepared by the volunteers themselves in turns. You will cook in the kitchen and eat in an indoor dining room.
- » Location : Rochefort, Auvergne. Famous for its volcano chanel, hikes, green landscapes, and rocky paths.
- » Leisure activities : The activities during afternoons and weekends are organised collectively with the whole group. You will have the opportunity to visit the closest cities, discover surrounding hills, enjoy the festivities in local villages etc. The region offers a lot of mountain activities : hiking, walking, lakes, etc. and historic sites to visit.
- » Closest train station: Rochefort Montagne (63210)
- » Closest airport: Lyon Saint Exupery.

SJ74 FORT LIEDOT ON AIX ISLAND 28/09-19/10 RENO/CULT 12 vols 18+

- » Project: The island of Aix is a small pedestrian island in the Atlantic. Heavily marked by its eventful seafaring past, this island houses many places steeped in history, most notably Fort Liébot constructed by Vauban which is classified as a historical monument. The island of Aix is a loyal partner of the association Maison des Bateleurs – Solidarités Jeunesses, for several years it's hosted international workcamps that focus on the renovation of different sites that are a significant part of the island's heritage (batteries, forts). The fort Liédot has 3 wall walks, but today, only one is secure enough to be visited by residents and tourists, due to previous work. The objective is to be able to open the Fort completely to visitors.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable cities and communities.
- » Work: You will continue the restoration work being done of Fort Liédot. The workcamp will consist of removing vegetation from a part of the fort in order to start masonry work. You'll then have to degROUT the stones before regrouting them with lime mortar. The technical supervisor will share traditional masonry techniques with you that are identical to those used during the original construction of Fort Liédot. You'll also need to monitor the state of the stone walls, repair the stones that are in poor condition, and replace or strengthen them.
- » Accommodation and food: Communal living in the buildings of a former summer camp at the center of the village. Food will be provided to you, and meals will be prepared alternately by participants.
- » Location: In the middle of the sea, 20km from Rochefort-sur-Mer, Charente-Maritime.
- » Leisure activities: On the Island of Aix, you can take advantage of everything living by the ocean has to offer! Fishing, sailing with local clubs, biking along the water, and of course relaxing on the beach are just some of the things you can spend your free time enjoying. You can also visit nearby forts and museums, as well as cities like La Rochelle and Rochefort, and your free time is a perfect opportunity to meet the locals!
- » Closest train station: Rochefort (17300)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux.

VOLUNTEERING TEAMS (EUROPEAN SOLIDARITY CORPS)

These projects are supported by the program European Solidarity Corps for young people between 18 and 30 years. It is open to all the EU and partner neighboring countries that fit the ESC criteria. The participation to the ESC volunteering teams is subjects to several principles and conditions, presented on the ESC webpage:

https://europa.eu/youth/solidarity/mission_en

- Volunteers do not have to pay any fee (no sending, nor participation fee) to attend the projects
- Volunteers need to enrol in the PASS, the European Solidarity Corps Portal ; SJ will organize their matching in the portal with the volunteering project;
- Volunteers will receive pocket money, calculated on basis of 6€/day, once they arrive on the projects
- Volunteers will receive a financial support for their travel, according to a maximum amount established in accordance with their travel distance and upon the presentation of original tickets;
- Volunteers will have to complete a participation report, submitted online through the portal.

SJ/ESC11 TRACING THE STEPS OF THE DUKE OF LESDIGUIERES 29/06-19/07 RENO 11 vols 18-30

- » Project: Do you want to participate in the protection of a historic site in the heart of idyllic mountain landscapes? Join us and come discover the castle of Lesdiguières and its natural setting at an altitude of 1140 metres!
- » The Duke of Lesdiguières, the last Constable of France, is a military figure known for his participation in the Wars of Religion and for his involvement in the construction and development of roads, bridges and dikes against flooding in the region. He had this castle built between 1571 and 1580, which was abandoned after his death. It was looted during the French Revolution. The castle is listed in the supplementary inventory of Historic Monuments in 1978. In 2000, the «Château de Lesdiguières» association was created with the aim of safeguarding the historical, architectural and cultural memory of the building. Since 2010, the various works that we have been organising on this site are aimed at securing and reinforcing the existing walls, but also at enhancing its value.
- » Work: Since 2018, we have been working on the reinforcement of the masonry of an escarpment wall (defence wall). With time and bad weather, this wall has suffered some damage and its stones are coming loose. With the help of the technical supervisor, we will work with old techniques and materials (such as lime). At certain times, we will work at height, using scaffolding. You will work around 30 hours per week.
- » Accommodation and food: In tents at the «La Pra» campsite in Saint Firmin, located at the entrance to the Valgaudemar valley. On the campsite, you will spend a quiet stay in a mountainous and exceptional green setting. You will have access to facilities such as toilets, barbecue, petanque ground, WIFI. We will set up a large kitchen tent in order to prepare our meals. The preparation of the meals is done in turn, so that you can taste several specialities! Here, we pay attention to what we eat, to reduce our impact on the planet, we try to eat a maximum of local products and we eat meat twice a week. Collective life is organized together: organization of menus, shopping, activities, etc.
- » Location: The workcamp is located in the village of Glaizil and the campsite in the village of St Firmin (about 20 min by car). In the village of Saint Firmin there are some small shops and we are about 15 km from Saint Bonnet en Champsaur and 30 km from Gap. Once or twice a week, we organize with our vehicles some shopping outings!
- » Leisure activities: In the heart of the Ecrins National Park, between the Valgaudemar, Champsaur and Dévoluy valleys. Your eyes will never cease to be amazed by this exceptional environment! You can discover the pleasures of hiking in the mountains, its rivers and lakes, farmers' and producers' markets, and festive evenings organised in the surrounding villages (depending on the programme). As a group, you will decide which activities and discovery outings you wish to organise (subject to distance).
- » Closest train station: Gap (05000). We will meet you at the station between 4pm and 6pm.
- » Closest airports: Marseille or Lyon.

SJ/ESC16 BACK TO THE FUTURE 04/07-25/07 RENO 12 vols 18+

- » Project : Do you want to travel back in time for 3 weeks ? Discover trades of the past ? Do you want to reconnet with nature, endless open fields, and core values? Come to Sorbier ! This village is home to the perfect project for you : together with a group of internaitonal volunteers, you will take part in the creation of an outdoor museum that will showcase ancient trades of the countryside and will host a permanant exhibition of engines and tools that were used by our ancestors!
- » Led by a team from city hall, this project brings together local residents to celebrate the village's heritage. The people of Sorbier will be thrilled to welcome you, share ancient working methods and techniques, and introduce you to their way of life !
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°15 from the United Nations: Life on Land.
- » Work : You'll have various tasks to accomplish including : fixing pieces for the museum (cleaning, painting, etc.), preparing the field to host the outdoor exhibition (cleaning, leveling, laying gravels, etc.), building and setting up sheds / shelters (carpentry and small frame), protecting the site (fence), and creating signs and scenography.
- » Accomodation and food :The group will stay in tents with access to showers and dry toilets. Food will be provided by the organization, and volunteers will cook in teams. Meals will be had under a large tent, or in the castle in case of rainy days.

Volunteers will have at their disposal a fully equipped kitchen and two activity rooms.

- » Attention ! For this project, you will bike your way to work. The road is quite flat, so though it's necessary to know how to ride a bike, the ride will not be strenuous!
- » Location : Sorbier is a small village in Auvergne Rhone Alpes region in the Allier department. Surrounded by trees, it's the perfect place for people who love hiking, with amazing views of historical monuments typical of our region ! The name « sorbier » comes from the small trees that one can see dotting the landscape.
- » Leisure activities : Afternoons and weekends are collectively planned with the whole group. If you like spending time in the city, Moulins and Vichy are located around 40 kms away. If you're more of the countryside type, don't hesitate to discover the region on foot or by bike, explore the banks of the canals, swim, and take advantage of local festivities and cultural events.
- » Closest train station: Moulins-sur-Allier train station (03000)
- » Closest airport: Lyon Saint Exupery.

SJ/ESC34 ROOF & ROLL 1 08/07-27/07 ENVI/RENO 12 vols 18-30

- » Project : Participating in eco-construction work on a mountain cottage at the heart of an idyllic mountain landscape, that sound interesting ? Joins us and come discover the Hameau de Vaunières and its natural setting at 1173 meters above sea level ! Vaunières, a hamlet unlike any other ! Lost at the end of the valley of Buëch, at the heart of the Hautes Alpes, the association Les Villages des Jeunes has managed, organized, and renovated the welcome center of Vaunières since 1964 ! Vaunières is a former small mountain village that today has become a launching pad for local youth and adults, but it's also a venue that hosts French and international volunteers. Vaunières is a vacation destination for many families, tourists, and constituent groups who come to take advantage of the calm mountain atmosphere and the dynamics of the environment. The workcamps that we organise at Vaunières with volunteers from all countries, allow us to reinforce the cultural diversity of our engagement and make this site a place that's open to the world, where people of all ages and of all social and cultural backgrounds agree to meet each other and work together while participating in life within a community. We hope that you too, a volunteer from France or abroad, will come with this spirit of openness and collaboration that fuels our project !
- » Work : Since 2019, we've worked on the renoovation of the cottages that have been abandoned for the past 20 years. This year we're continuing this work, but focusing on taking care of the cottages' framework, roofing, and insulation. All with eco- materials. With the help of a technical supervisor, we'll work with wood, and you'll become familiar with framing and ecological insulation work. Warning, work will sometimes be conducted at heights (scaffolding). The time spent at the worksite will be around 30h per week.
- » Accommodation and food : Housing will be in individual tents, that we furnish and provide mattresses for, on the campgrounds of the hamlet of Vaunières. The campgrounds have access to showers, restrooms, and the kitchen. There's no WIFI, but you'll be able to meet people from all over the world ! You'll take turns cooking, that way we'll be able to taste a number of different specialties ! Here, we pay attention to what we eat, and to reduce our impact on the planet, we try to eat a maximum of local products and we limit eating meat to twice a week. Community life will be organised together : organization of menus, grocery shopping, activities, etc.
- » Location : Le Hameau de Vaunières, 6km from the village St Julien en Beauchêne, is 23km away from the main city, Veynes. Grocery shopping, which will be conducted once or twice a week, will be organised using our vehicles.
- » Leisure activities : You will be in an exceptional location to discover the joys of hiking among the mountains, its rivers, its lakes, the farmers markets, and festive events organized in the surround villages (depending on programming). As a group, you'll decide the activities and outings that you want to set up (subject to distance). Once a week, the welcome center generally organises an evening of music with homemade woodfired pizzas.
- » Closest train station : Lus-La-Croix-Haute (26620)
- » Closest airports: Lyon or Marseille.

SJ/ESC41 BETHE CHANGE, NOW! 25/07-15/08 RENO 12 vols 18-30

- » Project : Leave the world of consumerist fashion and work with local associations that value human interaction - that is the goal of this project. At the heart of your work will be discovering different ways of mobilizing and acting so that the human aspect is always put first. The association MJRC will host a group of 12 international volunteers on its premises. The association is focused on the local rural youth and serves as an opening to a new world. Come and get involved in the territory and change society with the leaders of this project. They are waiting for you!
- » Work: You'll become familiar with stonecutting and traditional masonry techniques and repair the walls that surround the association's premises. You'll also participate in daily tasks along with other volunteers (cooking, housework, activities). Time spent constructing on the worksite is expected to take 6h.
- » Location : Combeaufontaine, a village in the Haute-Saône departement, 10 min from Vesoul.
- » Leisure activities : You'll have the opportunity to go out and discover the region and meet the different associations that are involved in ecological work and promoting interpersonal opportunities and access to culture for everyone.
- » Accomodation and food: You'll be living under tents (on floor mats) (2 to 3 people max) in the stadium that is 3 minutes

by foot from the worksite and where you'll be spending your days. Food will be provided, and you'll organize menus and prepare meals alternately yourselves while accompanied by team leaders. We'll also organize frequent meals at local residents' homes, which will allow you to spend time with them while discovering local specialities.

- » Closest train station: Vesoul (70000). We'll meet at 6pm at the train station.
- » Closest airports: Paris or Basel in Switzerland.

SJ/ESC55 A SECOND LIFE FOR THE WATER MILL 05/08-26/08 RENO 12 vols 18-30

- » Project: The Sèvre Niortaise is a small river that for a longtime powered the mills of Deux-Sèvres, notably in the villages of Saint-Maixent and La Crèche. Today, as part of the historical heritage of the villages, the preservation of these mills, which are public utilities, is essential in order to preserve their utility, highlight them, and allow the public to access them. In the case of this project, Maison des Bateleurs – Solidarités Jeunesses will work in partnership with the association Syndicale Libre des Riverains de la Sèvre Niortaise (that coordinates the hydraulic activity of 35 mills), an association with whom we've already executed two workcamps (2014-2018) surrounding the restoration of mills within the territory. The association also has an advising role alongside the owners of the mills to recommend strategies to manage natural heritage.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°6 from the United Nations: Clean water and sanitation.
- » Work: Accompanied by the sound of rushing water, this workcamp will consist of maintaining and restoring the facilities of a Sèvre Niortaise mill: the Bellot water mill. You will intervene by repairing the walls and siding of the roadways by sealing the stones between them. Traditional masonry techniques, like how to work with lime and clay, will be shared with you by the association's volunteers. You will be supervised and accompanied by the owners of the mills during the entirety of the workcamp. You'll also have the opportunity to discover techniques related to hydraulic systems. Moreover, you will have a workshop on how to renovate the wheel which is used for the operation of the mill and then, you will paint it.
- » Accommodation and food: Communal, on campgrounds, under tents. Food will be provided for you and meals will be prepared alternately by participants.
- » Location: Saint-Maixent, department of Deux-Sèvres, 20km north of Niort.
- » Leisure activities: The goal will be to exchange the richness of your cultures with the residents and associations of the territory. Excursions throughout the region will be organized collectively according to your wants (visits, the ocean, museums, etc.) You'll also have the opportunity to conduct visits to Marais Poitevin, artistic expositions, etc., but also to La Rochelle, Poitiers, Noirt...
- » Closest Train Stations : Niort (79000)
- » Closest airports: Paris or Bordeaux.
- » Note: You will work with your feet in the water, bring suitable boots and clothing !

SJ/ESC67 SAINT-PIERRE CHURCH 05/09-26/09 RENO 12 vols 18-30

- » Project: The town of La Ferté-Alais is located in the Gâtinais regional natural park in the valley of the Essonne river. Having had many experiences in the past hosting international workcamps, La Ferté-Alais is very committed to these projects that celebrate the local heritage, engage the local youth, and inject some vibrancy into the community. Saint-Pierre church is an old chapel located in the town center. While some international workcamps have already worked on the renovation of the church and its surroundings, the town wishes to continue renovation this year.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations: Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: During this workcamp, you will build a wall around part of the courtyard that sits behind the church. This work will make the access to the courtyard and the church more easily accessible for the local population. You'll learn traditional masonry techniques by using lime mortar.
- » Accommodation and food: You will sleep in collective tents on the international campsite run by the association. Please bring a sleeping bag with you. The campsite has bathrooms and showers accessible, as well as a kitchen. Food will be provided, and meals will be prepared by the volunteers in turns.
- » Location: La Ferté Alais is approximately 50km south of Paris, in the Essonne region. Note-- this project should not be used as a sightseeing trip to Paris. If you wish to visit Paris, you should arrive some days before or reserve dates following the workcamp.
- » Leisure activities: You will have the opportunity to enjoy all that's offered at the association's campsite and discover the cultural and natural heritage of the region, which is part of a natural park. You will also help organise activities to meet and socialize with the local young people. Other leisure activities will be organised collectively depending on the wishes of the group and the available budget.
- » Closest train station: La Ferté Alais RER station.
- » Closest airports: Paris Roissy Charles de Gaulle, Paris Orly and Paris Beauvais.

SJ/ESC75 SAVE A LISTED MONUMENT! 08/09-29/09 RENO 15 vols 18-30

- » Project: Participate in the renovation project of a church classified by the Bâtiments de France (French minister of culture) in a magnificent village on the banks of a river, typical of the South of France! This is where international and French volunteers have chosen to live together and participate in the realisation of a dream: building peace in the world. The challenge is to learn how to live and work together, amongst different people, cultures, and backgrounds. This group of volunteers will host you on their premises for three weeks. Together, you'll experience daily life as a community and participate in renovation work and other activities while experiencing the gentle lifestyle of a typical village in the heart of the French countryside.
- » Travail: This magnificent church that dates back to the Middle Ages was restored, bit by bit, by volunteers and experts in ancient heritage restoration. In 2010, a workcamp put on by the association Citrus already helped to enhance this beautiful site, and this time the task will be to take on an even bigger challenge. We'll need to rescue the annex of the church from the rain and the wind! While supervised by a technical supervisor in roofing, you'll learn all of the key steps: installing a beam, plastering, renovating an old floor, installing cladding... And if there's time left, enhancing the room by resuming work with the original cermaic tiles!
- » Accommodation and food : In a house equipped with large dorms that also serves as a welcoming center for international volunteers during winter. You'll have access to a communal kitchen where you'll take turns preparing meals in teams, as well as access to sanitary facilities (showers and bathrooms). You will be within a 3-minute walking distance of the village center.
- » Location : Laguépie is 100 km Northeast of Toulouse, between Rodez and Mountauban and close to Albi. Laguépie is lucky enough to be crossed by two rivers. The homes of Laguépie sit right on the riverbanks and climb the hills in a picturesque setting overlooked by a castle.
- » Leisure activities : Outside of time spent at the worksite, you'll decide as a group the activities you want to participate in. You'll have the opportunity to attend local festivities (performances, concerts), explore the natural environment and cultural heritage, go swimming or walking, have pizza dinners and game nights, and visit the exceptional medieval villages of Najac, Cordes-sur-ciel, and Saint-Antonin-Noble-Val.
- » Closest train station : Laguépie (82250)
- » Closest airport : Toulouse

TEENAGER WORKCAMPs

The participation fee for teenager workcamps will be 150€ to be paid at least 3 weeks before the workcamp by bank transfer for EU citizens or in cash on arrival for non EU citizens.

SJ/TEEN38 BUILD THE WAY TOGETHER 2 24/07-10/08 CONS/ENVI 15 vols 12-14

- » Project: A fulfilling experience that embraces differences and self-discovery and that teaches teens manual and practical skills. As part of the creation of a center for international volunteers on the premises of the association Citrus, come discover, learn, and share building and gardening techniques in the spirit of working together. Since 2012, the three main buildings of Citrus: the offices, the barn, and the old stone farmhouse, have been located at the old hamlet Mayounelle, surrounded by green fields and a permaculture garden, with a view of the village of Laguépie. While accompanied by dynamic facilitators, you will share working hours, but also many moments of intercultural exchange and meals, with the team and other volunteers, all of whom will be hosted on the camp site.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations: Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: The artistic construction work will consist creating a "calade", a decorative paved work made of small pebbles of different shapes and colors. This calade will be made using «animals» as its motif. You'll be tasked with preparing the support for the calade and sorting the various stones before crafting the images of animals from all over the world. You will also be asked to fix a round perimeter around the giant barbecue in the shape of a compass rose, to complete the design that includes the four directions of the compass. In the garden, the garden shed and its greenhouse will need to be restored by painting, completing minor repairs, and landscaping of the interior space. All these tasks will be broken up by work that also has to be done maintaining the summer vegetables and the chickens. You will be accompanied by technical leaders, you will work in a team five mornings per week. Schedules will be adapted according to the weather conditions.
- » Accommodation and food: In big tents on Citrus' premises, with access to the bathroom and an equipped kitchen. Food will be provided, and meals will be prepared by the volunteers. Team facilitators will be there to help you with the organization of daily life. Decisions about what to eat will be made taking into account participants' preferences and the availability of local and seasonal products.
- » Location: Village of Laguépie, 100 km from North-East of Toulouse, between Albi and Villefranche-de-Rouergue.
- » Leisure activities: Outside of time spent at the workcamp, you can enjoy swimming, stroll around, meet other young people from the workcamp and Laguépie, organize pizza evenings using the bread oven, have game nights, visit exceptional medieval villages such as Najac, Cordes-sur-Ciel, Saint-Antonin-Noble-Val, etc. You will participate in workshops on food that are directly related to the maintenance of the garden, what grows there, and how it's transformed into high quality, local and seasonal food.
- » Closest train station: Laguépie (82250)
- » Closest airport: Toulouse-Blagnac. A pick up will be organized at Toulouse airport in the end of the afternoon. You also have the possibility to be picked up from Laguépie train station.
- » Participation fee: 150€

SJ/TEEN18 RENOVATION AT THE PEDAGOGICAL FARM 1 05/07-18/07 CONS/ENVI 18 vols 15-17

SJ/TEEN33 RENOVATION AT THE PEDAGOGICAL FARM 2 19/07-01/08 CONS/ENVI 18 vols 15-17

- » Project: The town of La Ferté-Alais is located in the Gâtinais regional natural park in the valley of the Essonne river. Having had many experiences in the past hosting international workcamps, La Ferté-Alais is very committed to these projects that celebrate the local heritage, engage the local youth, and inject some vibrancy into the community. Since 2018, in partnership with the town, the association Vir'Volt has run an international hosting site where young people from different countries come to work and live together. This year, the town is welcoming volunteers to come to the local pedagogical farm to help to set up an eco-museum that will showcase old farming equipment. This will also be an opportunity to meet other young people that come to participate in the activities the farm organizes in July.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations: Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: During the workcamp, international, French and local volunteers will take part in different tasks. At the pedagogical farm, you'll learn how to renovate types of old farm machinery and build wooden shelves. You will also build some environmentally friendly installations at the association's hosting center (systems to collect rain water, build furniture out of wooden crates). Through this workcamp, you'll become familiar with wood and construction work.
- » Accommodation and food: You will sleep in communal tents on the international campsite run by the association. Please bring a sleeping bag with you. The campsite has bathrooms and showers accessible, as well as a kitchen. Food will be provided, and meals will be prepared by the volunteers in turns.
- » Location: La Ferté Alais is approximately 50km south of Paris, in the Essonne region. Note-- this project should not be used as a sightseeing trip to Paris. If you wish to visit Paris, you should arrive some days before or reserve dates following the workcamp.
- » Leisure activities: You will have the opportunity to enjoy all that's offered at the association's campsite and discover the

cultural and natural heritage of the region, which is part of a natural park. You will also help organise activities to meet and socialize with the local young people. Other leisure activities will be organised collectively depending on the wishes of the group and the available budget.

- » Closest train station: La Ferté Alais RER station.
- » Closest airports: Paris Roissy Charles de Gaulle, Paris Orly and Paris Beauvais.
- » Participation fee: 150 €

SJ/TEEN20 BUILD THE WAY TOGETHER 1 05/07-20/07 CONS/ENVI 15 vols 15-17

- » Project: A fulfilling experience that embraces differences and self-discovery, and teaches teens manual and practical skills. As part of the creation of a center for international volunteers on the premises of the association Citrus, come discover, learn, and share building and gardening techniques in the spirit of working together. Since 2012, the three main buildings of Citrus: the offices, the barn, and the old stone farmhouse, have been located at the old hamlet Mayounelle, surrounded by green fields and a permaculture garden, with a view of the village of Laguépie. While accompanied by dynamic facilitators, you will share working hours, but also many moments of intercultural exchange and meals, with the team and other volunteers, all of whom will be hosted on the camp site.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations: Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: The construction work will be in regards to a wooden terrace on the first floor of the main building. As volunteers, you will prepare the support for the work on the terrace by building an exterior wooden floor. In the garden, you will be tasked with shaping a botanical chessboard made of mainly aromatic plants and minerals. All these tasks will be broken up by maintaining the summer vegetables in the garden and the chickens. You will be accompanied by technical leaders and work in a team five mornings per week. Schedules will be adapted according to the weather conditions.
- » Accommodation and food: In big tents on Citrus' premises, with access to the bathroom and an equipped kitchen. Food will be provided, and meals will be prepared by the volunteers. Team facilitators will be there to help you with the organization of daily life. Decisions about what to eat will be made taking into account participants' preferences and the availability of local and seasonal products.
- » Location: Village of Laguépie, 100 km from North-East of Toulouse, between Albi and Villefranche-de-Rouergue.
- » Leisure activities: Outside of time spent at the workcamp, you can enjoy swimming, stroll around, meet other young people from the workcamp and Laguépie, organize pizza evenings using the bread oven, have game nights, visit exceptional medieval villages such as Najac, Cordes-sur-Ciel, Saint-Antonin-Noble-Val, etc. You will participate in workshops on food that are directly related to the maintenance of the garden, what grows there, and how it's transformed into high quality, local and seasonal food.
- » Closest train station: Laguépie train station (82250)
- » Closest airport: Toulouse-Blagnac (31000)
- » Participation fee: 150€

SJ/TEEN24 FROM CASTLE TO ABBEY 1 08/07-22/07 RENO/ENVI 15 vols 15-17

SJ/TEEN40 FROM CASTLE TO ABBEY 2 25/07-08/08 RENO/ENVI 15 vols 15-17

SJ/TEEN59 FROM CASTLE TO ABBEY 3 12/08-26/08 RENO/ENVI 15 vols 15-17

- » Project: Hidden within a green valley, the commune of Coly - St Amand is located in the heart of the Périgord Noir, a territory rich in history! Composed of two former municipalities that decided to join together, we will contribute to uniting these formerly separate territories. The ruins of the abbey castle in Coly, a testament to the valley's rich past, contain beautiful architectural elements (bread oven, vaulted room...) and more secrets that are still to be revealed. The abbey of St Amand is proof of the power of church had over this territory throughout the Middle Ages.
- » After several workcamps dedicated to clearance work of the castle, this year we'll continue to unveil the ruins, but we'll also work around the abbey of St Amand to enhance its surroundings and the paths that connect the two villages. Festivals, night markets, and village celebrations will be held throughout the summer, and you will work with local volunteers to help set them up. By organizing your own set of activities with other volunteers and leaders, you'll discover the locals' hospitality and the charm of Coly - St Amand's landscape and heritage.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable cities and communities.
- » Work: In the morning. Physical work breaking up the terrain (shovels, pickaxes, wheelbarrow) and careful excavation (trowels, brushes...) and reinforcement work; trail maintenance and itinerary creation, clearing and pruning. You'll have the opportunity to discover many aspects of manual work.
- » Accommodation and food: You will be hosted at the municipal stadium where you will sleep in tents, mattresses provided. A covered dining area is reserved for you, and a kitchen where you can take turns preparing delicious dishes.
- » Location: Coly - St Amand is located in Périgord Noir, 10 km from the Lascaux caves, between Périgueux and Brive.
- » Leisure activities: Swimming, canoeing, site visits, local festivals...
- » Closest train station: Welcome on arrival in the late afternoon at Condat-Le Lardin station.
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux-Mérignac or Toulouse-Blagnac.
- » Participation fee: 150€

SJ/TEEN29 GREEN LUNGS FOR THE DISTRICT 11/07-01/08 ENV/SOC 15 vols 15-17

- » Project : You will participate in a fulfilling experience that embraces differences and self-discovery, as well as learning manual and useful skills! Art and historical town, with an UNESCO abbatiale church and cloister, Moissac look after his great medieval and modern age heritage. The aim of this workcamp is to give the center district's inhabitants a breath of fresh air by giving them access to an old park linking the railway to a viewpoint on the heights. You will work alongside energetic hosts, and have multiple opportunities of cultural exchange as well as the time to share meals with the local volunteers.
- » Work : We will continue the work started by an international group of volunteers in 2017, it concerns the opening of an old path from downtown to the heights. The town has bought an old private park and wants to reopen the trail on this shady hill to reach a viewpoint. We will have to cut small trees, to clear plants from the path, and remove all trimmed greeneries.
- » Accommodation and food : In tents, in the local camp-site. You will cook in turns. A sanitary block and an outdoor kitchen will be available.
- » Location: Moissac, 80km north of Toulouse and 30km west of Montauban
- » Leisure activities : You will have the opportunity to discover the local area, and it's wonderful heritage. Moissac is on the way of Santiago de Compostela, along the Tarn river, offering you nice hikes around the town. Your afternoons will be animated by many games and activities with local teenagers, and associations of moissac.
- » Closest train station : Moissac
- » Closest airport : Toulouse
- » Participation fee : 150€

SJ/TEEN30 Paint your city green! 13/07-28/07 CULT/SOCI/ENVI 15 vols 15-17

- » Project: A fulfilling experience that embraces differences and self-discovery, and teaches teens practical and manual skills. Located on the edge of the Canal de Deux-Mers and close to the largest forest in the region, this small town is crossed by many boats and attracts a diverse public during the summer period. This third collaboration between the association Citrus and the mayor of Montech promises to be full of discoveries and surprises. After having had missions dedicated to renovating public buildings, it's now time for young people's projects to be in the spotlight. Accompanied by dynamic leaders, you'll work on creating a graphic for the facade of a public building and maintenance of an observation path, and have many inter-cultural exchanges with the local population through meals and activities.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations: Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: With an environmental point of view, you will work on the renovation of an observation path created by the municipal youth council. This youth council will accompany you in the discovery of the different local species of the area and the overall layout of the place. Regarding the artistic embellishment at the heart of the city, you will participate in creating a work of graffiti on a building in the city center. You will be accompanied by a professional who will be by your side during the stages of artistic reflection and creation.
- » Accommodation and food: At the municipal campgrounds in large tents with access to bathroom facilities. The kitchen will be installed near the accommodation. The campgrounds include a swimming pool, a bowling alley and a volleyball court to which you will have free access.
- » Location: Montech, 15 km to South-East of Montauban and 50 km to North of Toulouse.
- » Leisure activities: During your free time, you will have the opportunity to discover the natural environment of Montech by walking along the canals or through the state-owned forest of Agre, but also the architectural and cultural heritage of the region. You will also be able to visit neighbouring towns such as Montauban or Beaumont-de-Lomagne and be welcomed by local associations to participate in the organisation of cultural or social events.
- » Closest train station: Montauban (82000)
- » Closest airport: Toulouse-Blagnac.
- » Participation fee : 150€

SJ/TEEN35 UNTAMED NATURE IN VAUNIÈRES 1 19/07-01/08 ENVI 12 vols 15-17
SJ/TEEN53 UNTAMED NATURE IN VAUNIÈRES 2 02/08-15/08 ENVI 12 vols 15-17

- » Project : Participating in landscaping work at the heart of an idyllic mountain landscape, that sound interesting ? Joins us and come discover the Hameau de Vaunières and its natural setting at 1173 meters above sea level ! Vaunières, a hamlet unlike any other ! Lost at the end of the Buëch valley, at the heart of the Hautes Alpes, the association Les Villages des Jeunes has managed, organised, and renovated the welcome center of Vaunières since 1964 ! Vaunières was a former small mountain village that today has become a sort of launching pad for local youth and adults, but it's also a venue used to host French and international volunteers. Vaunières is a vacation destination for many families, tourists, and constituent groups who come to take advantage of the calm mountain atmosphere and the dynamics of the environment. The workcamps that we organise at Vaunières with volunteers from all countries allow us to reinforce the cultural diversity of our engagement and make this site a place that is open to the world, where people of all ages and of all social and cultural backgrounds agree to meet each other and work together while participating in life within a community. We hope that you too, a volunteer from France or abroad, will come with this spirit of openness and collaboration that fuels our project !
- » Work : Since 2019, we've worked on the renovation of the cottages that have been abandoned for more than 20 years. In order to continue renovating them, the elements affecting the cottages have to be tamed ! Essentially, water from the embankments and falling rainwater is moving gradually towards one of the cottages. It is important that we manage the embankments by manufacturing wooden walls and supports, and to construct drains around them to clear the area of water. With the help of a technical supervisor, we'll be working with wood and in landscaping. The time spent at the worksite will be around 30h per week.
- » Accommodation and food : Housing will be in individual tents, that we furnish and provide mattresses for, on the campgrounds of the hamlet of Vaunières. The campgrounds have access to showers, restrooms, and the kitchen. There's no WIFI, but you'll be able to meet people from all over the world ! You'll take turns cooking, that way we'll be able to taste a number of different specialties ! Here, we pay attention to what we eat, and to reduce our impact on the planet, we try to eat a maximum of local products and we limit eating meat to twice a week. Community life will be organised together : organization of menus, grocery shopping, activities, etc.
- » Location : Le Hameau de Vaunières, 6km from the village St Julien en Beauchêne, is 23km away from the main city, Veynes. Grocery shopping, which will be conducted once or twice a week, will be organised using our vehicles.
- » Leisure activities : You will be in an exceptional location to discover the joys of hiking among the mountains, its rivers, its lakes, the farmers markets, and festive events organized in the surrounding villages (depending on programming). As a group, you'll decide the activities and outings that you want to set up (subject to distance). Once a week, the welcome center generally organises an evening of music with homemade woodfired pizzas.
- » Closest train station : Lus-La-Croix-Haute (26620)
- » Closest airports: Marseille or Lyon.
- » Participation fee : 150€

SJ/TEEN36 CEVENNES UP 19/07-05/08 ENVI 12 vols 15-17

- » Project: This workcamp will take place in a unique area in the National Reserve of Cevennes (in the South of France) in partnership with two local associations. One of these associations is focused on restoring a guesthouse dating back to the Middle Ages to create a spirit of welcoming and make the guesthouse accessible to everyone according to their means and needs. The other is citizens collective that organizes around sustainable and environmentally friendly methods of managing natural resources.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations: Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: You will be engaged with the local citizens collective to assist with managing a local chestnut grove. This year, the work will concern opening a pedagogical path that will snake through the chestnut grove: marking up the path with signposts, constructing barriers and fencing, and developing the educational component.
- » Accomodation and food: The workcamp will take place in a very remote area where you'll be hosted on the grounds of a local association at a campsite. You'll have access sanitary facilities (toilet and shower) in a nearby building. If weather conditions make it too difficult to camp, there is a neighboring building available for shelter. Food will be provided, and meals will be cooked by participants in turns. You'll be in a stunning setting with beautiful views of the landscape.
- » Location: The participants will camp next to Le Relais Bistro de l'Espinas, in the rural area of Ventalon en Cévennes.
- » Leisure activities: As you'll be in a remote location, most of the leisure activities will consist of taking advantage of the local natural surroundings by going on hikes in the mountains and share daily life with the locals. Transportation will be also be available for you to further discover the region and organize outings and activities.
- » Closest train stations: Le-Pont-de-Montvert Train Station / Genolhac Train Station.
- » Closest airport: Montpellier.
- » Participation fee: 150€

SJ/TEEN45 HEADING TO OLÉRON ISLAND 2 29/07-19/08 RENO/CULT 12 vols 15-17

- » Project: The municipality of Grand-Village-Plage is a charming resort area in the South-West part of Oléron island on the coast of the Atlantic ocean, and is a long-time partner of the association (since 1996). For some years, work surrounding the enhancement of housing and the Oléronnais way of life, from the 19th century to today, was started by the municipal community and the municipality of Grand-Village. This project will be focused on Oléron's surviving traditional peasant home that illustrates wonderfully the daily lives of islanders during the end of the 19th century. It's in the hopes of refurbishing Oléron's eco-conscious peasant home, which is set to become a must-see spot and a place for experimentation, that the municipal community of Oléron island wished to once again establish a workcamp of young volunteers.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°11 from the United Nations: Sustainable cities and communities.
- » Work: Supervised by a technical advisor specialized in traditional masonry, you will have the task of renovating and putting up the low dry-stone walls that delineate the space covered by this traditional peasant home. There, you will learn many techniques like masonry and the resizing of traditional stone, like that that you'll be doing while constructing the low dry-stone walls.
- » Accommodation and Food: On a campsite, under tents with all amenities available. Food will be provided and meals will be prepared alternately by participants as needed.
- » Location: In the middle of the ocean, 35km from Rochefort-sur Mer, Charente-Maritime.
- » Leisure activities: On the island of Oléron, you'll be able to take advantage of everything living by the water has to offer! Fishing, surfing, biking along the ocean, beach volleyball and other activities are all available for you to discover. You'll also be able to visit certain towns like Rochelle and Rochefort. Activities and excursions will be organized with local residents who can't wait to meet you!
- » Closest train station: Rochefort (17300)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux
- » Participation fee : 150€

SJ/TEEN48 A HOUSE OF UNITY 01/08-15/08 RENO 15 vols 15-17

- » Project: If you want to be involved in a collective experience, learn to work together and discover a new perspective and way of living, our team at the Centre de Beaumotte is waiting for you ! At this association that supports public education in the middle of the countryside, you'll experience daily life with young people from all over the world and different social backgrounds. Here, we see our differences as gifts we should share !
- » Work: You will participate in the various activities of our association : permaculture garden, setting up an environmental project, painting, cooking, etc. You'll be working 4 hours a day.
- » Accommodations and food: You'll live under large tents which will be separated by gender in the association's garden. You'll sleep in bunkbeds, but bring a sleeping bag. Showers and sanitary facilities will be available on site. Food will be provided by the association, and you'll cook in the center's professional kitchen.
- » Location: Beaumotte les Montbozons, 25km from Vesoul and 30km from Besançon.
- » Leisure activities : Afternoons will be free for recreational activities which you'll propose and organize with the team leaders. Visits to Besançon, Olympiades, and walks in the surrounding areas will be organized as part of the schedule.
- » Closest train station : Besançon TGV station (25000). A meeting point will be organized in the afternoon (between 4pm and 7pm).
- » Closest airports: Paris or Basel in Switzerland.
- » Participation fee : 150€

SJ/TEEN51 ECO-CAMP SITE IN LA FERTÉ-ALAIS 1 02/08-15/08 CONS/ENVI 18 vols 15-17**SJ/TEEN63 ECO-CAMP SITE IN LA FERTÉ-ALAIS 2 16/08-29/08 CONS/ENVI 18 vols 15-17**

- » Project: The town of La Ferté-Alais is located in the Gâtinais regional natural park in the valley of the Essonne river. Having had many experiences in the past hosting international workcamps, La Ferté-Alais is very committed to these projects that celebrate the local heritage, engage the local youth, and inject some vibrancy into the community. Since 2018, in partnership with the town, the association Vir'Volt has run an international hosting site where young people from different countries come to work and live together. The association wishes to use the center as a place to raise awareness about environmental protection, implement eco-friendly practices, and organise activities with local youth.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations: Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: During the workcamp, you will take part in different tasks alongside French and local volunteers to improve the space and build environmental friendly installations: furniture out of recycled material like wood palettes, systems to collect rain water, etc. You'll also be trained in wood and construction work to help build a new yurt. You will also help to take care of the association's garden.
- » Accommodation and food: You will sleep in collective tents (yurts, tipis) on the campsite of the association. Please bring a sleeping bag with you. The campsite has bathrooms and showers accessible, as well as a kitchen. Food will be provided, and meals will be cooked by the volunteers in turns.
- » Location: La Ferté Alais is approximately 50km south of Paris, in the Essonne region. Note-- this project should not be used as a sightseeing trip to Paris. If you wish to visit Paris, you should arrive some days before or reserve dates following the workcamp.
- » Leisure activities: You will have the opportunity to enjoy all that's offered at the association's campsite and discover the cultural and natural heritage of the region, which is part of a natural park. You will also help organise some activities to meet and socialize with the local young people. Other leisure activities will be organised collectively depending on the wishes of the group and the available budget.
- » Closest train station: La Ferté Alais RER station.
- » Closest airport: Paris Roissy Charles de Gaulle, Paris Orly and Paris Beauvais.
- » Participation fee: 150€

TRILATERAL WORKCAMPS

Those projects are financed by the Franco-German Youth Office (OFAJ in French) and are reserved for German organizations and for partners that already signed the agreement with SJ.

SJ/TRI31 BETWEEN EARTH AND STONE! 18/07-01/08 RENO 12 vols 15-17

- » Project: Come and try out castle living in the heart of Auvergne! But make no mistake: here, we live, laugh, share, but above all, we contribute! Be part of our project and help us rehabilitate the wall that surrounds the area. Discover our local history and be a part of our future by enhancing a typical "bourbonnaise" site of agricultural activity and helping our international reception center to evolve! You'll also have the opportunity to discover permaculture through our educational vegetable garden, and turn yourself into an expert on alternative cultures and biodiversity!
- » Our educational vegetable garden is also a real experimental ground for concrete permaculture techniques. In order to make it accessible and practical, many improvements have already been made: cleaning and re-sealing of the water reserve, creation of an insect hotel and realization of "a dryer" for example.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°15 from the United Nations: Life on land.
- » Work: This project will continue work accomplished in previous years. You will rehabilitate the surrounding walls of the estate: set the scaffolding, prepare the site by selecting stones and preparing formwork, complete stone masonry, roof using small Bourbonnaise tiles, and make a traditional finishing plaster. You'll also assist in the development of the castle's vegetable garden: make permaculture mounds, weave in hazelnut and acacia, do various and varied mulching.
- » Accommodation and food: You will sleep in tents with access to outdoor showers as well as dry toilets. Food is provided, and meals will be prepared by the volunteers themselves in turns. Meals will be had under a big tent outside, or, in case of bad weather, inside in the dining room of the castle. We provide a fully equipped kitchen and activity rooms.
- » Location: Montcombroux-les-Mines. A former bourgeois home, the Castle Les Prureaux is in the middle of an agricultural area. Since 1993, our association has worked to maintain and enhance the historic buildings on the site. This «permanent» project, led by volunteers and hosting young people all year round, remains a rich educational opportunity that supports exchange, doing, and collaboration.
- » Leisure activities: Afternoons and weekends are collectively planned with the whole group. If you like spending time in the city, Moulins and Vichy are located about 40 kms away. If you're more of the countryside type, don't hesitate to discover the region on foot or by bike, explore the banks of the canals, swim, or take advantage of local festivities and cultural events.
- » Closest train station: Moulins-sur-Allier train station (03000)
- » Closest airport: Lyon Saint Exupery
- » Participation fee: 150€

SJ/TRI60 BUILD THE WAY TOGETHER 3 12/08-28/08 CONS/ENVI 15 vols 15-17

- » Project: A fulfilling experience that embraces differences and self-discovery, as well as teaching teens manual and useful skills. As part of the creation of a center for international volunteers on the premises of the association Citrus, come discover, learn, and share building and gardening techniques in the spirit of working together.
- » Since 2012, the three main buildings of Citrus : the offices, the barn, and the old stone farmhouse, have been located at the old hamlet Mayounelle, surrounded by green fields and a permaculture garden, with a view of the village of Laguépie. While accompanied by dynamic facilitators, you will share working hours, but also many moments of intercultural exchange and meals with the team and other volunteers. This project will bring together 5 French participants, 5 German participants and 5 participants from a partner country, as part of a Franco-German exchange sponsored by the OFAJ (Franco-German Youth Office).
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations: Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: Your work will consist of constructing a stone support wall around the association's main building. To do this, you'll select stones according to what would work for your desired results, and then you'll begin building. On the side of the pond, you'll renovate the planted pool terrace, planting appropriate vegetation that will grow in harmony with the existing minerals. There will also need to be work done to raise a dry stone wall around the terrace. All these tasks will be broken up by work that also has to be done maintaining the summer vegetables and the chickens. You will be accompanied by technical leaders, you will work in a team five mornings per week. Schedules will be adapted according to the weather conditions.
- » Accommodation and food: In big tents on Citrus' premises, with access to the bathroom and an equipped kitchen. Food will be provided, and meals will be prepared by the volunteers. Team facilitators will be there to help you with the organization of daily life. Decisions about what to eat will be made taking into account participants' preferences and the availability of local and seasonal products.
- » Location: Village of Laguépie, 100 km from North-East of Toulouse, between Albi and Villefranche-de-Rouergue.
- » Leisure activities: Outside of time spent at the workcamp, you can enjoy swimming, stroll around, meet other young people from the workcamp and Laguépie, organize pizza evenings using the bread oven, have game nights, visit excep-

tional medieval villages such as Najac, Cordes-sur-Ciel, Saint-Antonin-Noble-Val, etc. You will participate in workshops on food that are directly related to the maintenance of the garden, what grows there, and how it's transformed into high quality, local and seasonal food.

- » Closest train station: Laguépie (82250)
- » Closest airport: Toulouse-Blagnac
- » Participation fee: 150€

SJ/TRI61 LET THE SUN SHINE ON THE CASTLE! 15/08-29/08 CONS 12 vols 15-17

- » Project: Come and help our international host center bask in the sun! For several years, the association has wanted to make its international hosting center a real resource by testing the right practices to meet a great challenge of the 21st century: climate change. The aim: to mobilize everyone to «do one's part». What's planned? Designing and building outdoor showers and a water heater, powered by a source of energy as sustainable as it is pleasant: solar rays! You will be involved in a major project: limiting the environmental impact of our association by developing more ecofriendly means of energy consumption. All this will be accomplished, through a 3 week project that mobilizes young adults from all over the world! In a nutshell, an intercultural, technical and environmental challenge! It's heating up at Le Créneau!
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°15 from the United Nations: Life on land.
- » Work: This project will consist of designing and building a block of outdoor solar showers, then creating a solar water heater. To build the outdoor showers, you'll need to: do plumbing work, remove and fix the facing stones, create the formwork to then pour and lay a concrete slab, set up wooden sheds, construct an access aisle, then design and fix the hooks and towel rails. To create the solar water heater, you will: prepare the ground by leveling it and laying a concrete slab, prepare, paint and install the tank, cut and set the structure, cut and install the insulation, and finally, put in water.
- » Accommodation and food: You will sleep in tents with access to outdoor showers as well as dry toilets. Food is provided, and meals will be prepared by the volunteers themselves in turns. Meals will be had under a big tent outside, or, in case of bad weather, inside in the dining room of the castle. We provide a fully equipped kitchen and activity rooms.
- » Location: Montcombroux-les-Mines. A former bourgeois home, the Castle Les Prureaux is in the middle of an agricultural area. Since 1993, our association has worked to maintain and enhance the historic buildings on the site. This «permanent» project, led by volunteers and hosting young people all year round, remains a rich educational opportunity that supports exchange, doing, and collaboration.
- » Leisure activities: Afternoons and weekends are collectively planned with the whole group. If you like spending time in the city, Moulins and Vichy are located about 40 kms away. If you're more of the countryside type, don't hesitate to discover the region on foot or by bike, explore the banks of the canals, swim, or take advantage of local festivities and cultural events.
- » Closest train station: Moulins-sur-Allier train station (03000)
- » Closest airport: Lyon Saint Exupéry
- » Participation fee: 150€

SJ/TRI76 LET'S WALK AND RIDE GREEN! ENVI 06/10-27/10 15 vols 18-30

- » Project: Come and promote active and environmental tourism in a magnificent village on the banks of a river, typical of the South of France! This is where international and French volunteers have chosen to live together and participate in the realisation of a dream: building peace in the world. The challenge is to learn how to live and work together, amongst different people, cultures, and backgrounds. This group of volunteers will host you on their premises for three weeks. Together, you'll experience daily life as a community and participate in renovation work and other activities while experiencing the gentle lifestyle of a typical village in the heart of the French countryside.
- » Travail: This magnificent territory, in the midst of rivers and rolling hills, wishes to make its landscape and culture known to the public through active and environmental tourism. Come help to develop this ecotourism that is conscious of its environment through the creation and renovation of hiking or VTT trails! Continue the work on this sports trail initiated by other volunteers in 2018, all while enjoying the first colors of autumn and the chestnut fair, an unmissable event of the region.
- » Accommodation and food : In a house equipped with large dorms that also serves as a welcoming center for international volunteers during winter. You'll have access to a communal kitchen where you'll take turns preparing meals in teams, as well as access to sanitary facilities (showers and bathrooms). You will be within a 3-minute walking distance of the village center.
- » Location : Laguépie is 100 km Northeast of Toulouse, between Rodez and Mountauban and close to Albi. Laguépie is lucky enough to be crossed by two rivers. The homes of Laguépie sit right on the riverbanks and climb the hills in a picturesque setting overlooked by a castle.
- » Leisure activities : Outside of time spent at the worksite, you'll decide as a group the activities you want to participate in. You'll have the opportunity to attend local festivities (performances, concerts), explore the natural environment and cultural heritage, go swimming or walking, have pizza dinners and game nights, and visit the exceptional medieval villages of Najac, Cordes-sur-ciel, and Saint-Antonin-Noble-Val.
- » Closest train station : Laguépie (82250)
- » Closest airport : Toulouse

FAMILY WORKCAMP

Open to 1 child (5-15 y.o.) + 1 parent minimum.

SJ/FAM32 SEASONAL VEGETABLE GARDEN : A FAMILY ADVENTURE 19/07-26/07 ENVI/CULT 15 vols 5+

- » Project: La Maison des Bateleurs has been, for the past 20 years, an international hosting center that's witnessed rich intercultural meetings and exchange. Situated near the municipality of Montendre, a small charming village in the midst of pine trees, la Maison des Bateleurs is driven by the daily presence of volunteers, and intends to be a place that encourages openness and cultural and social diversity.
- » Sustainable development is a timely theme that has the potential to affect many sectors. That is why la Maison des Bateleurs has taken on the job of creating an environmental hub: a phytosanitary pool, dry toilets, a compost, an organic garden, prioritizing the use of natural environmental resources, etc.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations: Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: During this workcamp, you will actively participate in life at la Maison and in different activities: communal life (cooking, housework, organization, etc.), intercultural exchanges (meeting with the local population and volunteers of the association), etc. The objective of this workcamp is, using exchanges and a transference of intergenerational knowledge and experience, to make you more aware of sustainable development and an active participant in the activities of the environmental hub, notably, the vegetable garden. Your work will primarily consist of maintaining the vegetable garden (seeding, re-culturing, hoeing, watering, harvesting). Aside from this, you'll help maintain the compost bins, the phytosanitary pool, the chicken coop, and the bamboo grove.
- » Accommodation and food: Communal, in a dormitory and/or in individual rooms at la Maison des Bateleurs. Meals will be prepared alternately by kitchen teams (families and international volunteers that are present).
- » Location: Montendre, Charente-Maritime, 75km from the ocean, between Bordeaux and Angoulême.
- » Leisure activities: Excursions throughout the region will be organized collectively according to your interest: visits to towns, the sea, museums, etc. Activities with the host center will be regularly proposed to you: evening of pizza, evening of games, etc. This will also be an opportunity to discover how a dynamic organization like Solidarités Jeunesses functions.
- » Closest train station: Montendre (17130)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux
- » Participation fee: 50€ for children under 10, 100€ for participants of ages 11 and up

SJ/FAM47 SOW THE SMALL PEBBLES AS A FAMILY 01/08-10/08 CONS/ENVI 15 vols 5+

- » Project: Pebbles, colours, families, and messages of peace... you are invited to spend time with your children and participate in workshops together while meeting other families with diverse backgrounds.
- » As part of the creation of a center for international volunteers on the premises of the association Citrus, come discover, learn, and share building and gardening techniques in the spirit of working together.
- » Since 2012, the three main buildings of Citrus : the offices, the barn, and the old stone farmhouse, have been located at the old hamlet Mayounelle, surrounded by green fields and a permaculture garden, with a view of the village of Laguépie. While accompanied by dynamic facilitators, you will share working hours, but also many moments of intercultural exchange and meals, with the team and other volunteers, all of whom will be hosted on the camp site.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations: Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: All the materials will be accessible to those as young as 5 years old. You will participate in a «calade» workshop, working to create a decorative paved work made of small pebbles of different shapes and colors around the giant barbecue in the shape of a compass rose. First, you'll be familiarized with the available space, then you will sort and arrange the pebbles according to shape and colours, in order to draw a global pattern that fits the theme of a compass rose. You will also build an insect hotel which will then be installed in Citrus' permaculture garden. All these tasks will be broken up by maintaining the summer vegetables in the garden and the chickens. You will be accompanied by technical leaders and work in a team five mornings per week. Schedules will be adapted according to the weather conditions.
- » Accommodation and food: You will live in a house that is used as a host center for international volunteers in the winter. You will have access to bathroom facilities, a fully equipped kitchen, a large living room and a washing machine. You will be in large dormitories, 15 minutes walk from the worksite and 3 minutes from the heart of the village. Lunches will be had with all the participants on Citrus' site (teenagers, international volunteers, employees...). As for dinners, they will be made by the families who will organize themselves into kitchen teams and prepare the menus.
- » Location: Village of Laguépie, in the Gorges of Aveyron, 100 km from North-East of Toulouse, between Albi and Villefranche-de-Rouergue.
- » Leisure activities: Outside of the time spent at the workcamp, you can enjoy swimming, walking, meeting other young people from the workcamp and Laguépie, organizing pizza evenings using the bread oven, enjoying gamenights, visiting exceptional medieval villages such as Najac, Cordes-sur-Ciel, Saint-Antonin-Noble-Val, etc.
- » Closest train station: Laguépie 82250
- » Closest airport: Toulouse-Blagnac
- » Participation fee: 50€ for children under 10, 100€ for participants of ages 11 and up

Volunteers need to stay for the total duration of the project. A Skype interview will be organized after receiving the VEF + motivation letter of the applicants.

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- » Project: Montendre is a small village in the midst of pine forests that since 1996, has been home to one of Solidarités Jeunesses' international centers: La Maison des Bateleurs. Every summer for 25 years now, the village organises its weekly night market in partnership with many local associations. The first night market in the territory of Haute Saintonge, this local event brings significant vibrancy and dynamism to the territory. This year, the goal is to integrate the principle of responsible consumption into the market through actions that raise awareness, and that experiment with recycling and waste all while incorporating an international dimension! It's in this manner that the village of Montendre wished to create an international workcamp, around its festive event, in order to integrate a stable, responsible, and international dynamic. This will also be an opportunity to talk about volunteering and citizenship through your engagement in this project.
- » With this project, you will be actively working for the Sustainable Development Goal n°12 from the United Nations: Responsible production and consumption.
- » Work: Accompanied by a technical facilitator specialised in the environment and working with a sense of responsibility every day, you'll begin by helping the association with the organisation of the logistics of the market: putting up stands and helping other local associations that participate in the market. Secondly, you will have the task of managing a stand that will help raise awareness about recycling and waste. The stand and the workshops will be created in the upstream market with the help of a technical facilitator (making of flyers, workshops, recycling bins...) This will also be a chance for you to inform the public about about engagement, volunteering, and mobility while representing Solidarités Jeunesses.
- » Accommodation and food: You will live in mixed dormitories at the host center La Maison Des Bateleurs. Food will be provided, and meals will be prepared alternately by participants.
- » Location: Montendre, Charente maritime 65kms from Bordeaux
- » Leisure activities: You'll have the opportunity to participate in national heritage days, visits of the region organised collectively according to yours wants, excursions to the ocean, museums etc. Activities with the house volunteers will be organised, such as pizza parties and movie nights. You will also be able to discover how a dynamic association like Solidarités Jeunesses functions, and have the chance to share the richness of your culture with the residents of the associations of Montendre.
- » Closest train station: Montendre (17130)
- » Closest airport: Bordeaux.

