

UNKNOWN NATURE 1 & 2

VOLUNTEERING TEAMS

CAVE PARK GRABOVAČA
PERUŠIĆ
CROATIA

7. 7. - 6. 8. 2025.

UNKNOWN NATURE

1

31 DAYS

18. 8. - 17. 9. 2025.

UNKNOWN NATURE 2

31 DAYS

EUROPEAN SOLIDARITY CORPS

INFO KIT FOR VOLUNTEERS

<https://www.salto-youth.net/downloads/4-17-3877/Info+kit+European+Solidarity+Corps.pdf>



**EUROPEAN
SOLIDARITY
CORPS**

THE POWER OF TOGETHER.

TRANSPORT



- ▶ NEAREST AIRPORTS AND BUS/TRAIN CONNECTIONS: ZADAR, ZAGREB, SPLIT, RIJEKA, DUBROVNIK
- ▶ CHEAP FLIGHTS TO BUDAPEST - THEN FLIXBUS TO PERUŠIĆ VIA ZAGREB
- ▶ DON'T BUY ANY TICKET WITHOUT COMMUNICATING WITH US
- ▶ AFTER FINDING THE TICKETS TO CROATIA, WE'LL HELP YOU FIND THE BEST BUS/TRAIN CONNECTION TO PERUŠIĆ (OR GOSPIĆ)!
- ▶ WE PROVIDE A PICKUP IN PERUŠIĆ OR GOSPIĆ

LOCATION

▶ PERUŠIĆ

<https://tz-perusic.hr/>

▶ CAVE PARK GRABOVAČA

<https://pp-grabovaca.hr/>

SUMMER IN CROATIA

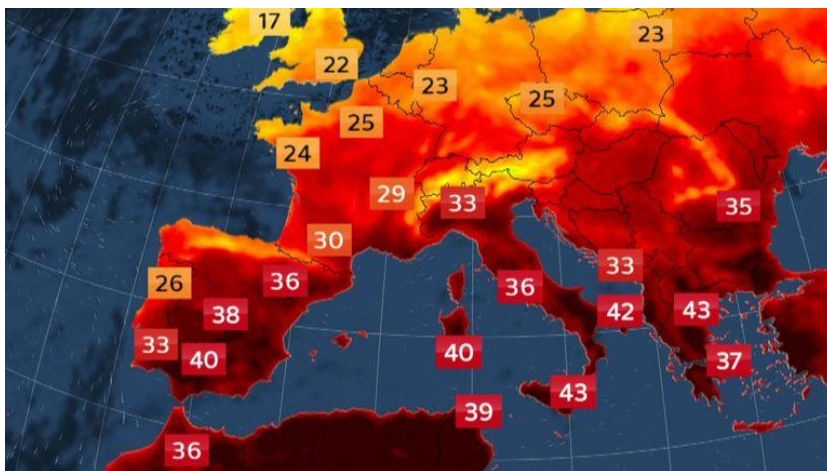
- ▶ CROATIA IS A POPULAR TOURIST DESTINATION (12TH MOST VISITED COUNTRY IN THE WORLD - 2023)
- ▶ EXPECT CROWDED LOCATIONS AND PUBLIC TRANSPORT, ESPECIALLY DURING WEEKEND
- ▶ BUSES AND TRAINS IN CROATIA ARE USUALLY ON TIME, BUT DURING SUMMER MONTHS YOU CAN EXPECT DELAYS (LIKE EVERYWHERE)
- ▶ CROATIA IS A DEVELOPED AND EXPENSIVE COUNTRY, SO FORGET ABOUT STEREOTYPES

WEATHER

WE'RE LOCATED IN A VALLEY SURROUNDED WITH MOUNTAINS. WEATHER IS MOSTLY STABLE, WITH HOT DAYS AND PLEASANT NIGHTS

BUT:

- TEMPERATURES CAN GO UP TO 40°C, ACTIVITIES ARE DONE IN SHADE
- STRONG UNEXPECTED STORMS - HEAD INDOOR IMMEDIATELY



TRAVEL BUDGET

- ▶ For travel distances between 100 and 499 km:

211€

- ▶ For travel distances between 500 and 1 999 km:

309 €

- ▶ For travel distances between 2 000 and 2 999 km:

395 €



ERASMUS+
DISTANCE
CALCULATOR

<https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/resources-and-tools/distance-calculator>

GREEN TRAVEL

Sustainable means of transports that use low-emissions means of transport for the main part of the travel (more than half of the travel distance), such us as bus or train

- ▶ For travel distances between 100 and 499 km:
285€
- ▶ For travel distances between 500 and 1 999 km:
417 €
- ▶ For travel distances between 2 000 and 2 999 km:
535 €

ACCOMMODATION

If you have a problem with sharing your living space for a month, this project is not for you! 😊

- ▶ LOCAL HOUSES
- ▶ SHARED LIVING SPACE (LIKE DORM)

▶ FIRST HOUSE:

TWO BEDROOMS FOR 9 PEOPLE (4+5)
KITCHEN
TWO BATHROOMS AND TOILETS
WASHING MACHINE

▶ SECOND HOUSE:

TWO BEDROOMS FOR 7 PEOPLE (4+3)
KITCHEN
TWO BATHROOMS, ONE TOILET
WASHING MACHINE



NO WI-FI IN THE HOUSES

WI-FI ZONES WITHIN 2 KILOMETERS:

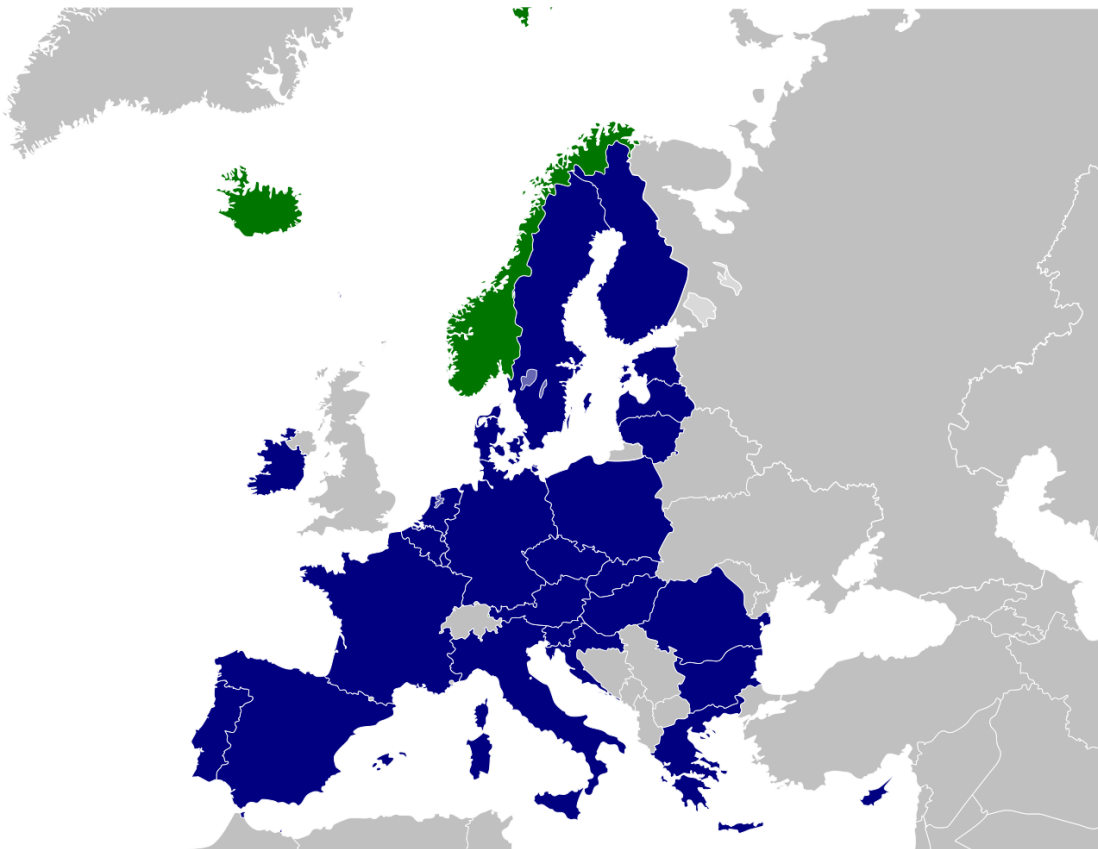


- CAVE PARK GRABOVAČA
- CENTER OF PERUŠIĆ
 - LIBRARY
 - CAFÉS AND BARS

THE ROAMING REGULATION (2022)

When you travel outside your home country*
to another EU country, you don't have to
pay any additional charges to use your
mobile phone.

This is known as "roaming free" or "roam
like at home"



***ROAMING-FREE
EU AND PARTNER COUNTRIES**

POCKET MONEY

Contribution to additional personal expenses for participants

UNKNOWN NATURE 1

- ▶ 10 euros per day
- ▶ FIRST PAYOUT
9.7.2025. (FIRST 17 DAYS)
- ▶ SECOND PAYOUT
23.7.2025. (LAST 16 DAYS)
- ▶ + TRAVEL DAYS
2 days or up to 4 extra days
if using **GREEN TRAVEL**

POCKET MONEY

Contribution to additional personal expenses for participants

UNKNOWN NATURE 2

- ▶ 10 euros per day
- ▶ FIRST PAYOUT
20.8.2025. (17 DAYS)
- ▶ SECOND PAYOUT
3.9.2025. (16 DAYS)
- ▶ + TRAVEL DAYS
2 days or up to 4 extra days
if using **GREEN TRAVEL**

FOOD BUDGET

- ▶ VOLUNTEERS PREPARE AND ORGANIZE THEIR MEALS
- ▶ IT IS RECOMMENDED TO PLAN AND COOK AS A GROUP; VOLUNTEERS CAN SAVE SOME MONEY IF THEY EAT TOGETHER
- ▶ BREAKFAST
 - BEFORE THE ACTIVITIES OR DURING THE BREAK, DEPENDING ON VOLUNTEER'S NATURAL RHYTHM
 - ACTIVITIES START AT 9:00
- ▶ LUNCH AND DINNER
 - AFTER THE ACTIVITIES (15:00)
 - EVERY DAY TWO VOLUNTEERS CAN GO HOME EARLIER AND START MAKING LUNCH
- ▶ SOMETIMES WE COOK FOR VOLUNTEERS
- ▶ IN CASE OF LONGER ACTIVITIES (for example, preparation for the Summer Vibe festival, International bat night, cleaning actions) WE PROVIDE THE FOOD

POCKET MONEY +
6€ PER DAY FOR FOOD

ACTIVITIES

- ▶ MONDAY TO FRIDAY
9:00 - 15:00
- ▶ FREE WEEKEND (IN CASE OF WORKING ON SATURDAY OR SUNDAY, ANOTHER DAY IN THE WEEK IS FREE)
- ▶ TWO EXTRA DAYS ARE FREE DURING THE PROJECT DURATION SO VOLUNTEERS CAN HAVE A LONGER WEEKEND TO RELAX AND EXPLORE CROATIA

- ▶ ACTIVITIES ARE MOSTLY OUTDOORS:
SCHOOL IN NATURE WITH KIDS, EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOPS, WORKING AROUND THE PARK (GARDEN, CONSTRUCTION, CREATIVITY, CLEANING, HELPING), HIKING AND WALKING.

YOU'LL RECEIVE THE FULL,
DETAILED SCHEDULE A WEEK
BEFORE THE PROJECT STARTS

THE SCHEDULE IS FLEXIBLE AND
SUBJECT TO CHANGE

PERSONAL SUPPORT

INSURANCE



Henner

Here to care

- ▶ WHEN PARTICIPANTS ACCEPT THE OFFER TO VOLUNTEER IN OUR PARK, THEY'RE AUTOMATICALLY APPLIED FOR *HENNER* INSURANCE
- ▶ WE CANNOT ENTER THAT PLATFORM, ONLY PARTICIPANTS CAN, BECAUSE THE PROFILE IS CREATED ONLY FOR THEM
- ▶ PARTICIPANTS NEED TO SEND THEIR INSURANCE NUMBER TO US AS SOON AS THEY RECEIVE IT, VIA EMAIL
- ▶ FOR ALL THE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE INSURANCE IT'S BEST TO CONTACT HENNER DIRECTLY

DURING THE ACTIVITIES ALL THE NECESSARY HELP AND SUPPORT IS PROVIDED TO THE PARTICIPANTS

PARTICIPANT PROFILE

- ▶ MOTIVATED
- ▶ OPEN-MINDED
- ▶ CONTRIBUTOR
- ▶ TEAM PLAYER
- ▶ FLEXIBLE
- ▶ SELFLESS
- ▶ EASY-GOING
- ▶ RELIABLE / RESPONSIBLE
- ▶ NATURE LOVER / ENVIRONMENTALIST
- ▶ HARD-WORKER
- ▶ KIND
- ▶ ARTISTIC
- ▶ EMPATHETIC

WE ACCEPT VOLUNTEERS
FROM RURAL AREAS AS WELL
AS VOLUNTEERS WITH FEWER
OPPORTUNITIES

FEWER OPPORTUNITIES

We try to ensure equality and equity in access and opportunities for potential participants from all backgrounds. This means involving participants with following fewer opportunities:

- ▶ BARRIERS LINKED TO DISCRIMINATION
- ▶ BARRIERS LINKED TO EDUCATION AND TRAINING SYSTEMS
- ▶ CULTURAL DIFFERENCES
- ▶ ECONOMIC BARRIERS
- ▶ GEOGRAPHICAL BARRIERS
- ▶ HEALTH PROBLEMS
- ▶ SOCIAL BARRIERS

**ASK US IF YOU WANT TO KNOW
MORE ON THIS SUBJECT!**

**CAVE PARK GRABOVAČA TEAM ARE
INCLUSION AND DIVERSITY AMBASSADORS
SINCE 2021**

(WE LIKE TO BE HONEST)

FROM OUR LONG EXPERIENCE, THIS PROJECT IS NOT FOR:

- ▶ PEOPLE WHO CANNOT ADJUST TO SHARE THE LIVING SPACE WITH OTHER VOLUNTEERS OR LIVE IN THE SMALL PLACE
- ▶ PEOPLE WHO BELIEVE THIS ACTIVITY IS JUST AN EXCUSE TO PARTY ABROAD
- ▶ PEOPLE WHO THINK THEIR COUNTRY IS BETTER THAN THE REST, CLOSE-MINDED AND STEREOTYPICAL PEOPLE

MOST OF OUR ACTIVITIES ARE OUTDOOR AND IN THE NATURE (HILLS, ROUGH TERRAIN, CAVES)

FOR EVERYONE ELSE
WHO WOULD LIKE TO EXPERIENCE
NEW CULTURES, MEET NEW
PEOPLE, WORK IN A PROTECTED
AREA AND LIVE WITHIN THE SMALL
COMMUNITY - **CONTACT US!**

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