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Social Youth Development K.A.N.E. - is a non-profit organisation which offers short and long term volunteering opportunities to young people from different European countries. This infopack provides a more detailed description of each short-term opportunity currently available.

## Find out more about K.A.N.E.



<https://ngokane.org/en/home-page/>



<https://www.facebook.com/kane.kalamata/>



[K.A.N.E. TV](#)

# DOG RESCUE CENTER

## The project

In the Dog Rescue Centre abandoned and stray dogs are taken off the streets, cared for and given the chance to find a new home.

## Volunteer tasks

- Assisting with the daily running of the animal shelter.
- Cleaning the shelter and looking after the facilities.
- Feeding the dogs and taking responsibility for their hygiene.
- Taking the dogs for a walk.
- Preparing the dogs for adoption.
- Participating in the programming, development and evaluation of activities of the coordinating organisation (K.A.NE.).

## Volunteer profile

The project requires a high level of commitment from the side of the volunteer, a sense of solidarity, tolerance and a willingness to work within a team



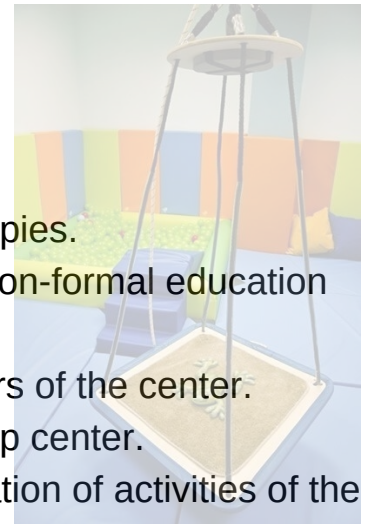
# KEFIAP CENTER

## The project

Kefiap Center of Physical Treatment and Rehabilitation is a service provided by the hospital in Kalamata. Through many activities and therapies (e.g. art workshops, music therapy, dance, cooking, massage...) the therapeutic centre works to improve the overall health and quality of life for people (teenagers and adults) with physical and mental disabilities.

## Volunteer tasks

- Assisting staff at the Kefiap center with activities and therapies.
- Working with the specialist staff to develop activities and non-formal education games.
- Helping to care for and look after the well-being of the users of the center.
- Accompanying the users during their transport to the Kefiap center.
- Participating in the programming, development and evaluation of activities of the coordinating organisation (K.A.NE.).



## Volunteer profile

The volunteer should have an interest in working with people with mental and physical disabilities and feel comfortable doing so. The project requires a high level of commitment from the side of the volunteer, a sense of solidarity, tolerance and a willingness to work within a team.



# KALAMATA STREET FESTIVAL



## The project

During the last weekend of July, Kalamata hosts a street festival which is all about celebrating arts and culture through solidarity, creativity and volunteerism. It is international, self-funded, non-commercial, non-political and non-religious, based 100% on volunteerism, with a free entrance, with visitors and artists from Greece and Europe. It includes graffiti, skates, juggling, street theatre, dance, concerts, street arts, photography and painting exhibitions, video art, handmade jewelry exhibitions, face painting, re-use materials workshops, gift bazaar, bike events and more! Since 2009, K.A.NE. has been its leading coordinating organisation, so during the last two weeks of July all of its local and international volunteers get involved in its preparation and realization.

## Volunteer tasks

- Assist and participate in the preparation, promotion and running of the festival;
- Organizing and conducting workshops;
- Collaborating in the setting up and management of the camping area.



<https://www.facebook.com/streetfestival.gr/>



<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCThhoNo6Y0dWYrx6fbLIgAw>

# Common tasks

Apart from the activities/tasks that are specific for each project, all volunteers hosted in Kalamata have common tasks, carried out individually or in teams. These are:

- Make a video about the EVS experience before the end of the project
- Writing the articles for the bi-monthly volunteers' newsletter LiNK and EVS Kalamata blog
- Development of a personal project within the already existing activities.
- Taking care of the Youth Centre and its activities
- Taking care of the Youth Centre's and KANE's maintenance (cleaning, keeping the timetable etc.)
- Preparing and assisting in external activities (school visits, info-days, other cultural and educational activities in the city)
- Assisting other civil society organizations in some of their activities (events, workshops, meetings, etc.), including the Kalamata Street Festival

 ΚΕΝΤΡΟ ΜΕΣΗ	Αίθουσα Room	Δευτέρα Monday	Τρίτη Tuesday	Τετάρτη Wednesday	Πέμπτη Thursday
17.00-18.00	Νερό / Water				
	Αέρας / Air	17.00-18.00 Αγιογραφία (Α) Religious Painting		16.00-18.00 Αγιογραφία (Β) Religious Painting	
	Γη / Earth	17.00-18.30 Αγγλικά αρχάριοι(Α) English beginners <b>ΝΕΟ ΤΜΗΜΑ</b>	Ελληνικά αρχάριοι Greek beginners	Ρωσικά Προχωρημένοι Advanced Russian	Κιθάρα για παιδιά Guitar for kids
	Φωτιά / Fire	16.30-18.00 Yoga (Α)		16.00-19.00 Ζωγραφική / Γλυπτική Painting / Sculpture	Παραδοσιακοί Χοροί Αρχάριοι Beginners Traditional Dance
18.00-19.00	Νερό / Water	Κοσμήματα Accessories <b>ΝΕΟ ΤΜΗΜΑ</b>	Φωτογραφία Photography	Δεξιότητες Επιβίωσης Life Hacks <b>ΝΕΟ ΤΜΗΜΑ</b>	Σέρβικα Serbian
	Αέρας / Air	17.00-19.00 Αγιογραφία (Α) Religious Painting	18.00-20.00 Δημιουργία Ταινιών Film making	Ρώσικα αρχάριοι <b>ΝΕΟ ΤΜΗΜΑ</b> Russian Beginners	18.00-20.00 Decourage advanced
	Γη / Earth	17.00-18.30 Αγγλικά αρχάριων (Α) English for beginners <b>ΝΕΟ ΤΜΗΜΑ</b>	18.00-20.00 Λέσχη Ανάγνωσης Reading club	18.30-20.00 Νοηματική προχωρημένων Sign language advanced	Τουρκικά Turkish
	Φωτιά / Fire	Capoeira	Γουκαλίλι Yukulele	16.00-19.00 Ζωγραφική / Γλυπτική Painting / Sculpture	Παραδοσιακοί Χοροί Προχ. Advanced Traditional Dances
19.00-20.00	Νερό / Water	Ιταλικά αρχάριοι (Α) Italian beginners	Γερμανικά German <b>ΝΕΟ ΤΜΗΜΑ</b>	Δημιουργική γραφή Creative writing	
	Αέρας / Air	19.00-20.30 Αγγλικά αρχάριοι (Α1) English beginners	18.00-20.00 Δημιουργία Ταινιών Film making	Ιταλικά αρχάριοι (Β) <b>ΝΕΟ ΤΜΗΜΑ</b> Italian beginners	18.00-20.00 Decourage advanced
	Γη / Earth	19.00-20.30 Αγγλικά μέσοι (Α2) Intermediate English (A2)	18.00-20.00 Λέσχη Ανάγνωσης Reading club	18.30-20.00 Νοηματική προχωρημένοι Sign language advanced	Γαλλικά προχωρημένοι Advanced French
	Φωτιά / Fire	Ταϊ Τσι αρχάριοι Tai Chi beginners	19.30-21.00 Yoga (Β)	19.00-19.30 Baby English 19:30-20:00 Baby French <b>ΝΕΟ ΤΜΗΜΑ</b>	19.00-21.00 Kick Boxing
20.00-21.00	Νερό / Water	Περσικά μέσα της ποίησης του Τζελαλεντίν Ρουμί Persian thought Xheleledin Rumi's poetry	Ελληνικά Προχωρημένοι Advanced Greek		
	Αέρας / Air	19.00-20.30 English beginners 20.30-22.00 Sign language beginners	Γαλλικά αρχάριοι French for beginners		Ισπανικά αρχάριοι Spanish for beginners
	Γη / Earth	19.00-20.30 Αγγλικά μέσοι (Α2) Intermediate English (A2)	20.30-22.00 Βελονάκι αρχάριοι Beginner's Crochet		Κιθάρα αρχάριοι Guitar for beginners
	Φωτιά / Fire	Ταϊ Τσι Προχωρημένοι Advanced Tai Chi	19.30-21.00 Yoga	Εκδηλώσεις/ Σεμινάρια Events / Seminars	19.00-21.00 Kick Boxing
21.00-22.00	Νερό / Water				
	Αέρας / Air	20.30-22.00 Νοηματική αρχάριοι Sign language for beginners	Συζήτηση στα Αγγλικά Conversational English		
	Γη / Earth	20.30-22.00 Βελονάκι Προχωρ. Advanced Crochet	20.30-22.00 Βελονάκι αρχάριοι Beginner's Crochet		Κιθάρα Προχωρημένοι Advanced Guitar
	Φωτιά / Fire	Salsa αρχάριοι Salsa beginners	Kick Boxing		Salsa Προχωρημένοι Advanced Salsa



## Accommodation

Volunteers are hosted in the youth hostel and guest house, two volunteers in each room. The hostel and the guest house are fully equipped with refrigerator, washing machine, vacuum cleaner, heating system, oven, plates, glasses, sheets, blankets, pillows.



## Travel cost

Travel costs are covered by program, based on the travel distance calculator ([https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/resources/distance-calculator\\_en](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/resources/distance-calculator_en)).



## Food and pocket money

The volunteer will receive:

- food allowance - every 1st of the month, paid with cash by the Hosting Organisation
- pocket money allowance - every 15th of the month, paid with cash by the Hosting Organisation

The volunteer will receive the first money 2 weeks after arrival and the last money on the last day of his/her ESC.

## How to apply

If you are interested in participating in the project and you are resident of Poland, please contact us at: [nadiana@ngokane.org](mailto:nadiana@ngokane.org).

