

EVENT DESCRIPTION SHEET

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PROJECT	
Participant:	1 - SLOVENSKE DARMOTY
PIC number:	947231967
Project name and acronym:	

EVENT DESCRIPTION	
Event number:	WP1 (101156896 (SLOVDARMOTY) - CERV-2023-CITIZENS-TOWN-TT)
Event name:	THE EUROPE WE KNOW AND LOVE [SLOVDARMOTY]
Type:	TOWN-TWINNING MEETING
In situ/online:	in-situ
Location:	SLOVAKIA - SLOVENSKE DARMOTY
Date(s):	26/08/2025 – 30/08/2025
Website(s) (if any):	https://www.slovenskedarmoty.sk/obec/partnerske-obce/projekty-eacea/zhrnutie-projektu-europa-ktoru-pozname-a-lubime-393sk.html EDS:
Participants	
Female:	400
Male:	400
Non-binary:	0
From country 1 [S.DARMOTY-SK]:	620
From country 2 [ÉRSEKVADKERT, B.GYARMAT, NÓGRÁDMARCAL, MATRA FEDERAL -HU]:	100
From country 3 [RUCAR-RO]:	10
From country 4 ([SAN NICOLA, CASAPULLA-IT]:	20
From country 5 [VLACHOVICE-CZ]:	10

From country 6 [HEIMENKIRCH-GE]::	10	
From country 7 [KAMEZ-AL]::	10	
From country 8 [VRLIKA-CR]: :	10	
From country 9 [BALTA-UA)	10	
Total number of participants:	180	From total number of countries: 9

Description

Provide a short description of the event and its activities.

The venue of the TOWN-TWINNIG Meeting: SLOVENSKÉ DARMOTY (SZLOVÁKGYARMAT) SK

The 5 days meeting will take place from 26-30 Jun 2025, with the immediate result of further expanding our cooperation and deepening the idea of solidarity between our citizens and peoples. To get to know as much as possible the opinions from different parts of Europe, to be directly involved in shaping the future of Europe. Representatives from the eastern and western parts of Europe, from the founding countries and the new Member States, came together to make proposals and express their views.

The most important results are the expansion of knowledge in the following areas:

- Cross-border mobility, free contact with relatives, travel for commercial and tourist purposes
- Freedom of employment, employment in neighboring countries, Europe
- Introduction of the euro – relative stability of the common currency
- The issue of equal opportunities – dealing with violence within the family and society, the objectives of EU legislation and reality.

Our goal was to effectively communicate the results already achieved and good practices, and to pass on knowledge that forms the basis of our European identity. Our meeting promoted human dignity, freedom, commitment to democracy, the enforcement of the rights of disadvantaged people and refugees, and progress in the area of equality between women and men, including at the local level.

We focused on getting to know Europe better during the meeting, but programs promoting cultural dialogue and solidarity also added color to our meeting. By organizing a sister city meeting based on anniversary solidarity, we were able to reach a much wider audience than usual, which resulted in:

- The development of international relations between civil organizations and associations
- More effective involvement of the younger generation in building the future of Europe,
- Further expansion of our cooperation and deepening of the idea of solidarity between our citizens and peoples.

Number of participating countries: **9** (SK, HU, RO, IT, CZ, GE, AL, CR, UKR).

Number of direct individual participants (= total number of participants in the event): **800**

Estimated number of invited/international participants ("invited participants": travelling delegations from eligible partner countries other than the host country of the twinning): **180**:

ÉRSEKVADKERT, BGY, N.MARCAL, MÁTRAI - **HU: 100 persons** (50 men+50 women)

RUCAR - **RO: 10 persons** (5 men + 5 women)

SAN NICOLA LA STRADA, CASAPULLA - **IT: 20 persons** (10 men+10 women)

VLACHOVICE - **CZ: 10 persons** (5 men+5 women)

HEIMENKIRCH - **GE: 10 persons** (5 male+5 female)

KAMEZ-**AL: 10 persons** (5 men+5 women)

VRLIKA-**CR: 10 persons** (5 men+5 women)

BALTA-UA: **10 persons** (5 men+5 women)

SLOVENSKE DARMOTY-**SK: 620** (310 men + 310 women) participated.

Brief description of the target groups: 400 women - 400 men - 0-29 - 400 people, 30-65 - 300 people, 65+ - 100 people (estimated)

Agenda of the event:

June 26, 2025 "The Europe we know and love" – an initiative to preserve common European values, pass on knowledge, and build the future.

June 27, 2025 – Europe is our home: drawing and photo exhibition. "The European Union" and the meaning behind the words, Knowledge Transfer Program – confronting misconceptions with reality. "What has the EU given us?" – 20 years – 20 achievements – what the EU has done for us. Discussion: Assistance, partnership, human rights and democracy, youth issues and opportunities in the EU, Europe's green future.

28 June 2025. "European Culture Day" – cultural parade in partnership

June 29, 2025. Day of Acceptance! Freedom – Solidarity, Humanity: discussion forum (questions and answers): The future of Europe in the areas of free movement, employment, and education.

June 30, 2025. "We Overcame the Borders" – 1989/2024, Pan-European Picnic and the fall of the Iron Curtain – sailing on the border river, the Ipoly

Do we know Europe? – Do we know why we love Europe? Closing of the discussion forum, evaluation of the program.

PROGRAM

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Dissemination activities: Pictures of the event + press, social media, video link

Outputs: Event Description Sheet (ESD) + link to the municipality /organisation website + pictures of the event or link to the pictures

WEBSITE

<https://www.slovenskedarmoty.sk/>

<https://www.slovenskedarmoty.sk/obec/partnerske-obce/projekty-eacea/>

EDS:

Dissemination activities:

We expected the work of our multi-stakeholder twinned community, as well as associations and NGOs working in partnership with us, to promote and disseminate the aims of our project at European level. Citizens from Western and Eastern European countries, i.e. different cultures, enriched our

cooperation. Our partners from different cultural backgrounds are able to carry out a wide range of dissemination activities. Our municipalities have social media platforms, newspapers, websites, but thanks to their wide media contacts we have also been able to involve media actors with a wider reach in the wide dissemination of the project results.

- Dissemination through social media platforms, website - project film about the event,
- Media presence
- Photo exhibition
- Organising public events for the press
- Audio visual tools (radio, TV, youtube video)
- Presentation of the project results at local, regional and national events

The results of the meeting were published on the following communication platforms:

Delegations' websites

The dissemination of the results of our project and cooperation at European level is ensured by our partners on the websites of the municipalities.

Karácsond:

Golianovo:

Iliny

Balassagyarmat:

Nógrádmárcal:

Use of social media platforms: We want to bring the aims and results of our project to as many citizens in Europe as possible: **FACEBOOK**

PHOTOS

<https://www.slovenskedarmoty.sk/obec/partnerske-obce/projekty-eacea/zhrnutie-projektu-europa-ktoru-pozname-a-lubime-393sk.html#&qid=1&pid=10>

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POSTERS

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MEDIA

PRINT MEDIA – INTRO

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PROJECT FILM MAKING

Description: we produced a video to accompany the event, which, in addition to documenting the programmes, will also broadcast the results to a wide audience. 30 perces projekt film:

YouTube link. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LRbOT6wl9_U

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UwFS1iCw6Ro>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=97QvCFc-CM>

HISTORY OF CHANGES

VERSION	PUBLICATION DATE	CHANGE
1.0	01.04.2022	Initial version (new MFF).