

# Infosheet

#### Sanet y Negrals, Alicante





#### GENERAL INFORMATION

Language: English, Spanish

Type of work: Manual and organizational

Type of project: VOLUNTEERING

**Duration: 60 days** 

Age of volunteer: 18 - 30

Project location: La Marina, Alicante, Spain

#### MEETING POINT:

#### DENIA BUS STATION (We will pick you up)

Departure: Please organise your departure after 1 pm. Our team will take you to Denia Bus Station at 07 am.

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#### · ABOUT · DE AMICITIA

#### AN ENVIRONMENTAL NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATION, MEMBER OF ALLIANCE NETWORK OF EUROPEAN VOLUNTEERING ORGANISATIONS.

De Amicitia is an Environmental non-profit, non-governmental organization registered in the Spanish National Associations Register since 1998. No. 164471 Tax No. G82128281.

De Amicitia is a member of The Alliance of European Voluntary Service Organizations an International Non-Governmental Youth Organization that represents national organizations that promote intercultural education, understanding and peace through voluntary service.

De Amicitia provides an opportunity for volunteers, both

youngsters and adults, to take part in local and international volunteering activities, especially towards social protection and sustainable development. These mainly include international workcamps, but also activities in the local areas.

In addition, De Amicitia takes part in international youth exchanges and seminars, both as a host and sending organization. These are focused primarily on social activities and promoting development, peace and human rights.





# ABOUT THE WORK

We are always working on and taking care of our volunteer house for the workcamp season and diferents activities and your job will be general maintenance to welcome volunteers from the different projects. You are going to be part of a group of people whose main objective will be to keep the house in good condition, suggest improvements and make sure they are carried out, as well as participate in the projects that take place in the house, among others. It is mostly manual work but also organizational. This is the best opportunity to develop your leadership skills.

The volunteers will have an opportunity to live together in a group of people of different nationalities, so they can learn many interesting things from each other, cook together, raise their level of cultural tolerance and practice English and Spanish. In addition, it's a great experience to work in a team, especially in an international one. It's a project where you can show all your resolution capacity, creativity, and make some memories! Being with the local community, the core volunteers will have a chance to learn about Spanish culture. We are looking for volunteers who are decisive and willing to lead a group, develop her/his entrepreneurship skills, taking initiative and intercultural skills, to do manual and organizational work. You need to be flexible and empathetic and also open to get to know new people from new cultures. <u>Driver's license and basic Spanish will be highly valued.</u>





#### ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD

The volunteers will stay in a volunteer house, with four rooms with several bunk beds and bathrooms. They will share rooms with possible participants of diffrents projects. The house includes a nice kitchen in which the volunteers will cook for themselves so bring some reciepts from your country. Food expenses are covered by De Amicitia. Sheets and pillows are available but you need to bring your sleeping bags (check with the organizer).





## LOCATION, LEISURE

Sanet is a small town in the southwest of Spain close to Dénia (Comunidad de Valencia) in beautiful countryside, surrounded by hills which are great for hiking - there are a lot of hiking trails to discover. Dénia is only 10 minutes by car. The house is located right in the middle of town, so there are great opportunities to interact and socialize with the locals and to truly experience the Spanish countryside. Furthermore, the volunteers can make excursions to Ondara and El Vergel, local towns close to Sanet. The surrounding villages like Benimelli and Ràfol d'Almunia can also be visited. There will also be day trips to the beach which is about 15 minutes by car from Sanet if you have time.

Keep in mind you may need some extra money for free-time activities (not obligatory).



#### INTERCULTURAL EVENING

The intercultural evening is a good way of intercultural learning. In every project, there is one evening when all participants present their country in a relaxed way – making a presentation, watching photos, telling stories, tasting typical dishes, drinks and sweets, dances etc.

Please, have this evening in your mind while preparing your luggage to share a piece of your culture with the rest of the volunteers.





### WHAT TO BRING WITH YOU



Passport or/and identification card.

EUROPEAN HEALTH CARD (or additional travel insurance).



Sleeping bag



Sun-cream (high factor), Insect repellent.



Swimsuit, Sunglasses, Hat



Walking shoes



Flip flops or sandals to use in the water



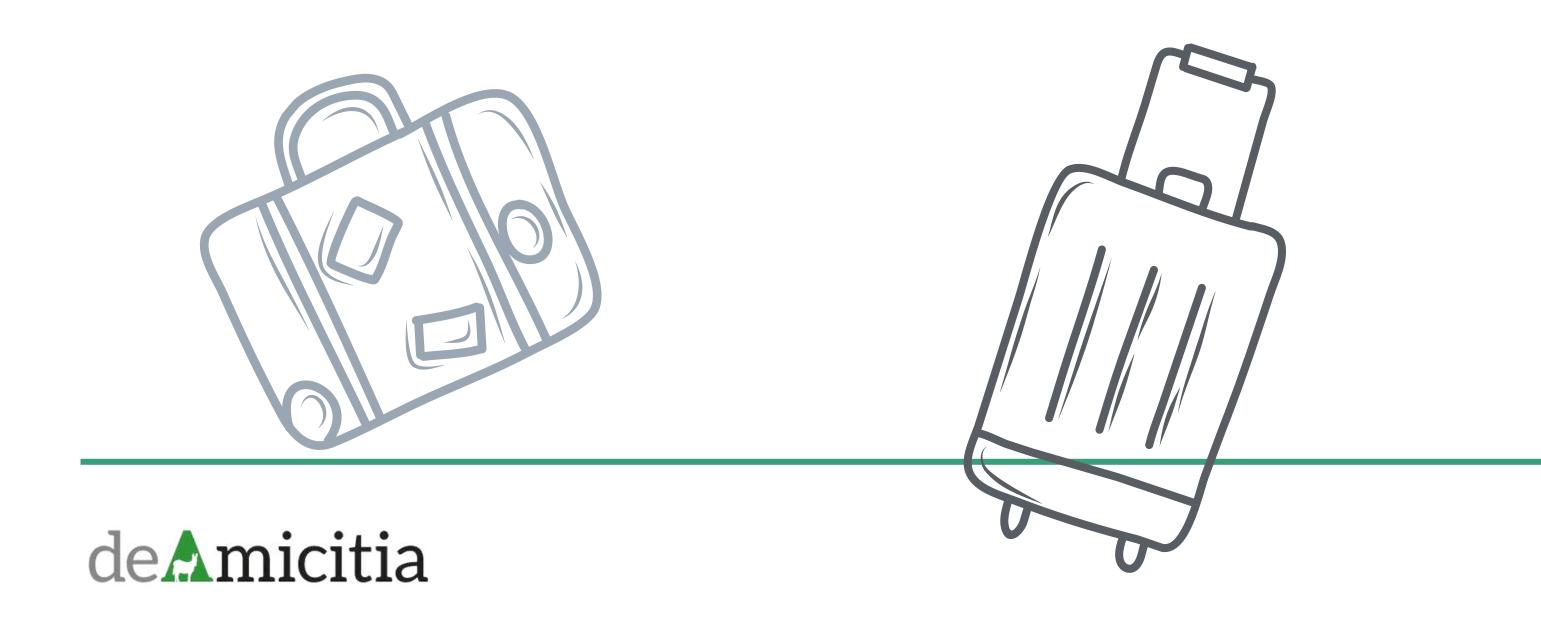
Towel, personal hygiene items (soap, shampoo, cream, tooth paste etc.).



You can also bring your own instruments, some card or board games that you would like to share.

#### Remember that if you have any allergies or illnesses bring any medicine that you may need.

And of course, don't forget to bring your motivation and "desire";)

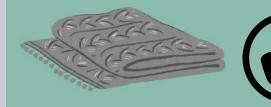


#### FACILITIES AND RECOMMENDATIONS

#### WHAT WE HAVE AND DON'T HAVE

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**BED SHEETS AND BLANKETS** 



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WASHING MASHINE

When you are packing your bag, please consider to travel with a **HAND LUGGAGE/BACKPACK** that you can take inside the flight, instead of CHECKED IN LUGGAGE.

1) Every year lots of our volunteers experience some problems as the airways losing their luggages during the travel and they have to finalise the camp without their personal belongings.

2) Big luggages usually don't fit easly to pick up transports.

3) Big luggages occupies lots of space in the shared rooms.



## SOME BASIC RULES

- Please, keep in mind that any use of any drugs is illegal and forbidden.
- Abuse of alcohol is not allowed so no drinking during the projects activities.
- Smoking is prohibited inside and outside the house. Please respect the others.
- Noise and loud talking can disturb the other people on the campsite and village so we have to respect them.
- Every participant is responsible to keep her/his rooms and the

common area clean. The house should be left as clean as when you arrived.

We encourage participants to use Wi-Fi/internet in a limited amount to engage better in group life.





#### HOW TO GET TO THE MEETING POINT

There will be a pick up service from the **Denia Bus Station**.

You can buy the bus ticket from Alicante or Valencia Airport to Denia Bus Station in: <u>https://www.alsa.es/</u>

We recommend Alicante airport because you can take the bus at the airport that takes you to Denia (with a change in Benidorm) so it is easier than Valencia airport.

Please organise your **departure after 1 pm on the last day**. Our team will take **you** to the DENIA Bus Station at 7 am





#### DOCUMENTATION

Due to the fact that this is a ESC Project you will have to comply with several documents to be able to participate in it and recieve your pocket money (5,00  $\in$  per day) and travel expenses 275  $\in$  for those coming from other EU countries <u>(Depends on</u> <u>the country ask to the organizer)</u>

Volunteers have to sign a contract to participate in the project. Misbehaving and failure to comply with house rules and obligations may lead to the cancellation of your participation, so please be aware that this is a volunteering project, not a simple holiday.





## CONTACTS

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# DISCLAIMER

IT CAN HAPPEN IN A PROJECT THAT VALUABLE THINGS CAN BE LOST. KEEP EYE ON YOUR BELONGINGS. <u>DE</u> <u>AMICITIA IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY LOST OR</u> <u>STOLEN PROPERTY.</u>

IF YOU THINK YOU HAVE SOMETHING VALUABLE, YOU CAN ALWAYS GIVE IT TO THE CAMP LEADER.

WE WOULD LIKE TO MAKE SURE YOU UNDERSTAND AND ACCEPT THAT SOME UNEXPECTED CHANGES MAY OCCUR REGARDING THE ACTIVITIES – BEAR IN MIND IT'S A VOLUNTEERING PROJECT, SO PLEASE DON'T TAKE EACH WORD WRITTEN ABOVE AS A FACT, INFOSHEET IS NOT A CONTRACT. DE AMICITIA RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHANGE, MODIFY, ADD OR REMOVE SOME ELEMENTS OF THE ABOVE CONTENT.

BY PARTICIPTING IN THIS PROJECT YOU ACCEPT THAT ALL IMAGES TAKEN CAN BE USE BY DE AMICITIA FOR THE PROMOTION OF VOLUNTEERING ACTIVITIES

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION.

