



2nd - 7th October 2023 Europaburg Neumarkt / Austria

Last updated: 1st August 2023

Date:	Monday, 2 nd October – Saturday, 7 th October 2023				
Participants:	30-35 young Europeans from Albania, Armenia, Georgia, Greece, Hungary, Turkey and				
	Ukraine				
Contents:	Peace in Europe and the World, legislation (EU, UN), intercultural training, leisure activities				
	in the region				

The European Youth Forum Neumarkt wants to provide a significant input for the development of the European Union and its peace policy. The EYFON-team and external speakers from relevant institutions will discuss with the seminar participants and are available with their specialist knowledge. A selected leisure program will strengthen team building and ensure conviviality and relaxation.

When?	What?	Where?	Who?	How?
	DAY	1 – Monday, 2 nd Octob	er 2023	
from 15:00	Arrival and check-in, allocation of rooms, exploring the castle	Castle Courtyard, Knights' Hall	EYFON-team	Guided tour around the castle, house rules, safety instructions
parallel	Welcome-Snack	Castle Courtyard	CATERING	
17:00	Get-together	Castle Courtyard	EYFON-team	Q&A-session, group pictures
	EYFON presentation, introduction to the program Presentations of the participants	AudiMax	EYFON-team ALL	Team presentation, Q&A-session
19:00	Dinner	Knights' Hall	CATERING	
20:00	Get-to-know-each-other- activities	AudiMax	EYFON-team	Teambuilding, icebreaker-games
	DAY	[′] 2 – Tuesday, 3 rd Octobe	er 2023	
08:00	Breakfast	Knights' Hall	CATERING	
from 09:30	<u>Contents:</u> "Between media coverage and propaganda: Information and war. Historical and present perspectives" (tbc)	AudiMax	Mag. Dieter Bacher, Ludwig Boltzmann Institute for consequences of war research (tbc)	Lecture / discussion
ca. 12:30	Lunch	Castle Courtyard	CATERING	
14:00	<u>Contents:</u> Erasmus+ and mobility programs (tbc)	AudiMax	Mag.Dr.Dr.h.c. Thomas Bauer, Head of the International Office – PH Wien (tbc)	Workshop
ca. 16:00	Archery	Castle Courtyard	teamgeist	Group activity
19:00	Dinner	Castle Courtyard, Knights' Hall	CATERING	
20:00	<u>Castle Talk</u> "A new European Future Culture" (tbc)	AudiMax	Daniel Kennedy, M.Sc, M.A., International Development Expert, Founder of Future Class and Dr. Claudia Weyringer, EYFON (tbc)	Informal Talk, Q&A
	DAY 3	– Wednesday, 4 th Octo	ber 2023	
08:00	Breakfast	Knights' Hall	CATERING	
09:15	Energizer	Castle Courtyard	EYFON-team	Group activity
09:30	<u>Contents:</u> "European Identity?!+-" (tbc)	AudiMax	Dr. Laszlo Kovacs, KJU Hungary (tbc)	Lecture / discussion
12:00	Lunch	Castle Courtyard, Knights' Hall	CATERING	
13:30	Contents: Cross Cultural Training	AudiMax	tbc	Workshop
16:00	TabTour / Europe	Naturpark Zirbitzkogel- Grebenzen	teamgeist	Group activity / Knowledge and creativity
18:30	Barbecue	Castle Courtyard, Knights' Hall	CATERING	
20:00	Intercultural Evening	AudiMax	ALL	Country-presentations of the participants
		Y 4 – Thursday, 5 th Octobe	1	
08:00	Breakfast	Knights' Hall	CATERING	
09:00	<u>Contents:</u> "Sustainable Development Goals – Your future Lab" (tbc)	AudiMax	Georg Redlhammer, Creative Mind Author (tbc)	Lecture / Workshop
12:30	Lunch	Castle Courtyard, Knights' Hall	CATERING	
14:00	Hiking at "Graggerschlucht" and/or "Energy Tour"	St. Marein bei Neumarkt/Murau	EYFON-team	Group activity

18:00	Dinner	Castle Courtyard, Knights' Hall	CATERING	Evening at leisure			
DAY 5 – Friday, 6 th October 2023							
08:00	Breakfast	Knights' Hall	CATERING				
from 09:00	<u>Contents:</u> "Courage, Young Europeans!"	AudiMax	Dr. Christoph Leitl, EYFON- team	Open discussion			
12:00	Lunch	Castle Courtyard, Knights' Hall	CATERING				
15:00	Season's Closing Event	Castle Courtyard	ALL	Festivity with wine, chestnuts and music – open event for all participants, friends, partners and supporters of EYFON			
from 17:00	OPTIONAL: Check-out / Departure						
18:00	Dinner	Local Inn (Gasthaus zum Bräuer); Schwarzer Adler					
	DAY 6 (0	Optional) – Saturday, 7 th Oc	tober 2023				
08:00	Breakfast	Knights' Hall	CATERING				
from 09:00	<u>Contents:</u> Lessons learned, evaluation, plans for the future, open discussion	AudiMax	EYFON-team	Discussion / Handout "EU for you"			
	Lunch-packages		CATERING				
from 10:00	Departure		EYFON-team / ALL				

Subject to changes

Important information:

Neumarkt in der Steiermark is at over 800m above sea level, it can be cool - especially at night. Please bring suitable clothing. For leisure activities solid shoes, loose leisure clothing and - just in case - rainwear are required. Accommodation is in shared rooms (rooms for 2, 4 and 6 are available, bed linen and towels are provided). Culinary delights for the whole seminar week will be planned and delivered by our caterer. Please announce any intolerances and wishes regarding food (vegetarian / vegan) in advance so that the caterer can plan the meals accordingly.

Parking is available directly in front of the Europaburg, the address is Schloßleiten 6, 8820 Neumarkt in der Steiermark / Austria. For travel issues (transfers, reimbursement) please contact Kathrin Traumüller / <u>office@eyfon.at</u> directly.

All costs for your stay including accommodation, food, seminars, leisure activities and transfers are included. Scholarships for travel expenses from/to Neumarkt will be provided upon request, the budget is limited. Please help us to keep the expenses for travelling at a reasonable level and bring all receipts and tickets with you for the reimbursement during the seminar week.

For further questions please contact our local project coordinator - Kathrin Traumüller - <u>office@eyfon.at</u> directly.