

Interactive youth center as a space for individual development

Eglė Rimeikytė Vilnius, Lithuania



- Mission to enable young people to acquire (new) social skills, ensure the safe area and time.
- Center activities are organized so that it can attend both - motivated and less motivated young people. Take into account the social risk families.





- Working as open youth center— 4 years already.
- At the moment more than 20 paid workers.
- Main partner in Vilnius working with NEET youngsters.
- Two more departments in different parts of Vilnius.
- More then 6 different activities for different youngsters.





Vilnius open youth center «Mes» (III)



Open youth space «Spotas»

- ✓ Theater
- ✓ Girls evenings
- ✓ Cooking
- ✓ Social skill evening
- ✓ Spanish language lessons
- ✓ And everything else, what youngsters would like to do. . .





SPOTAS – place to be (safe)!

Let it go!









Give opportunity to fail!

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Ask and listen!

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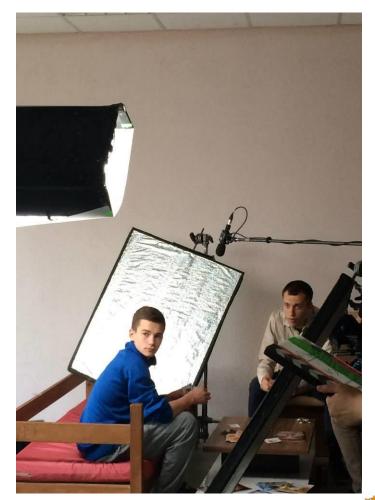
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Talk with people, organizations, community, other NGO's around!

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CHANGE! LEADERS FOR ACTIVE PARTICIPATION





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Important!

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- investment to youth worker;
- supervisions and intervisions;
- team buildings;
- ask and <u>listen</u>.







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