

EU GREEN WEEK 2023

AGENDA

*Skills for sustainable,
resilient, and socially
fair communities*



3-11 June 2023

#EUGreenWeek
PARTNER EVENT

Saturday 3rd June

10:00-11:30

Event: Around the world, ecological workshop for children

- Place: Eco Centre Radulovački, Sremski Karlovci
- Organiser: Vojvodina Environmental Movement, Sremski Karlovci
- Description: This workshop will follow on previously organized workshops and will discuss sustainable ways of protecting the environment in Italy, France, Serbia and India, and how to apply good examples on our ground in Sremski Karlovci, in Dvorska Bašta, Dunavac and on the green area near the elementary school in Sremski Karlovci.

11:00-14:00

Event: Eco kids workshop

- Place: Golubac, City Park
- Organiser: Event Planner
- Description: Family day with workshop for kids to enhance healthy way of living in healthy surroundings. Workshop starts with sport activity on the open space, followed by healthy breakfast from domestic and organic food that children will prepare for themselves together with our professors. Fashion show with dresses from cotton and recycled materials will follow. Finally, children will play with biodegradable cubes and plant the herbs. Cubes from recycled cardboard will be used for kids to write eco theme drawings and messages. In the package, it comes disassembled, so that the children will first play to put them together and try them out, and then plant the herbs in an inverted cube, and then take them home and plant them together with the capsule in their yard, in a larger pot or in a kindergarten or school.

16:00-19:00

Event: Eco kids workshop

- Place: Veliko Gradište, Ram Fortress
- Organiser: Event Planner
- Description: Family day with workshop for kids to enhance healthy way of living in healthy surroundings. Workshop starts with sport activity on the open space, followed by healthy breakfast from domestic and organic food that children will prepare for themselves together with our professors. Fashion show with dresses from cotton and recycled materials will follow. Finally, children will play with biodegradable cubes and plant the herbs. Cubes from recycled cardboard will be used for kids to write eco theme drawings and messages. In the package, it comes disassembled, so that the children will first play to put them together and try them out, and then plant the herbs in an inverted cube, and then take them home and plant them together with the capsule in their yard, in a larger pot or in a kindergarten or school.

Sunday 4th June

10:00-13:00

Event: Eco kids workshop

- Place: Požarevac, Ljubičevo
- Organiser: Event Planner
- Description: Family day with workshop for kids to enhance healthy way of living in healthy surroundings. Workshop starts with sport activity on the open space, followed by healthy breakfast from domestic and organic food that children will prepare for themselves together with our professors. Fashion show with dresses from cotton and recycled materials will follow. Finally, children will play with biodegradable cubes and plant the herbs. Cubes from recycled cardboard will be used for kids to write eco theme drawings and messages. In the package, it comes disassembled, so that the children will first play to put them together and try them out, and then plant the herbs in an inverted cube, and then take them home and plant them together with the capsule in their yard, in a larger pot or in a kindergarten or school.

Monday 5th June

09:30-14:30

Event: World Environment Day Celebration

- Place: Art Pavilion "Cvijeta Zuzorić", Mali Kalemegdan 1, Belgrade
- Organiser: UNDP/Ministry of Environment/United Nations/European Union
- Description: Green Ideas, Projects and Investments Marketplace
The event will showcase innovative ideas for the green transformation of Serbian economy and bring together businesses, banks, government officials, and representatives of international community. It will feature panel discussions on the green agenda innovation and financing, as well as meetings between companies and banks. Additional activities at Kalemegdan fortress and in front of the Art Pavilion "Cvijeta Zuzorić" include an outdoor photo exhibition of innovative green solutions, a fashion exhibition of dresses made from recycled jeans, a quiz on environmental topics, and an outdoor gym made of wood waste. Also, a climate capsule will offer a glimpse into the future that awaits us if we do nothing to combat climate change.

10:00-14:00

Event: EcoLogic Expo (Partner Event)

- Place: Niš Fortress
- Organiser: The Academy of Applied Technical and Preschool Studies - ATVSS Odsek Niš / Office for Youth – Municipality Crveni Krst
- Description: The event promotes eco-friendly practices and technologies through interactive exhibits, aiming to develop skills for sustainable, resilient, and socially fair communities. It includes green technologies, transportation, food production, recycling and waste reduction, building materials, and design.

Tuesday 6th June

12:00-14:00

Event: Study visit to RWMC in Pirot

- Place: RWMC Pirot, Muntina padina bb, 18300 Pirot
- Organiser: City of Pirot with support of ODVAJAMO project (funded by the EU, Sweden and Serbia)
- Description: Guided tour of RWMC Pirot for schoolchildren from 4 municipalities from the region (Pirot, Babušnica, Dimitrovgrad and Bela Palanka) and media. The aim is to further educate/inform schoolchildren through guided tour of the landfill and engage them as further ambassadors of the project and waste management system in general. The children, as well as the media and through them the general public, will learn more about the functioning of the sanitary landfill and the journey of one can or one PET bottle which is adequately separated (the idea is to strengthen the trust in the system).

10:00-14:30

Event: Seminar: "Challenges and examples of good practice in improving the energy efficiency of schools"

- Place: hotel Hyatt Regency, Belgrade (check the sign-up policy)
- Organiser: Embassy of France
- Description: Ekoopština competition for Serbian towns and municipalities, the French Embassy is organizing an information seminar for local representatives and technical experts on the topic of sustainable energy management: "The challenge and best practices for improving the energy efficiency of schools". With speakers from Serbia and France, the aim of this seminar will be to raise awareness among local authorities of the challenges and best practices for preserving the environment and combating climate change, in particular through sustainable management of their infrastructures

09:00-14:30

Event: Green transition: Interactive workshop for a sustainable future (Partner Event)

- Place: UK Parobrod, Belgrade
- Organiser: Regional Centre for Environmental Law – RCEL
- Description: An exciting and collaborative event where business sector and NGO representatives come together to tackle the most important questions related to environmental protection and sustainable development goals, while discussing opportunities for collaboration, dialogue, and conflict resolution. Through a guided discussion we aim to reach conclusions about the potential of uniting these two stakeholders to promote green transition and environmental protection.

Wednesday 7th June

10:00-12:00

Event: Panda Labs Junior for Just Transition (EUKI)

- Place: EU info centre, Kralja Milana 7, Belgrade
- Organiser: WWF/EU funded project
- Description: Students from Obrenovac Technical school's ecological section will promote an "ecological footprint calculator" developed by themselves. They will demonstrate how any of us can do it in order to raise awareness on exhausting Earth's natural resources. Moreover, they are working on green solutions in dealing with climate change and energy transition, so it will be interesting to hear what they have to say!

12:00-14:00

Event: Serbia Actions in the Field of Environment, Nature and Climate - Safe Nature and Climate

- Place: EU info centre, Kralja Milana 7, Belgrade
- Organiser: WWF/EU funded project
- Description: EKOMAR project team's main focus is on conducting an analysis of current water reserves in Serbia. They will present interesting data on how small drinking water supplies are and what are possible ways to bypass potential crises. In addition, the audience will hear more about being responsible when it comes to this natural resource.

16:00-20:00

Event: Family day at Silosi – Swedish Presidency of the EU

- Place: Silosi, Belgrade
- Organiser: Swedish Embassy and development cooperation partners
- Description: Opening of the Bazaar "Cooperation of Sustainability" presenting development cooperation projects funded by Sweden. Several development projects are also funded by the EU and implemented in cooperation with the Ministry of Environmental Protection.

Friday 9th June

10:00-12:00

Event: Fragrant benches

- Place: Niš Fortress
- Organiser: EUIP Niš (in partnership with Public utility company Mediana Niš)
- Description: The main idea is an arrangement of some of the park areas in the city and making an "open spa" for visitors. Practically, fine aromatic herbs such as lavender, thyme rosemary, oregano, etc. would be planted around the benches. Info-board would inform visitors of the positive impact of these plants. The plants surrounding the benches contribute to the health of visitors, strengthening their motor, sensory and cognitive potential and giving them complete pleasure for all senses.

08:30-14:00

Event: SustainStudy (Partner Event)

- Place: Antona Čehova 4, Edjšeg Cultural station, Novi Sad

- Organiser: Ecoconcept Pogon SME

- Description: The training for teachers is part of the Erasmus + project "SustainStudy". The aim of the training is to improve knowledge and skills for the implementation of Sustainable Development Goals topics in the school curriculum. The selected goals are focused on the topic of water, from the relation of food - water - nature.

- Topics: Part 1. Water in food production - environmental pressures and climate changes; Part 2. Why shouldn't we throw away food and how is food waste related to water?; Part 3. Materials and exercises for students. The workshop will provide teachers with an expert. All participants receive a certificate of participation in the training from the international project.

Saturday 10th June

12:00-16:00

Event: Circular economy in Serbia - what comes around goes around (Partner Event)

- Place: Faculty of Political Science (Belgrade)

- Organiser: Centre for international public policy (CMJP)

- Description: Our idea is to organise an event that will be dedicated to the promotion of a circular economy, we plan to invite various experts from the fields of political science and economy. The goal is to convey a positive image of circular economy after which we'll move on to problem-solving and group work.

10:00-15:00

Event: The City of Humanity (Partner Event)

- Place: Plato in front of the shopping mall Promenada, Novi Sad

- Organiser: Humanitarian and ecological organization "Čepom do osmeha"

- Description:

- The humanitarian and environmental organization "Čepom do osmeha" is organizing the "City of Humanity" fair event for the fifth year in a row. The idea of the event is to promote, empower, network and provide support to associations whose activity is caring for people with disabilities, mentally underdeveloped people and children with developmental disabilities, as well as advocating for the purpose of improving the position of people from vulnerable groups. Associations will have the opportunity to get to know each other, network and present their handmade products and services. It will also be possible to provide information about the necessity of implementing and developing social entrepreneurship in the form of dialogue and debate for the sake of realizing future business. At the same time, we also organize an interesting program for our youngest with plays and shorter theatrical performances, recitations and songs, with costumes made of recyclable materials.

10:00-15:00

Event: Re-shaping art skills for a sustainable future (Partner Event)

- Place: EU Info Centre, Kralja Milana 7, Belgrade

- Organiser: Green Art Incubator

- Description: The "Re-shaping art skills for a sustainable future" event is conceived as a youth training program - primarily for students from the field of arts, through which they will acquire skills necessary for the production and management of art, creative industries, and events in an ecologically sustainable manner. Through an interactive workshop led by Green Art Incubator experts and professionals in an interdisciplinary field, the students will have an opportunity to explore the main terms and concepts in this area, as well as to get a profound knowledge of climate and environmental crisis, the principles of sustainable development in accordance with national and EU values and strategies, and the possible contribution of creative sectors in affirming and raising awareness on the green agenda. Participants of the workshop will also be acquainted with successful practices in this field on a regional and European level which will help them envision the means of embedding sustainability in their work and developing their future projects in this direction.

08:30-17:30

Event: Family Day (Partner Event)

- Place: Zmaj Jovina 3, Pančevo

- Organiser: Udruženje Kreativnog Aktivizma – UKA

- Description: Ecological workshop on the importance of forests, ecological workshop - Banat birds, ecological workshop - how to plant a tree, ecological workshop - the importance of insects, joint action of planting 20 laurel-cherry trees. Conference for the media.



Sunday 11th June

12:00-16:00

Event: Workshop - Circular economy in Serbia - what comes around goes around (Partner Event)

Place: UTS Garden, Kneza Višeslava 72, Belgrade

Organiser: Centre for international public policy (CMJP)

Description: Our idea is to organize an event that will be dedicated to the promotion of a circular economy, we plan to invite various experts from the fields of political science and economy. The goal is to convey a positive image of circular economy after which we'll move on to problem-solving and group work.

08:30-17:30

Event: Family Day (Partner Event)

Place: Zmaj Jovina 3, Pančevo

Organiser: Udruženje Kreativnog Aktivizma – UKA

Description: Ecological workshop on the importance of forests, ecological workshop - Banat birds, ecological workshop - how to plant a tree, ecological workshop - the importance of insects, joint action of planting 20 laurel-cherry trees. Conference for the media.

Event: VoLim Expedition 5 (Partner Event)

Place: start from Kumaica

Organiser: Discover Serbia

Description: Discover Serbia will implement the planned program as part of the Green Week, VoLim Expedition 5, with the central event being rafting, which will take place on Sunday, June 11, from Kumaica to Brodarevo.

EU Green Week 2023 organized by



In partnership with:



Ministarstvo zaštite
životne sredine



Schweizerische Eidgenossenschaft
Confédération suisse
Confederazione Svizzera
Confederaziun svizra

