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The EYF Newsletter

Welcome back from the summer break!

If you developed materials such as: toolkits, videos, leaflets, PowerPoints with EYF support, **WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!** Share with us any materials, good practices or tools on **gender mainstreaming!!**

Get in touch: eyf@coe.int

Happy reading!



[OUR values: diversity, flexibility, respect, teamwork]

[Updates on Financial Reports to be submitted to EYF]



[Make sure you read the guideline docs before you start your report!]

To help you present a full report and get the outstanding 20% of the grant as quickly as possible after the end of your activity, we developed templates and guideline documents. (See: [Resources/Guidelines and Templates](#))

The “**Guidelines for financial reporting for Pilot Activities, International Activities and Work Plans**” document has been recently updated.

-All reports **received as from 1 September 2014** must follow the guidelines - if not, the report will be sent back.

-**Salaries are not accepted** unless paid by another proven source of funding. While avoiding the professionalization of the youth sector and in agreement with the EYF spirit, no salaries will be covered by EYF grants. [MORE...](#)

[Last pilot activity deadline of the year 2014]



[12 DAYS left if you wish to send your application for this year!]

Unlike the other grant types, applications for pilot activities do not have a specific deadline. Pilot activity applications must however be submitted **at least three months before** the beginning of the activity. The decisions on application are then usually taken by the Programming Committee on Youth **every 4-6 weeks**.

The last batch of applications for pilot activities starting before the end of 2014 will be given to the Programming Committee at the beginning of October. This means that applications must be received **before the 15th of September**. Applications received after the 15th of September should concern projects starting in 2015. [MORE...](#)

[EYF visits 4 activities during summer]

During the July and August summer months the EYF travelled throughout Europe ([Coe Member states](#)) to visit various EYF supported activities.

Our main aims for these visits can be summed up as: **establishing connexions** with youth NGOs, **monitoring** supported projects, **giving feedback** to the Programming Committee (who approves of our visits in advance), **increasing our visibility** and that of the Council of Europe and generally, **getting to know you**. [MORE...](#)



[EYF is coming your way!]

[TESTIMONIALS]



“We are very satisfied with the EYF criteria and straight-forward procedures that take into account the **needs of youth organisations**.”

“Without the support of the EYF, we would not have had the opportunity to have the same number of participants, in particular those coming from **non-EU countries**.”

“We are very satisfied with the procedure and criteria for awarding grants. We especially appreciate your **comments and suggestions for improving the programme** and the project team tasks.”



[“Supporting young people in getting closer to their objectives and their vision of a better future.”]

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