

## Evaluation of the call for small grants

Within the Mosaic of Local Change programme, youth organisations or organisations working with youth had the opportunity to apply for funding for their projects through small grants ranging from €500 to €2,500.

A total of 14 organisations participated in the call by submitting an application, from which the committee selected 10 to sign grant agreements on January 25th, 2024.

### 1. Senica 2.0

**Name of the final beneficiary:** Senica 2.0

**City of registration / Location of the project:** Senica / Senica

**Project title:** Express yourself

**Short description of the project:** The aim of the project is to identify the needs of young people in Senica. Young people are a very important part of any community, of any town. The needs of young people have never been analysed in Senica. The output of the project will be a mapping report on the needs of young people in Senica. The management of the city of Senica will get a complete overview of the youth in their city and will be able to use it in planning their projects.

**Project duration:** II-VI/2024

**Amount:** 2,500 €

### 2. Mladiinfo Slovensko, o. z.

**Name of the final beneficiary:** Mladiinfo Slovensko, o. z.

**City of registration / Location of the project:** Bratislava / Turany nad Ondavou

**Project title:** Creative interconnection of generations

**Short description of the project:** The primary aim of the project is to connect generations through the mutual exchange of experience and skills in creative and artistic fields, to promote the development of creativity and to contribute to the formation of local culture in the municipality of Turany nad Ondavou. Through creative workshops, we will combine traditional techniques of the older citizens of the village, such as embroidery, knitting or carving, with artistic techniques such as linocut, textile painting or handmade books, which are mastered by the younger generations. The result will be authentic works of art. We will then digitise some of them and create unique prints, postcards, T-shirts or books using printing, linocut or other techniques.

**Project duration:** II-VI/2024

**Amount:** 2,500 €

### 3. Mladiinfo Dolný Kubín, o.z.



**Name of the final beneficiary:** Mladiinfo Dolný Kubín, o.z.

**City of registration / Location of the project:** Dolný Kubín / Dolný Kubín

**Project title:** Inspirational base of the Youth Council in the Day Centre

**Short description of the project:** The aim of the project is to improve the facilities for the implementation of regular activities of the Youth Council in Dolný Kubín and to start its active work in 2024 by implementing activities by young people for young people: creation of an inspirational base of the Youth Council in the Day Centre, volunteering during the KUK (book-art-culture) festival 2024, and presentations in schools about EU programmes and the European Solidarity Corps.

**Project duration:** II-VI/2024

**Amount:** 2,500 €

#### 4. DEMDIS, o.z

**Name of the final beneficiary:** DEMDIS, o.z

**City of registration / Project location:** Trnava / Slovakia

**Project title:** Students in a world of democratic debate

**Short description of the project:** In order to implement the project we plan to hold 6 DEMDIS workshops in schools outside the regional cities of the Slovak Republic. Specific schools will be selected based on their interest and willingness to participate in the implementation of the workshops.

**Project duration:** II-VI/2024

**Amount:** 2,500 €

#### 5. Climate Needs You

**Name of the final beneficiary:** Climate Needs You

**City of registration / Location of the project:** Marianka/ Marianka

**Project title:** Climate Talk: series of discussions and workshops

**Short description of the project:** The aim of the project is to strengthen the knowledge and skills of the members of climate hubs of Climate Needs You, which are essential for their work with the public, dissemination, and advocacy of climate change solutions at the local level. The second objective is to bring climate change issues to the general public in an interesting and interactive way. Through Climate Talks and interactive workshops, we also want to expand the Climate Needs You community, whether they are new active members of local climate hubs or supporters of climate change solutions.

**Project duration:** II-VI/2024

**Amount:** 2,500 €

## 6. Alliance of Hungarian Secondary School Students in Slovakia - Szlovákiai Magyar Középis

**Name of the final beneficiary:** Alliance of Hungarian Secondary School Students in Slovakia - Szlovákiai Magyar Középis

**City of registration / Project location:** Košice / Slovakia

**Project title:** Essay competition on the European Union

**Short description of the project:** The aim of the project is to deepen the knowledge about the realities and functioning of the EU among students of schools with Hungarian as the language of instruction in Slovakia and thus contribute to the expansion of the number of members of the new generation who consciously support the idea of European integration because they know the basic values, principles and mechanisms of the European Union, which they can fully use for their own development. Four online debates will be organised on the functioning of the EU, on the Euro elections, on the history of the EU or on the future of Europe. The aim of the announced essay competition is to get students more interested in political events at the European level, to encourage them to draw on reliable sources and to actively involve their own creativity in the creative process.

**Project duration:** II-VI/2024

**Amount:** €1,510

## 7. Vráble Si Ty

**Name of the final beneficiary:** Vráble Si Ty

**City of registration / Location of the project:** Vráble / Vráble

**Project title:** Festival "Greener City" - improving and linking the events "Let's Clean Up Vráble" and "Earth Day"

**Short description of the project:** The aim of the project is to expand the Let's Clean Up Vráble event by better training the volunteers and the Earth Day event by creating a platform for building a community of active citizens interested in environmental issues. The aim is also to work on connecting volunteers and creating a platform for building a community of active citizens.

**Project duration:** II-VI/2024

**Amount:** 2,500 €

## 8. eRko - Christian Children's Fellowship Movement

**Name of the final beneficiary:** eRko – Christian Children's Fellowship Movement

**City of registration / Project location:** Bratislava / Kanianka

**Project title:** Traditionally Together



**Short description of the project:** The aim of the project is to offer interesting activities and events to enrich the social life in the village of Kanianka. The aim of the project is to encourage organisations of different age categories to cooperate with each other and to offer an opportunity to overcome intergenerational differences. The aim is to involve all generations in the project through individual organizations: children (eRko, kindergarten, primary school), youth (Slovak Red Cross Kanianka, eRko animators), parents (parents of children), grandparents (pensioners in Kanianka) and to strengthen community life through mutual cooperation, to create common values, to spend free time actively. By passing on experience, practical help or good advice we hope to strengthen existing as well as build new friendly relationships.

**Project duration:** II-VI/2024

**Amount:** 2,500 €

## 9. Kobudo Kai Civic Association

**Name of the final beneficiary:** Kobudo Kai Civic Association

**City of registration / Project location:** Bratislava / Bratislava

**Project title:** Project Kitsune - Self-defence for all

**Short description of the project:** The objectives of the project are: realization of a training program aimed at teaching self-defense (lasting 5 months); spreading awareness and prevention of violence among young people. Special attention will be paid to the problem of gender-based violence; Developing intergenerational dialogue and integration of people with disabilities; Building a strong community and an inclusive environment where people with the same interests will meet; Providing basic self-defense skills to people who otherwise could not afford it or the usual courses are not adapted to their needs (i.e., young people with disabilities); Providing basic self-defense skills to people who could not afford it or the regular courses are not adapted to their needs (i.e., the young people with disabilities). Regular interaction with seniors and disabled people will expose young people to the specific challenges they face on a daily basis. We hope that through this experience they will become more tolerant and empathetic people.

**Project duration:** II-VI/2024

**Amount:** 2,500 €

## 10. VYDRA - Rural Development Activity, o.z.

**Name of the final beneficiary:** VYDRA - Rural Development Activity, o.z.

**City of registration / Location of the project:** Čierny Balog / Čierny Balog

**Project title:** Volunteering Week

**Short description of the project:** The aim of the project is to strengthen interest in volunteering in the municipality of Čierny Balog and its surroundings. We will organize a week-long local community activity, aimed at promoting volunteering and youth development, and we will promote the idea of volunteering among a new community of young people coming directly from the village of Čierny Balog or the surrounding area. The project will present the possibilities of



European youth exchanges and volunteering programmes organised by the European Union. During Volunteering Week, topics will be presented through workshops, trainings, and discussions.

**Project duration:** II-VI/2024

**Amount:** € 2,500

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