

Regional Scout Committee, European Region
Comité Scout Régional, Région Européenne

Regional Scout Plan 2013-2016

Report to the European Scout Committee

Group: **ERFCG / EREPS**

Reporting period: **(01/02/15 – 01/06/15)**

1. Introduction

This report deals with **ERFCG** Group as outlined in the Regional Scout Plan 2013-2016. It should be read in conjunction with the Regional Scout Plan 2013-2016, which can be accessed at www.scout.org/europe

2. Progress in implementing Objectives, Actions and achieving KPIs

Please list in brief, in bullet points, the actions that have been implemented in the reporting period. When listing the actions, please refer them to the respective Objectives and KPIs

- First chapters of the guidelines to help the NSO/NSA to create ER strategy
- Preparation of the Fundraisers network meeting
- Participation in the funding strategy group
- Developing a training in CSR for the NSO
- Continue the preparation of European Region Background papers
- Applying for 6 sessions at the Academy related to the group objectives
- Preparation of the BIG6 event
- Skills for life event in Brussels to promote the skills acquired through scouting

3. Next steps in implementing Objectives, Actions and achieving KPIs

Please list in bullet points, what actions are going to be implemented in the following period, until the next meeting of the European Scout Committee

- Fundraisers network meeting in June
- Complete the final draft of the guidelines
- Prepare the and facilitate the approved sessions at the Academy
- Complete all the Background papers drafts to be accepted by the Committee
- Prepare the Marketing and Communication Strategy event with the ODCG

4. External Representatives Update

Johan Ekman left as coordinator and Noemi Ruzzi was appointed as the new coordinator

During the next Core Group Meeting, all external representatives will be present to take a new start with the new coordinator

Past actions and successes:

Elections: Paddy (AC of COE)

Events: COMEM, YO!Fest, Youth Work Convention

5. Successes

Please list the key successes in the reporting period

- To close the concept of Big 6 events with the other partners
- Prepare the Fundraisers network meeting with our new member
- To include, joint with ERFCG, the Communication and Marketing training event in the next year agenda
- Not as a concrete success, but as a general thing, we are following quite well the path to achieve the RSP objectives, and all the members of the group are working and convinced to be doing something positive for scouting

6. Challenges

Please list the key challenges in the reporting period

- About the members of the group: we had one member who left the group and two options for new members. Finally just one of them was included in the group. It has not been any presential meeting from his appointment, so it's not easy to maintain him informed, integrated and motivated until we can meet in person.
- Coordination between CG and Reps has not been as fluent as it should be, and it's time to put the focus on this
- Depending on others to take some decisions, because they exceed the CG decision area, may delay some projects. (when it implies working with Big 6, WAGGGS, ...)
- It's not easy to obtain information from the NSO when needed, so it make necessary to review how to make effective and fast the info flow bottom-up
- One of the two staff of reference has left the bureau, so we now we have to face the change and start from 0 with the new person, being sure that the connection between staff and CG is perfect.

7. Issues for the consideration of the European Scout Committee

In brief, please list significant issues that you would like the European Scout Committee to consider

- At this moment most of the issues are in the coordinators and members hands, so there are no specific questions on it.
- It's important to underline the hardwork, good help and great support of the Committee members in charge of the group.

Date of reporting: .