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THE DNIESTER YOUTH SUMMER SCHOOLS 2023 & 2024

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Dniester Youth Summer School 2023

It was organized in July 2023 by Eco-TIRAS

The scope of the YSS was to familiarize youth with the climate change issues in relation to Dniester River basin challenges.

- Win-win nature: awareness in environment and confidence building.
- Took part 50 youngsters (25 right bank + 25 left bank), age 15-21. Selection in the basis of open competition (previous activities + motivation letter)
- Supported by the European Climate Foundation. Due to small funding only 5 days duration with intensive agenda.
- Place - Molovata Noua village. left bank, under Moldovan administration.

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The youth met and discussed the following topics in the form of the following informational messages:

- Climate change is a global problem and a priority for the Dniester We identified the main topics for public hearings
- Human health: understanding the driving forces; why is it necessary to adapt health to climate change? Water & Health.
- Energy and climate
- Water and climate: Impacts of climate change on water resources
- Climate change and nature
- Extreme climatic events
- Adaptation of the urban environment - climate change and related risks. Local planning and adaptation to climate change
- The impact of climate change on agriculture. Adaptation to change.
- Lifestyle as a deterrent to climate change

Finally the youth developed the political message to decision makers

Dniester Youth Summer School 2024

- Was organised by Eco-TIRAS in July 2024 in Molovata Nouă
- Duration - 10 days
- Participated 70 youngsters: 33 - right bank, 33 - left bank + 4 Ukrainians. Age 16-20.
- Support of Sweden via UNDP

Agenda included:

- European environmental legislation and integration;
- Dniester transboundary cooperation;
- Climate change and water resources;
- Biodiversity challenges and conservation;
- Water and health;
- Public participation in environmental decision making.

Also, it was organized a week-duration educational expedition on Dniester by kayaks with support of UNDP&EU. Participated 30 persons - universities' students and lecturers, journalists, academics and NGOs from both banks

Thank you for attention! <http://eco-tiras.org>

