

# LA ROTLLANA

## ANNUAL REPORT 2023



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Dear friends,

In this document we present you the written part of our memory of the year 2023, because we will carry the experiential part, the good memories of the activities and the beautiful experiences shared and lived during this year, throughout our life.

The roads to travel are not always easy, although the fact of being committed to our neighbors lets the excitement and the good will of the people make it possible to remove some of the pebbles that come across and try to distance us from our purpose: To make it possible for people to be a little happier thanks to their personal will.

We - volunteers and professionals - hope that our contribution has helped children, teenagers, young people, seniors, grandparents and their families in our neighborhood, in our city, to achieve at least some happiness in their lives.

We want to thank you for your support, recognition and accompaniment, thank to all people, partners, Private Foundations and Public Institutions that have trusted in the objectives of our project made with and for the people of the neighborhood... people of the city.

A big hug to all of you.

"Gent de barri..., gent de ciutat."

"Todo pasa y todo queda,  
pero lo nuestro es pasar,  
pasar haciendo caminos,  
caminos sobre el mar"

*(Antonio Machado , de Proverbios y Cantares.)*

**Daniel Arellano**

Administrator of la Rotllana

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) of the United Nations have been the focus of our socio-community mission in the pursuit and fulfillment of our associative mission. Some goals by nature have been priorities such as; contribute to “quality education”, promote “reduce inequalities”, and encourage community “health and well-being”. And this year more than ever, highlight our commitment to “gender equality”. In a more cross-cutting way, we have also decided to start thinking about our contribution to “a more sustainable city”, raising awareness of “climate action”. This year we have increased our collaborations with other entities to make our small contributions to the “end of poverty” and also to contribute to “peace, justice and solid institutions”. And going back to the big commitments of 2023, our “alliance to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals” with other entities, circles and networks.



We leave behind a year where we have seen the consolidation of participation in the activities carried out and offered by Rotllana, both in terms of the number of participants, which has increased compared to last year, as well as in relation to the projects carried out. This is a year with visible importance because in the past years we have been more interested, as association, in improving the quality and not so much in the quantity of participation and projects. Although we aspire to reach as many people as possible. We try to have participants and not consumers, to empower, to be part of networks and joint projects, and we believe that little by little we will move sensibly towards this paradigm. The satisfaction achieved thanks to the commitment and involvement of all those who interact with Rotllana. The volunteer and professional team with their dedication, the board of directors with their altruism, the participants with their motivation and energy contribution, and all the institutions and organizations that have contributed to obtain these results.





*My son has been part of l'esplai since we arrived in the neighborhood, la Roillana welcomed us with open arms and the team of professionals has supported us by responding to our needs and demands. They are in a safe environment, they have fun and at the same time they learn in a playful way and can interact with other children. They feel at home and know that year after year they will meet their friends from the esplai.*

**Sonia de Peon Salamanca, mother of a participant.**





## INTRODUCTION

Throughout this last year of the children's section we worked to offer a wide educational leisure proposal to the neighborhoods of Llefià and La Salut in Badalona. Our commitment to non-formal education is based on a wide range of activities which children will enjoy, will have opportunities to develop their interests, and will be able to live new experiences in groups. A fundamental part of the pedagogical task of the esplai consisted in encouraging the participation of families in educational leisure activities with their children, and the use of fully inclusive dynamics in the groups of boys and girls, to promote social inclusion and diversity together. In addition to reinforce the group spaces as environments of experiences and learning experiences in society, we have made a great effort to give the maximum personalized response to the participating children, developing them from the different personal starting points, values, social habits and personal autonomy.

The impact that the children's section has had during the last year was visualized especially in two interrelated aspects; the degree of cooperation with educational centers and other social agents, and the special attention given to children in situations of vulnerability. Precisely the number of children at risk of social exclusion is growing more and more in our intervention environment, and is becoming a very large group if not a majority. This social reality motivates us as an organization to increase our response from the children's section, increasing projects and expanding the number of children we work for. Despite all our efforts, we are aware that we are far from answering to the number of children who need urgent socio-educational care in our environment, but we were able to significantly increase the number of children helped and at the same time expanding our offer.

## PROJECTS AND PARTICIPANTS



DAILY ACTIVITIES



ESPLAI DE FIN DE SEMANA



VACATION ACTIVITIES



CASAL D'ESTIU





## DAILY ACTIVITIES

The Daily activities has been a consolidated project in the Llefia - La Salut neighborhoods, providing an educational response during weekdays (Monday to Friday afternoons) from January to December, with the exception of school vacation periods.

During the year we were able to offer a wide range of quality activities, enhancing the diversity of educational proposals. Play in its various aspects, as a learning tool, has been one of the main instruments used in the Daily activities. The fact of maintaining a stable and daily contact with the children of the different schools of the neighborhood and in collaboration with their families also involved in the project, helped us to develop our educational task from the education in the leisure after school hours.

We proposed adapted and safe environments for the children where they had the opportunity to grow autonomously, In safe

and non-judgmental environments, putting into action the development of their personality and skills. At the request of the families, this year different activities have been carried out within the Baldiri Reixac school, activities that enhanced the socialization of the participants from motor, playful, sporting and artistic activities.

Through the activities and performances that took place in the Daily activities, the children were able to strengthen various aspects of their personality such as self-esteem, facilitating the knowledge and assimilation of the real world around them, integrating themselves in a conscious and critical way in a moment of encounter between equals, thus favoring their socialization. The aim was to transmit an optimal integral formation that would allow the child to develop a whole set of knowledge, values and attitudes that would enhance the human aspects of the person himself.

## ESPLAI DE CAP DE SETMANA

L'Esplai de Cap de Setmana has worked for the children of the neighbourhood two Saturdays a month in the evening, during the months of January to December. This has been a proposal promoted by the team of volunteer monitors of the Esplai Chiribiripum, which will aim to carry out various dynamic activities during the weekends' free time. Saturdays have been ideal days for large-scale outdoor activities and others that can't be done on weekdays. This opportunity will enable us to design different dynamics and proposals in order to develop values that are important for the community life of the children, and for the positive integration of the kid in his environment. We worked from an inclusive environment in a project that will take into account the focus on diversity, promoting equality, and access to

the opportunities, investing on initiatives open to everyone, avoiding that their different personal, social and/or economic circumstances to be a reason for exclusion. The participation of the families in the Esplai de fin de semana will be an enriching experience for the team of monitors, as it will help us to understand the family context of each participant and at the same time to get to know the children a little better.

In general, we are getting a good response from mothers, peers and families, and this will enhance a greater degree of recognition of our educational work. From the Esplai de fin de semana we value that it will improve the family bonds related to the personal growth of the kid from its socialization.





## VACATION ACTIVITIES

### CHRISTMAS

The Winter Camp, from the program "Barrio in Rotllana. Barrio for everyone" will be developed during the Christmas holidays thanks to the goodwill of the families and participants. It will assess positively the realisation of activities in school holidays, as it allows to reconcile work and family life. It has sought to provide educational and leisure-related spaces, offering diverse activities for all children, away from the Christmas consumer environment. Activities according to the needs and interests of the children were carried out and provided scenarios of activities designed for them, where they would feel safe and secure. As this will be a holiday period with a smaller group of participants than in the summer, it will allow us the opportunity to better cohesionize the groups and provide a more intensive educational experience with more individualized attention.

### SPRING

The Spring Camp will take place during the school holidays in April, from the program "Barrio in Rotllana. Barrio for everyone". It will be an educational offer that will reach all the children and families of the neighbourhood, and that offered them an alternative during the holiday period in the morning and afternoon. The house was a space of conviviality and learning, with entertaining activities and dynamics for boys and girls from different educational centres in the area. Although it was a short-term project, it was an essential event which enabled families to offer their children an alternative leisure activity, offering them quality free time together with a team of monitors and monitors involved in their education. As usual, we used the spaces of the Antoni Botey school to organise the activities of the participants.

## CASAL D'ESTIU

The summer camp will be one of the proposals for the kids that had the most participants during 2023. Families and children in the neighbourhood were looking forward to the arrival of the camp. Last year we were able to extend the offer for another month and, therefore, for two additional months to July and August. The casals will respond to the pressing need of many families to attend to their children in order to reconcile their working lives, and in other cases they will be an opportunity for families with less resources to be able to offer their children a good choice of holidays. The summer houses will provide the participants first of all with entertainment based on dynamics with groups of equals, but also cultural leisure activities such as excursions or contact with nature, activities that can only be carried out during the summer season. However, they will also be quality leisure educational proposals organised on the basis of a methodology and valuable contents.

During the casals we proposed two great objectives that were performed with success. One of them was making casals totally inclusive, addressing the importance of creating a playground for all, overcoming any barriers that might limit the participation of all children in any circumstance. The second objective is to ensure that the cultural diversity present in the neighbourhood is reflected in the general collective of participants. Both objectives will be achieved mainly through the preparation of the partners, and the formation of a good team of monitors who are motivated and committed to the project.

The effort to involve families in the educational guidelines and objectives proposed by the casals was very important in order to improve the impact of the contents and the work on values, and they were very satisfied with the final result.

SCAN ME

NEWS IN  
TV BDN





## NETWORKING

During the last year, we increased networking with the surrounding schools in both the Llefia and the Salut neighbourhoods more than ever. This approach became one of the transversal central themes of all the projects we have carried out in the children's section. The main objective was to establish closer cooperation between the schools and the esplai centre, channelled through collaborations between the professorat and the monitors of esplai. This joint task facilitated access to participation for new kids, since schools will provide an important part of the participants in most projects. The educational centres opened their doors to us, offering us their equipment, which improved the quality of the project conditions during the school year and during the school holidays. The schools also helped us a lot to publicize our educational work

by spreading the different proposals that we developed in the neighborhood or that we carried out in other schools in the area. The collaboration received from the families in the schools also contributed to giving us the necessary support to consolidate our project in the educational centers. This year's networking task involved not only joint work with the schools but also coordination work with the various sections of Rotllana. Throughout 2023 we have managed to do a great job of cohesion and cooperation between the educational teams of the different sections of Rotllana, carrying out joint activities, with the aim of achieving a more intergenerational dimension in children's activities.

With the support of "Barri en Rotllana. Barri per a tothom".



*Our experience with La Rotllana and precisely with the teenagers group is very positive. It allowed my daughter to connect with other teenagers of the neighborhood, to participate in activities with other entities, to do something to improve the community, to travel and get to know other teenagers' from Europe experience, etc. We are very grateful with the work they carry out with kids and teenagers of the community in Badalona and especially in La Salut neighborhood.*

**Rosario Pérez Damián - Participant's mother of the teenagers group**



## INTRODUCTION

The year 2023 has been a year of settlement and resignation for the youth section. Despite the conditions in which the third floor was denied to the *casal* of Ricard Strauss, a situation which meant that we lost a multi-purpose space in which to develop our activities, it was not a setback in our mission to offer proposals and to work with our groups. The end of the Instituts Oberts programme reactivated a project that had existed for years in the schools, called Clubs Juvenils. With this commitment, we not only restored the most important interventions of the previous step, but also adopted a more associative and community oriented philosophy. As an entity, we did not want to lose this contact and the effort we had created with the teenagers and young people of the institutes, which is why we made a great effort to invest in the dynamization team. Distributed in 6 institutes of La Salut, Llefia and la Mina we continued with the after school, socio-educational, socio-sportive,

socio-cultural activities. In addition, we took a big qualitative leap and introduced a Learning and Service project in each center. This type of activity allowed us to raise awareness among young people, making them part of the whole process, converging more with other groups and collectives in the city while offering a service to the community. Our impact and outreach to young people at the edge of schools was slightly reduced because the ACT JOVE projects have been modified to prioritize the attention and energy of the professional team with the participants; Friday afternoons in the Escorxador were transformed into a group of young people from APS who carried out the activities started by other groups in one of the educational centers and the study room offered in different centers has been merged into the *casal de joves*, as a space of socio-educational support.

## PROJECTS AND PARTICIPANTS

102

RADIO PANGEA

68

STUDY ROOM

3

TRAINING IN PORTUGAL

40

TEENAGERS GROUP

30

EXCHANGE PROGRAM IN  
PORTUGAL

20

SPRING CASAL

700

CLUBS JUVENILS



## RADIO PANGEA ROTLLANA



2023 has been a year of many news in the radio. We have been the host entity of the V Congress of Basic and Specialized Services of Catalonia (CSSBE) being hosts of an on-air podcast. In this event, which brought together professionals from the socio-educational field with the aim of addressing current issues and talking about transformation tools, from La Rotllana we collaborated by presenting the event with young people and participants of the radio of the entity, in addition to providing the material and radio support and the platform to make the diffusion. On the other hand, it has been possible to facilitate listening and at the same time uploading the reproductions of the podcasts through Spotify. A new youth programme has been created among schools, one about entrepreneurship led by women, one about European Solidarity Corps led by the entity's volunteers, and the entity's transversal podcast where interviews and special visits to La Rotllana are shared. In addition, three people from the organization were able to take part in a training course in Portugal where the main focus was on radio as a community resource.

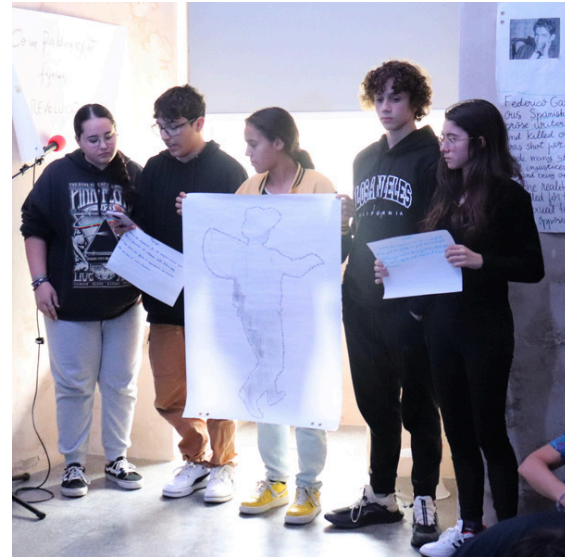
## STUDY ROOM

This has been one of the most needed and demanded projects by families and educational institutions, but which unfortunately has had fewer volunteers carrying it out. One of the objectives that we wanted to highlight and make clear was the fact that we had to go beyond the mark as the only reason for the transfer and the attendance. That's why we've worked to reinforce study habits and competences, welcoming newcomers and the most vulnerable participants. And more importantly, we have helped to discover the motivation of the beneficiaries in an environment in which school failure continues to increase and learning difficulties have risen even more. The study room has benefited from the donation of 19 computers by the company eDreams which have made work and accessibility easier for everyone. Finally, we had to suspend the half-hour activities part, keeping only the support space and we worked to give a follow up to the 68 families who have passed through this space.



## EXCHANGE IN PORTUGAL

For Future Life was the name of the Youth Exchange Erasmus+ where 30 kids have participated, 12 of the teenagers group of Rotllana. During the 16 and the 22 of October, in Castelo de Vide, Portugal, the group accompanied by two educators of the entity, could share with kids from Finland and Portugal the exchange experience. The main theme was "citizenship", it allowed the kids to reflect about citizenship, what is home, what we know about our surroundings and about important people who fought for the rights during history. The group could share Badalona's culture and traditions during intercultural night, they have been positively involved in the creation of cultural activities in the city museum such as; a song, a mural and an illustrated story. For many it was the first time living together, improving English, working the values that allow to boost both critical spirit and teamwork from non-formal education. With this extraordinary activity, the group of teenagers has become more motivated in the entity and more cohesive.



## VACATION ACTIVITIES

### SPRING CAMP

During Easter holidays the spring camp took place, which welcomed 20 teenagers coming from different schools, from 12 to 15 years old. During four days, the group enjoyed activities in nature, chess activities and a gymkhana made by the group of Aprendizaje y Servicio in the Can Solei park and Ca l'Arnús, among others



With this type of activity we took a step ahead when it came to merge different group of teenagers and young people with the same objective; create community and get to know themselves more and among the other participants of the organization and strengthen the already existing bonds.

### PORTUGAL TRAINING

From 23 to 31 March, three women from Radio Pangea Rotllana have participated in the Training Course "By the waves of digital" in Castelo de Vide, Portugal, with *online radio* as the main theme. It has been a week full of activities, and workshops both on radio and intercultural



where the coordinator of the section, and two entrepreneurs from *Unió Segones Oportunitats*, shared their experience with the radio and learnt more consolidated and professional ones. Thanks to this project, the organization was able to grow, improved its network and the participants shared their motivation and tools to put at the service of the project.

## TEENAGERS GROUP

This year, with the group of teenagers we wanted to increase the offer of activities from many areas and collaborations in the same way that we have encouraged more associationism and we have started a new usage of mobile phones during the activities. One of the objectives has been to show the breadth and diversity of the community, therefore, joint activities have been planned such as; a Bingo and intergenerational dance with the women of Zumba, a workshop with recycled material from the women of Union Segundas Oportunitades, a workshop against male violence and a parade on March 8 together with the Federation of Women of Badalona, a redesigned gymkhana made by the group of teenagers for people with functional diversity of the Badalona Capaç Foundation, which in the past showed us the serigraphy procedure to make shirts for the group,

and two activities addressed to little kids, in collaboration with the neighborhood celebrations which were organized by the neighboring organizations, among others. Moreover, coming from vacation, fifteen teenagers formed a new group (ADOS1) thanks to the work of the educational staff during the summer camp which made them comfortable enough to keep being involved in the organization projects, thus reaching 30 young people and families. This new and powerful group was in charge of the whole preparation and realization of the *Túnel del Terror* themed "drought", where more than 200 families and participants could access. Finally, in autumn, a mix of adolescents from both groups participated in a youth exchange where the bond between them and their monitors were strengthened, as well as their motivation in the group.



During the year 2023, the project Club Juvenils in Secondary school, has given the opportunity to participate in different organized activities and thus develop their interests to hundreds of teenagers and young people in the area. The big bet that we wanted to develop with the organization, has been the development of proposals based on the learning-to-serve (LTS) methodology. The reason is that this method involves the young people to cover the gaps presented by the environment, while at the same time empowering young people for their peers

by providing them with tools and knowledge on a topic that interests and motivates them. We believe that this fact has a lot of value when it comes to educating young people with critical thinking and with initiative, a fundamental fact to improve our society through citizen participation. In addition, we have also offered throughout the year different leisure activities of all kinds. The participation in stable groups of the program, has exceeded the 500 weekly kids, and the punctual participation has exceeded the 1,500 kids.

## ENRIC BORRÀS

The Club Juvenil program gave its fruits to this centre. Firstly, we mention that the participation in the centre improved over the months, starting 2023 with 54 participants and ending with a total of 108. The year got to have a total of 11 proposals: Korfbal, Futbol (mixed for children, mixed teenagers and female), Gym, Volleyball, Drawing, Badminton, KPop, Urban Dance and APS "Listen to Me". The impact that had on the educational community is remarkable, since a certain recognition of the program has been noticed by the students of the center, and moreover the teachers used it when they knew it was convenient.



## PAU CASALS

The school Pau Casals is one of the school which made possible for the project Clubs Juvenils to continue its work so their students could take advantage of all the activities available: female football and mixed football. Month by month this centre did activities that other schools didn't have, such as basketball, theatre and urban dance (activity managed by the participants) thus welcoming participants all over the project. Finally, it is worth mentioning the APS "Tots som BDN, tots som grans" which took place in Pau Casals high school and consists of participants planning and promoting activities for older people, thus completing an intergenerational exchange.

## TURÓ D'EN CARITG

Turó d'en Caritg improved the consistent participation in the proposed activities, not only the ones that took place in the centre, but mostly, they've also benefited a lot from all the projects in other centers. The activities that we have done this last year in the Turó, have been: Football (children, mixed and female), cricket and the APS Diver-esplai. The large attendance that these have provoked includes children from 1st grade, up to 4th grade of ESO, an attendance that has reached the educational team of the center which we work with the aim of continuing to improve participation.





Institut  
Pau Casals  
Badalona



Institut  
Escola  
La Mina



## LA MINA

One of the goals for the year 2023 was to open opportunities for young people from La Mina to integrate them into projects tailored to their needs, including women's empowerment and improving their social ties. One way to achieve this was by providing them with the experience of participating in international projects, where a student from La Mina could benefit of the project and also through the project of the Pangea Football League. On the other hand, volleyball and football have proven to be especially valued by young people. It is also noteworthy that in La Mina robotics workshops have been organized that have then ended up in local tournaments.

## BARRES I ONES

It has been the center with the most young participants during the year 2023, in different activities. In addition, many initiatives have risen from proposals of the same students, such as volleyball, which is one of the activities with the highest participation and which has been self-managed by the same young people. There has also been a lot of involvement in different APS initiatives. It has been a year during which the participation of the Barres i Ones students has been very positive and outstanding. To improve, the involvement of the institute should be increased, which has not allowed activities to be carried out inside the center, only on the outside court.



## JÚLIA MINGUELL

During 2023, we have to highlight the project of Kantina Solidaria. A group of students from the school have been involved in this APS project in which a bar service has been offered during the break. The money collected is intended for a charitable cause: to provide material for the school was built in the village of Gumal. There has also been a great involvement of the students in the APS Juventud Solidaria, which has developed different socio-community initiatives and has participated in exchanges, both hosting and departure. The rest of the participation has been mostly in the football proposal, in all categories.



SECCIÓ  
SOCIOESPORTIVA

LA ROTLLANA

*Rotllana is an amazing opportunity for the kids to enjoy an exciting and dynamic version of themselves. The need of communication and the speed of the game make every match follow an adventure full of emotions. This format, Esport3, not only improves the sport skills, but also boosts values like team work and problem solving, contributing to the integral development of the players.*

**Parikshit Klair - Young leader**





## INTRODUCTION

The Sport section during the year 2023 proposed several projects that included the leagues of different sports, formations of young leaders, and projects to empower women through sport. These initiatives managed to involve more than 550 participants in the different activities carried out. Throughout the year, we promoted participation and sports development in our community through various promotions developed by the facilitators of the entity, to establish stable socio-sports activities in the schools of Badalona and La Mina. Through our sports leagues, we provide the opportunity to compete and enjoy sports in an inclusive and fun environment. Playing with and not against. From the section they offered training to young leaders related to sports practice, enabling them to play an active role in their communities

We also carried out projects with the intention of empowering women through sport, promoting gender equality in sport and the community, and promoting the active participation of women, through different activities and training related to the values of sport. At the end of each month we had non sportive activities in which we invited all the participants to have fun together. These activities allowed us to strengthen the bonds between the participants of each project in order to foster an atmosphere of camaraderie and friendship. They organized events such as excursions, excursions to natural environments, tournaments and other recreational activities. These experiences allowed us to strengthen team spirit off the field, boosting the importance of developing strong personal relationships and a safe, inclusive, and welcoming context.

## PROJECTS AND PARTICIPANTS

550

BARRIS PANGEA LEAGUES

23

KORFBAL SCHOOL

10

APS FORMATION

6

POLDI'S ELEVEN

182

BREAKING BARRIERS

6

CHAMPIONS

70

AUSTRALIA

26

CHANGE MAKER

80

NEIGHBORS GROUP



## BARRIS PANGEA LEAGUE



It was a project that tried to address different objectives within the transformation of football as an educational and social activity for the well-being. Starting from coexistence and tolerance, and facilitating the participation of any person in a safe space where they could practice football. In order to break down gender barriers that we found in our community, we offered the possibility for boys and girls to play together, by creating two mixed categories divided by age. However, it is clear that there is still a lot to be done and the situation of women's participation in sports is deficient in our community. So we also promoted a women's league, where all those girls who wanted to, could practice sports without feeling pressured by boys and in a space without marked stereotypes. Both the mixed and women's leagues had their peaks at the end of the year, where a closing act was carried out in the form of final play-offs, which served to close the year. All these activities had a key point in common, and it was the ability to use sport as an educational tool to promote different values that are indispensable to society, using the methodology of Sport 3.

## KORFBAL SCHOOL

The socio-sports school of korfbal had a very clear objective which was the transmission of values through sport, while we encouraged inclusion and personal development. A year later, we activated different groups in different schools in Badalona, where we offered a safe space to practice sports in a socio-educational way. Adding a day when all the participants could meet to be able to play the matches in the Poliesportiu of Llefià, applying the methodology of Esport 3 created by Common Goal. From the entity they were committed to provide young people with an environment in which they could develop their socio-sports skills, learning fundamental values such as teamwork, respect and personal overcoming.

Within Rotllana we consider that offering the possibility to the young people of the neighborhood to practice Korfbal was important because of the characteristics of this sport, since the fact that it is mixed contributes to break gender barriers in our environment.



## APS FORMATION

The "Youth Leaders" learning and service project was part of the socio-sports schools for korfball and soccer, and its implementation allowed various young people to get started in the world of sports group management and leadership. When differentiating the various activities they carried out, we note a more theoretical part, where gradually they acquired the different necessary knowledge to carry out their role, and a practical part, putting the learnings into practice. The theoretical training was held at Rotllana, once a week, where different topics were covered such as healthy habits, technical and tactical aspects of sports, or group analysis, among others. Additionally, at the beginning of each training session, the young people had to fill out a form with very basic items about how their teams are progressing throughout the year. While learning the keys to leading sports groups, they also implemented them in weekly training sessions with their respective teams, and of course, in the matches played in the socio-sports leagues.



## YOUNG LEADERS - LA ROTLLANA



GISELA ROMERO



PARIKSHIT KLAIR



YANIRA FERNÁNDEZ



HÉCTOR HIDALGO

## POLDI'S ELEVEN



From November 2 to 5, a group of young people from the "Youth Leaders" APS, consisting of 3 boys, 3 girls, a young leader, and an educator from Rotllana, had the opportunity to attend Poldi's Eleven 2023, an international event in Cologne, Germany, created by soccer player Lukas Podolski. During these days, the participants experienced more than just a trip, engaging in various cultural and social activities, although the main event was a soccer tournament with 10 teams.

It is important to note that all activities were carried out with mixed teams, forming teams with young people from other organizations, which allowed them to learn about other cultures and empathize with others. Additionally, the focus was on rejecting pure competition for the sake of winning, emphasizing the values promoted by Sport 3, which was undoubtedly very enriching for all participants. Below, we will provide a brief explanation of the Sport 3 methodology.

### CREATION OF AGREEMENTS

Initially, both teams gather in the middle of the field, where each team must devise an agreement that will impact the game. This agreement can involve fun, rules, or attitude, encouraging participants to unleash their imagination and foster originality, all while emphasizing respect and the values they aim to promote. Once the agreement is formulated, it must be shared with the other team, ensuring both are in harmony with what is agreed upon.

### PARTIT

Once the agreements are established, the match is played according to what was previously discussed, and it is the responsibility of the teams to implement it. It is worth noting that the role of the referee is replaced by that of a mediator, who does not direct the game but only intervenes when necessary due to a conflict that participants cannot resolve on their own. If the agreements do not directly affect the game, it proceeds as usual.

### PUNTS FAIR-PLAY

After the match ends, each team meets with their coach and discusses a series of items, rating them from 0 to 1. These items relate to respect for all participants in the match, healthy habits, or collaboration with the organization, among others. After evaluating the agreements, teams with the highest scores in each category will receive an additional 2 and 1 point respectively in the standings, rewarding beyond purely sporting achievements.

In 2023, we completed our third year in the Breaking Barriers project promoted by adidas, aiming to foster women's social empowerment through sports in both the sporting and social spheres, supported by a "gender equality plan". To achieve this, we structured a comprehensive educational framework with theoretical resources and practical opportunities. Theoretical components included the Breaking Barriers Academy, involving building knowledge from the sports community, conducting studies, and incorporating experiential contributions from various influential figures in the female and non-binary sports community

For the construction of a narrative of sport from a female perspective, the practical aspect was approached through four main axes: organization, sidelines, on the field, and within the community. As a result of this project, we successfully enhanced the impact of our gender discourse within the community. As an organization, we have increased our commitment to social justice by enhancing resources for volunteers, expanding women-led sports activities, and boosting female participation in socio-sporting activities within our environment.



## CHAMPIONS

The group Les Champions has been at the core of the Breaking Barriers project, promoting female participation in socio-sporting activities. They have been a group of girls with a strong sports and social identity, beneficiaries and protagonists of a developmental process leading to personal and social empowerment. The impact of their journey has been seen in employment, educational advancements, and community influence. Throughout 2023, a major goal achieved has been how Les Champions have set an example in the community and at Rotllana, establishing empowerment processes and creating new opportunities for other girls. Initially supported by the organization's staff, autonomy has also been fostered among Les Champions, enabling them to coordinate the reception of the international Changemaker proposal with adequate preparation and support.

## AUSTRALIA

The Festival 23 event in Australia took place in early August with the participation of over 70 women leaders. It was a week filled with activities, from organizing sports tournaments for refugee groups to educational workshops and various training sessions that embraced inclusion, diversity, and fostering positive change through sustainability. Prior to this journey, a training session was conducted in the United Kingdom where Champions from various organizations actively participated in the "Coaching Module" program, which was later delegated to Australia. This program serves as a guide for preparing sessions with youth groups, focusing on leadership skill development. Beyond the content, the training created a strategic space for knowledge exchange and sharing insights.





## GENDER ACTION PLAN

One of our priorities this year has been to work based on the gender equality plan, particularly the version tailored for socio-sporting activities. With the support of Common Goal, Women Win, 17Sports, and sponsorship from adidas, we have made significant strides in various areas of operation: within our organizational structure, among professionals and volunteers, and also among participants in our activities.

The results have been highly positive, impacting all those involved and increasingly visible within our community, establishing Rotllana and its socio-sporting activities as a benchmark in Badalona.

## CHANGE MAKER CHALLENGE

This proposal was created with partner organizations in the program: Johan Cruyff Foundation from the Netherlands and CAIS from Portugal, aiming to recruit new leaders for the organizations, increase international cooperation, and generate impact and visibility in the community through projects and activities related to sports and gender equality. The project had a dual dimension: an international one, with training held in Badalona involving participants from all three entities, and a local one carried out individually by each organization in their respective environments, with the active involvement of the same participants from the training. During this phase, socio-sporting initiatives were developed to apply the learned content. The evaluation was positive, highlighting the autonomy and leadership fostered within the group.



## GRUP DE VEÏNES

The year 2023 was pivotal for the community of women in promoting women through physical activity, as after three years of support and guidance from Rotllana, this diverse group of women took their own path completely independent of Rotllana. Before the end of the year, the group of women embarked on the challenge of managing and organizing themselves entirely apart from our association, which we as an organization are pleased about. Throughout this time, we have seen this group of women grow, and thanks to the support of the Breaking Barriers program, we have been able to assist them. Moving forward, we will maintain a peer-to-peer relationship with this new entity, with full mutual recognition and autonomy. At Rotllana, we are beginning a new process to reach out to another group of women to generate social empowerment processes.



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INTERNACIONAL

LA ROTLLANA

*International and cooperation projects are very important because they help young people open their minds, develop empathy to understand different cultures and needs. Perhaps the participants would never leave their neighborhood, and thanks to these projects, they can form their own opinions, live a unique experience, gain recognition and respect, and discover that humans have more in common than what sets them apart.*

**Leonor Gallardo - Member of the board directors of La Rotllana**



# INTRODUCCIÓ

In 2023, we can say that we returned to the most active moments of our international section with proposals for participation in projects aimed at the training and growth of young people in our community, aiming to connect them with their socio-historical context. Primarily, this was done hand in hand with the Erasmus+ program, reaping the benefits of being an accredited entity with recognized capacity through our quality seal. All proposals were articulated around the personal and socio-professional development of participants, ensuring personalized monitoring of their pathways.

Regarding international volunteering, due to the pandemic, we faced challenges in recruiting participants committed to long-term projects. Thus, we saw the opportunity in two-week projects to stimulate and encourage participation in similar activities, introduce participants to the Erasmus+ program, and establish

connections to subsequently foster mutual commitment with volunteers for longer periods. In 2023, we also emphasized awareness and international cooperation to promote consciousness and contribute our part to producing positive changes. Through the Solidarity Canteen project, we fostered empathy towards different realities and continued collaborations with communities in Senegal and Mozambique, specifically supporting Gumal School and socio-sporting projects in Manica.

With an impact on over 600 individuals, we are very satisfied and eager to continue improving all the qualitative aspects that we have long been working on and that characterize us as an organization committed to mobility as a tool, not merely a travel agency. Our educational work focuses on awareness, and cooperation serves as an enriching instrument for all involved parties.

# PROJECTS AND PARTICIPANTS



CONNECTING YOUTH



SOLIDARITY CANTEEN



MOZAMBIQUE



GUMAL SCHOOL



TRAINING EQUALITY IN NETWORKING



EXCHANGE JORDAN - MACEDÒNIA DEL NORD



ESC - TEAM HESO



## CONNECTING YOUTH



The Connecting Youth exchange arose from the motivation of young people in our organization to engage in activities in international contexts. The proposal was finalized in collaboration with member organizations of the Network to ensure consistent preparation and strengthen bonds within the network. Participating entities included Informagiovani from Italy, SPPMD from Macedonia, PiYa from Turkey, Aventura Marao Clube from Portugal, and ourselves, totaling 5 countries with 61 participants in two international activities: a meeting in Portugal and one here in Badalona.

The chosen themes revolved around the awareness work conducted by La Rotllana locally, enhancing multicultural learning, the positive value of diversity, and active youth participation. Participants had the opportunity to grow with the support of peers from their age group and other locations, sharing situations and sometimes shared challenges. For the organizations, it was a chance to exchange knowledge and experiences, improve processes for group preparation, and evaluate the working method.

### PORTUGAL

The exchange in Portugal took place from April 2nd to 8th, with the participation of 24 young people and 5 monitors. This proposal was jointly organized by the leaders of the different participating entities, who distributed tasks and responsibilities to ensure involvement beyond leading their own groups and becoming global references for the project. Among the activities highly valued were sports and healthy habits, intercultural exchanges, and volunteering with groups of people with disabilities.

Experiences like those encountered by the participants have a positive influence in establishing connections and overcoming personal barriers, making the journey metaphorically personal.



### BADALONA

The exchange in Badalona took place from July 18th to 26th, with the participation of 26 young people and 6 monitors. The proposed activities were agreed upon with the youth groups from different backgrounds, all developed through non-formal methodology. Therefore, the preparation phase, shared with partners during online meetings, was crucial.

For personal, group, and community development, intercultural learning activities were conducted, leveraging the group's diversity and the context. Activities were integrated into the Cultural Summer in the Square project, highlighting participatory democracy proposals that included visits and debates at the town hall.



## EXCHANGE JORDAN - NORTH MACEDONIA

During December, the first mobility of the "Sports 4 inclusion" exchange took place, where 2 groups of young people from Jordan and North Macedonia visited Badalona and various projects of La Rotllana. The host group of young people from Badalona consisted of students from INS Barres i Ones, Júlia Minguell, and Eugeni d'Ors, who are also involved in the different service-learning initiatives developed by our organization. During the exchange, the visiting groups had the opportunity to participate in initiatives that La Rotllana carries out in local high schools, such as sports activities based on Sport 3, social theater, APS projects, and awareness-raising spaces.

We highlight the visit and discussion held at Institut Enric Borràs regarding the situation in Gaza Strip, which involved teachers, high school students, and the youth from the project. The exchange was a great motivation boost for the local group, which achieved a high level of cohesion. This project will continue in 2024 with a second mobility to North Macedonia.



## ESC - TEAM HESO



The HeSo project is a team volunteering project under the European Solidarity Corps in high-priority areas, funded by Europe and promoted in collaboration with IG, Girasoli e progetto Tenda from Italy, Inex from the Czech Republic, and Pistes Solidaires from France. This 2-year project aimed to promote volunteer teams within the European Solidarity Corps to foster active and healthy lifestyles, and to contribute to mitigating the impact of the Covid pandemic on socially vulnerable people. All participating organizations share the motivation to enhance ESC as a tool for social action and rebuilding the European spirit, which has also been affected by the pandemic. In 2023, 5 team volunteering activities and one national leaders' training were conducted, involving a total of 52 young people, 9 of whom were supported by Rotllana. In November, a meeting of project coordinators was held to evaluate the project's impact on organizations, participants, and communities, in order to design new strategies for 2024 based on the lessons learned from the previous year.

## SOLIDARITY CANTEEN



The Kantina Solidària has been one of the Service-Learning projects where participants have acquired culinary, organizational, teamwork, and financial management skills. During the breaks of the school year, they efficiently planned and prepared breakfasts for Institut Júlia Minguell, while responsibly managing the funds collected. This year, 38 students have been involved in this initiative. Moreover, this project has fostered awareness and empathy towards different realities, as students have learned about the scarcity of educational resources faced by Gumal school and have committed to helping within their means. In this case, with the funds raised, they have sent school supplies for the children of Gumal school.

In summary, this Service-Learning project has allowed participants to acquire knowledge, skills, and values through community service. It has provided them with the opportunity to collaborate with a just cause and learn about solidarity, commitment, and teamwork.

## TRAINING EQUALITY IN NETWORK

The training course "Equality in network" focused on capacitating non-formal education professionals to collaborate on projects with formal education professionals and other informal educational agents, in both academic and non-formal settings. It involved 19 professionals and volunteers from 7 different countries: Jordan, North Macedonia, Italy, Portugal, Poland, Turkey, Slovenia, and Spain. During the training, they visited projects and associations that La Rotllana collaborates with in its network. Participants had the opportunity to share their experiences and best practices, as well as learn from local projects and associations. Additionally, group dynamics were conducted to foster collaboration and networking among participants. This international experience was valuable both personally and professionally. Thanks to this opportunity, new international contacts have been established, providing greater opportunities for cooperation and collaboration, and allowing for diverse global perspectives to be considered.



## MOZAMBIQUE

Once again, from our organization, we have had the pleasure of collaborating with the socio-sporting project of Grupo Desportivo de Manica in Mozambique. This year, the formula we agreed upon between our two organizations involved making a financial contribution to humbly support the actions of the Mozambican entity. C.D. Manica is a sister organization of the international movement Common Goal. This organization uses sports as a tool to positively impact the lives of girls, boys, and adolescents. In addition to providing an option for football practice for good, the Club supports participants and their families in areas such as socio-community health by providing essential hygiene and health tools, education by facilitating school supplies and academic support, and activities for community cohesion such as promoting popular traditions, actions to improve their collective spaces, and caring for the elderly. From Badalona, with all our affection and pride in their work, we thank Club Desportivo Manica for their efforts.



## GUMAL SCHOOL

Our commitment to the school in Gumal materialized through the shipment of school supplies to help maintain minimal educational conditions. Throughout this year, we made two shipments thanks to different solidarity campaigns. The first was facilitated during a trip by the president of Kambe Association, our Senegalese counterpart in Gumal. The second shipment was sent via a container ship, significantly improving the possibilities for collaboration in terms of the type and quantity of materials sent. Providing educational resources with minimal materials also ensures the motivation and confidence of the school's teachers in their work and the support they receive.

Another significant event in 2023 was the excellent academic results of the students from Gumal who completed their primary school education. We maintain a connection with these students through the project, and they are now continuing their secondary education in the city, having achieved some of the best academic results in the region.

## INTERNATIONAL TESTIMONIALS



Participating in the "Equality in Network" training was a formative experience that helped me further understand what it means to be an educator in complex and challenging urban contexts facing issues such as unemployment, poverty, delinquency, and lack of resources. What I learned during this experience is that social workers and educators, through their daily work, commitment, and deep understanding of local dynamics, are fundamental agents of change. They contribute to building resilient and nurturing communities, shaping the future of the new generations around them.

What I will take with me is a new attitude, a new way of understanding educational work that I hope to practice in my educational relationships with the young people in my association. I highly recommend the project because it helps broaden our vision of educational realities around the world and encourages us to reflect on our work from an external perspective, thus prompting us to improve ourselves.

**MATTEO DI FIORE - Participant in Equality in Network**

For me, the exchange was one of the best experiences I've ever had. I was able to connect with many people from different cultures and learn about traditions and aspects of other countries that I may not have known before it left a lasting mark on me



Additionally, showing people the architecture of our city and seeing their impressed faces when discovering a new place was very satisfying for me personally. This exchange filled me with indispensable values and taught me a language I had previously practiced very little. From this exchange, I didn't just gain friends; I gained a family, and together we created unforgettable memories.

**Tino Peñalver Pascual, participant in Intercanvi Connecting Youth**



DSince 2017, we have been receiving La Rotllana in Gumal, thanks to which we are ranked among the top schools in the Municipality of Missirah and achieved the best results in the sixth-grade entrance exam with a success rate of 100/100.

Everything is going well with a the community. This year we received more supplies, especially for secondary students, which motivates the children to work harder. Personally, I am very satisfied with La Rotllana, and my desire is to expand our collaboration, forming bonds with other schools and, why not, meeting more. I thought I would leave after the fifth year; now, in the eighth year, I continue here thanks to La Rotllana.

**Sr Buyage - professor at the Gumal School, Senegal**



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SOCIOCOMUNITÀRIA

LA ROTLLANA

*We met La Rotllana at our second concert with the new formation. Everything was new, we didn't quite know where the new project would take us. We did the concert in the July heat and did it as always, as well as we could. It was fantastic because they gave us the award for best band, which has helped us continue with more strength. A few months later, we had the pleasure of playing at Badasona. There we reaffirmed that the people of La Rotllana are committed to culture and the community, valuing art and treating people well. These values are rare in the world, and thanks to associations like this, I don't lose faith. Thanks for all the opportunities.*

Elena García - winner of the prize for best band at the Badalona Music Competition



## INTRODUCTION

The year 2023 has been a year to review our commitment to the community and its state, to understand how to contribute to the improvement of the environment. In recent years, we have become aware of how the quality of life in the neighborhoods where La Rotllana operates has been progressively declining without stopping. This process became exponentially worse due to the social consequences of the post-pandemic effects of Covid-19. Social isolation and the loss of social skills, along with the consumer society's tendency to prioritize personal interests, have weakened the community spirit in neighborhoods already struggling with increased poverty, the establishment of areas of misery, and the centripetal effect that the space of cultural diversity has produced in an increasingly transient population. This reality forced us, as an entity committed to the community

to reconsider our interventions, solidarity networks, and reflect with other entities and public institutions on where socio-community efforts should be directed.

As there are fewer grassroots social entities dedicated to improving conditions, we have had to strengthen our alliances. The main response we have been able to provide from our socio-community section has been the project "Barri en Rotllana. Barri per a tothom.", which encompassed most of the lines of the socio-community section and expanded the impact of other spaces and projects from other sections of La Rotllana. Once again, we have maintained projects that we consider to have the most positive impact, both in terms of individuals and collectives, incorporating new initiatives such as the Ocell de foc program.

## PROJECTS AND PARTICIPANTS

**3**

ZING

**40**

OCELL DE FOC

**390**

L'ESTIU ÉS TEU

**1000**

BADALONA MUSIC CONTEST

**2500**

ESTIU CULTURAL A LA PLAÇA

**75**

VOLUNTEERS



## ZING



The Zing scholarship program by the Nous Cims Foundation aimed to ensure financial resources for youth with fewer opportunities, enabling them to pursue their studies while giving back to the community. In 2023, three young individuals associated with Rotllana benefited from this program. Their academic results were notably positive. The community impact was also satisfactory, strengthening our organization and its mission significantly. Two of the youths focused on socio-sports projects for social inclusion, while the third contributed to communication and project dissemination at Rotllana. Collaborating with the Nous Cims Foundation exemplifies best practices in achieving maximum socio-community impact, where two organizations share resources, expertise, and community influence to achieve common goals. We take this opportunity to express our gratitude to Nous Cims for their social commitment.

## OCELL DE FOC (FIRE BIRD)

The Ocell de Foc program has aimed to provide comprehensive support to young people aged 16 to 30, particularly those facing mental health challenges. The project has supported their journey towards personal autonomy and building an independent life, equipping them with tools and resources for job integration or recovery of their educational path. The program's core action has been led by local entities dedicated to breaking stigma and openly discussing mental health, including Cooperativa GEDI as project coordinator, Salut Mental Barcelonès Nord, Badalona Capaç, ASAUPAM, and La Rotllana.

Additionally, a network of entities and administrations has collaborated to create a strong community network to drive the program forward. Rotllana's role has been to connect young people with the community through tools such as volunteering, sports, and international mobility. Ocell de Foc will continue as a proposal in the coming year within our socio-community action lines.



## L'ESTIU ÉS TEU

This proposal has been a very important part of the summer camp program we have conducted at Rotllana, aligning with the commitment of the Badalona City Council to provide an alternative for the educational leisure of children and adolescents in the city. The proposal has involved local grassroots organizations, serving as a good example of co-management between the local administration and civil society. Thanks to this initiative, the impact of local organizations' summer activities and the number of children and young people benefiting from them have increased significantly, beyond what the organizations could achieve individually. One of the great strengths of this summer camp program has been ensuring equity and social justice among children and adolescents. Therefore, it has been a project that successfully expanded the offering of educational leisure during the summer for those sectors of the population less accustomed to such opportunities during the school year. Children and adolescents have universally benefited from high-quality leisure activities without any form of discrimination.



### CHILDREN

In the realm of childhood, once again this year, we have been able to offer a broader and more extensive proposal in terms of summer camps and the children served, thanks to municipal support. It is important to note that a large majority of the participating children were in situations of



social vulnerability and were referred by social agents in the area. It is very difficult for us to imagine how detrimental it could have been for the children who benefited from the proposal to have a summer without educational stimuli and where their socialization ceased during the long two-month school vacation period. Undoubtedly, this would have exponentially increased their socio-emotional deficiencies.

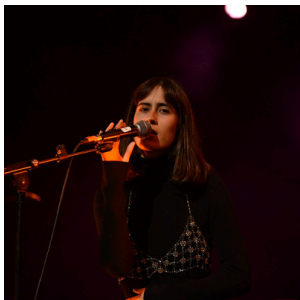
### YOUTHS



This year, we divided our proposal into two spaces. One was dedicated to adolescents with activities and methodologies more traditional and typical of summer camps, but with a focus on minimizing passive participation and promoting empowerment. We also introduced methodologies

and content with greater educational and social impact. The second proposal targeted older participants and revolved around service-learning dynamics as a socializing leisure activity.

Similar to our activities for children, we aimed to provide a universal proposal to avoid any form of segregation and promote social inclusion.



## BADALONA MUSIC CONTEST

This has been the twenty-fourth edition in which the youth association La Rotllana has embraced a live music project, achieving its objectives year after year: community development through musical creation, promotion of Catalan as a vehicular language, visibility for bands and social inclusion projects through music, providing a promotional platform for musicians and bands from Catalonia, engaging youth in the project, and increasing female presence in the music scene. We continue to offer space for anyone who wishes to join us, with open arms and ears.

This year, we celebrated the live finals during the summer at Parc de l'Escorxador in Badalona, creating a space for socialization among neighbors through music, always mindful of the criteria and values that characterize the Badalona Music Contest: musical quality, originality in proposals, and emerging

bands, among others. Additionally, the showcase of local bands, BadaSona, is gradually becoming an essential event in our city's music scene.

This year, we managed to sell out tickets for both days proposed on the weekend of November 25th and 26th at Teatre Margarida Xirgu. The event spanned two days, featuring diverse musical offerings. Saturday's lineup included contest winners (Anarkids) and local festive bands (Qui Surt). Sunday, on the other hand, was a more family-oriented day, showcasing various socio-community projects (APS Listen To me, Oh Happy Singers) or schools (Combo Rock from EMMB, Botey Band) presenting their musical proposals to the audience.

This will not be the last year of this project, as all musical proposals and variations deserve a place to be represented!

## ESTIU CULTURAL A LA PLAÇA

During the last week of June and throughout the month of July, at the Parc del Centre Cultural Antic Escorxador in Badalona, we organized various activities open to the public. Each afternoon, anyone interested could participate in different workshops, sports, use the play area, and enjoy various cultural offerings. Highlighted musical performances such as the Badalona Music Contest and the Latir Festival were part of the 2023 lineup. Additionally, collaborations with local entities like the neighborhood's devils' troupe and fire dance group, which had previously drawn large crowds, were repeated this year with great success.

New additions for 2023 included inflatable equipment provided by the Barcelona Provincial Council, featuring human foosball and a 3x3 football field. Both attractions generated significant participation due to their innovative and appealing nature for users. To serve such a large volume of people over a period of

5 weeks, the collaboration of a significant number of volunteers was essential. Once again, it was young people from the community who dedicated their efforts to making this initiative possible. A group of 18 young volunteers, through a Service-Learning project, organized and implemented daily activities and proposals. They devoted their time and effort to creating opportunities for the rest of the city's residents.

It's worth noting that this initiative was open to citizens of all ages, thanks to its diverse offerings. From children's workshops aimed at the youngest participants to activities open to teenagers and young adults such as sports tournaments and adult-oriented zumba classes, as well as universally appealing initiatives like outdoor cinema and various performances, which attracted entire families. The "Estiu Cultural a la Plaça" is a neighborhood-building project that fosters community spirit.



## VOLUNTEERING



Volunteering, alongside our board of directors, members, professional team, and participants, remains a cornerstone that both supports and gives purpose to our vision. We have offered a diverse range of volunteering opportunities suitable for all interests and ages, including occasional and one-time commitments, as well as roles requiring consistent dedication and responsibility.

Promoting volunteering continues to be a central focus of our socio-community efforts. Through "Barri en Roïllana, barri per a tothom," we have developed training programs and created spaces to encourage volunteering, all aligned with the official guidelines of Catalonia's Volunteer Law. We provide various training sessions for volunteers, including thematic group meetings agreed upon by professionals and volunteers, as well as personalized pathways that reflect individual motivations tied to their engagement with our association.

### LOCAL

The local volunteering opportunities we offer extend beyond participation in Roïllana's own projects. For instance, we can highlight the support and connection we provide through volunteering at the Adult School of Sistralls-Lloreda, the neighborhood associations in our district, the day center of the Roca i Pi Foundation, and various occasional projects initiated by smaller organizations.

These initiatives are sometimes supported by local volunteers and other times by international volunteers.

### INTERNATIONAL

Once again, we have been a hosting organization for the European Solidarity Corps program, through which we have strengthened bonds and grown with our community. In 2023, we hosted 5 volunteers from Portugal, Turkey, and Italy, including 2 for a short-term summer project. We highlight the challenges faced during visa processing and waiting times, which led to frustration and withdrawal for some candidates. Additionally, there were difficulties in arranging projects requiring long-term commitments.

### IMPACT

Promoting volunteering has been crucial at a time when the concept of community has been devalued, and collectivity often involves financial transactions. Communities now equate to profiting from your home, car, assistance, among other things. Everything is rented out and expected to yield economic returns. There's even a market for paid companionship. In environments like those where Roïllana operates, rebuilding social and solidarity networks has been essential, tackling the challenge of overcoming the centrifugal division prevalent in our cultural landscape.

# TEAM OF PROFESSIONALS



**Àlex Lumière**  
Youth animator



**Alma Zurdo**  
Children monitor



**Anabel González**  
Children monitor



**Angela D'Agostino**  
Administrator



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**Xana Periago**  
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# NETWORK WITH ENTITIES

In connection with the UN's 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, especially SDG 17, forming alliances to achieve common goals has not only been a challenge to unite efforts with other organizations, but also involved working in a Network to build local and global communities. It has meant another year full of involvement and commitment to building social and

community movements, and also creating small meeting spaces with different agents to share knowledge and strategies. Promoting alliances, uniting with other organizations and institutions, has been a commitment for our organization, requiring us to allocate our own efforts to share with other entities for a common good.

## SMALL AND MEDIUM NGOs

Currently, we are one of the most experienced entities within the network of small and medium NGOs. This meeting space has allowed us to share resources and motivations with other small organizations, mainly in Catalonia and the rest of Spain. Most have been highly dedicated organizations with a small professional structure, like ours, that devote much of their efforts to development cooperation and social inclusion. This year, our main activity has been sharing experiences and knowledge about cooperation in Senegal.



## EUROPEAN NETWORKING

During 2023, we continued participating in the international network with many actions generated in cooperation with partner entities; exchanges, European volunteering, trainings, etc. These initiatives have helped strengthen each entity's role in their communities and establish strong bonds between associations. In November, we held the final evaluation day where we reviewed the activities carried out in 2023 and began planning for the coming year. One of the main proposals was to take a step further in the network, which already has Erasmus+ support, to formalize it legally.

## INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT

For a socio-community organization like La Rotllana, which draws its strength from its deep roots in the territory, recognition from public institutions is both necessary and important. We are about to celebrate 35 years of socio-community action, and each year we continue to demonstrate that we are a trustworthy entity, grounded in the present with a vision for the future. During 2023, we carried out various institutional efforts that further validated our work. From a more rigorous and detached perspective, we have successfully exceeded the quality audit by the Erasmus+ program, and the organization has been declared non-profit by the tax authorities and of public utility by the government.







## COMMON GOAL

Participation in the Common Goal movement fulfills us as an association, providing a framework that spans from the local to the international level. We have been active members of an international platform dedicated to identifying and proposing training actions, projects, and solidarity initiatives among community entities. Throughout 2023, our commitment has grown, and we have gained more presence in common spaces and increased direct interaction with similar entities. These synergies have helped us achieve greater dimension and impact as an association. Our commitment to football for good has become one of the main pillars of our organization, strongly linked to social justice.

## XEASC

The Network of Socio-Community Action Entities, XEACS, has been one of our association's key nodes in the field of socio-community intervention in Catalonia. Our commitment included assigning one person to the board of directors and another professional to handle technical coordination. After two years of technical involvement, we decided to end this phase and pass the baton to another entity. Besides our commitment to the structure, we have actively participated once again in the sports and values days, as well as other initiatives aimed at youth.



## ROCA I PI ORGANIZATION

Once again, we reflect on all we have shared with the Roca i Pi Foundation and see a mutual cooperation that increases year after year. We have transitioned from the foundation supporting our entity by aiding the inclusion of adolescents at risk of social exclusion to a whole range of new proposals. Support for adolescents through leisure activities has expanded to intervention in schools with high social complexity. Rotllana has offered its support in leisure and companionship for the elderly in the residence and in welcoming homeless youth. We have also participated in other more occasional initiatives.





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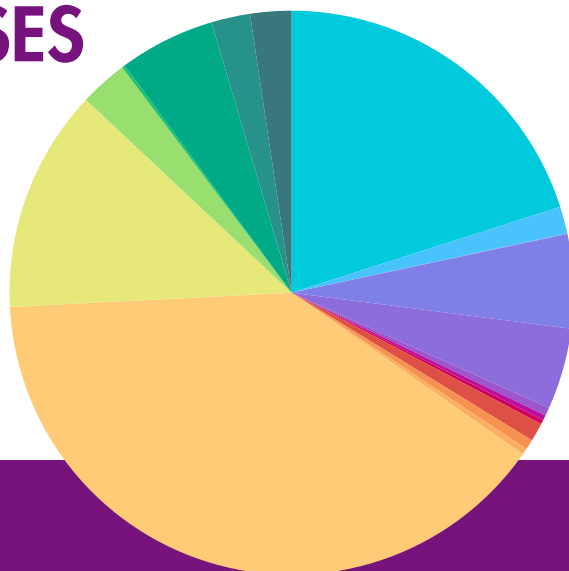


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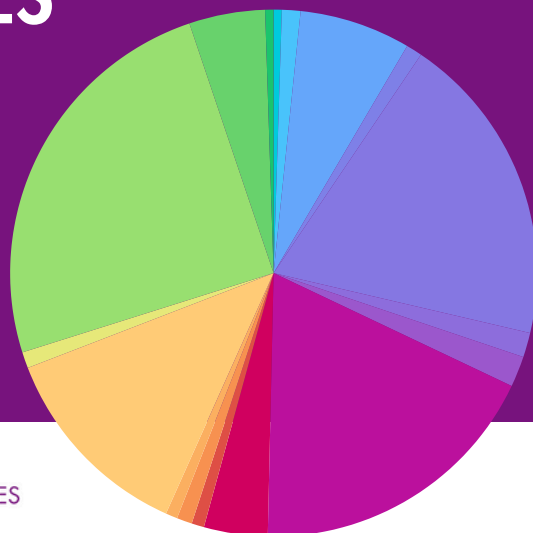


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	DESP. SERVEIS AUDITORIA I GESTORIA	9.803,10€
	R.M.C. ESPAIS ROTLLANA	274,19€
	DESPESES TRANSPORT PROG. ACT.	34.240,54€
	ARRENDAMENTS I CANONS	29.664,00€
	DESP.ASSEGURANCES	3.012,18€
	DESP.SERV.BANCARIS	1.840,86€
	DESP.DIFUSIÓ, REL. PUBLI.	1.574,03€
	DESP.SUBMINISTRAMENTS	6.725,01€
	ALTRES DESPESES I IMPOSTOS	3.662,41€
	ENTITATS ASSOCIADES I AJUTS	2.263,09€
	SOUS I SALARIS PROFESSIONALS	251.240,85€
	SEGURETAT SOCIAL ROTLLANA	81.423,65€
	REINTG. SUBV.MINISTERI I INJUVE	17.458,02€
	AMORT.IMMOB.MATERIAL	1.084,37€
	DESP. RESERVA ADQ. IMMB. MATERIAL	35.000,00€
	ROMANENT 2023	14.173,83€
	COMPENSACIÓ EXERCICIS ANTERIORS	15.000,00€
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>REINTG. SUBV.MINISTERI I INJUVE</b>	<b>636.100,16€</b>
	<b>AMORT.IMMOB.MATERIAL</b>	

## 2023 INCOMES



SERVEIS SOCIOESPORTIUS IES	3.185,22€
QUOTES SOCIS ROTLLANA	7.241,60€
QUOTES SOCIS ACTIVITATS ROTLLANA	43.413,70€
SUBV.ACTV.FORMATIVES ESPORTIVES	6.259,96€
SUBV. ACTV. CASALS ESTIU	122.174,30€
SUBV. I AJUTS ENTITATS EUROPEES	9.589,96€
MINISTERI A.ECON. I TRAFORMACIÓ DIGITAL	12.000,00€
GENERALITAT DE CATALUNYA	116.430,38€
AJUNTAMENT DE BADALONA	24.882,29€
DIPUTACIÓ DE BARCELONA	4.874,80€
CONSORCI DEL BARRI DE LA MINA	6.000,00€
GENCAT - GEDI GESTIÓ I SERVEIS	4.596,77€
MINISTERI ASSUMPTE SOCIALS - INJUVE - SVE	79.157,10€
DONATIUS PARTICULARS	6.315,72€
DONATIUS I AJUTS FUNDACIONS PRIVADES	157.037,58€
AJUTS EN ESPÈCIES - SERVEIS - MATERIAL	29.664,00€
ALTRE INGRESSOS EXCEPCIONALS	3.276,78€

**TOTAL INCOMES**

**636.100,16€**

This year has been another one of creating opportunities in the neighborhood and filling our backpacks with experiences. A year full of activities and projects, some of which we must bid farewell to, but only with a "see you later," as our paths will surely cross again. We constantly face obstacles in organizing events, from health crises and economic market instabilities to geopolitical actions that divide rather than unite. Yet, community involvement in activities shows us that more spaces are needed to grow and share, as the entity does. This tells us that needs are ever-present and that the effort, support, and commitment of everyone in this great circle are truly euphoric.

I want to thank you, volunteer, for the wonderful time shared; you are one of the joyful pillars of the entity. Thank you, in public/private, for the trust and complicity in events. Thank you, professional team, for your tenacity, flexibility, and constant learning. Thank you, board of directors, for steering the association to safe harbor. Thank you, to you, for giving us the energy and strength to keep improving and making Rotllana. Get ready, as the coming year is loaded with enthusiasm and drive to contribute to a neighborhood full of potential.



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