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Dear friends all over Europe!

As the year 2017 will be over in a few days, I would like to inform you about the most important things that happened since the last Newsletter in October.

Let me begin with bad news: We got the information that the Youngsters Project has not been accepted by Brussels, although Miljenko and his team had a big support from many of our Charter friends, as they promised in Kannus That development means that at the moment there is no Youngsters Project, and it will be difficult to organize the planned youngsters meetings in 2018, but for the meeting in Hungary in April there is the possibility to support the organization team with 5000,- €, like we already supported Romania.

Furthermore we need some other country that applies for a new Youngsters Project, because we believe that Youngsters are our future and it is very important to have Youngsters Meetings besides our Annual Summer meeting. If anybody of you is interested, please do not hesitate to contact us.

The discussion during the Meeting in Finland and the reactions to it we got from of some you, made necessary to think about the structure and organization of the Charter. For me it is very positive that so many of you think about how to make our Charter and the friendship between our communities all Europe better over stronger.



Therefore the Presidium had a meeting in Brussels from 8th to 9th of December. During this meeting the Statutes and the Aims of the Charter were modified. To give you an overview about our Aims and Statutes, you will find the updates attached to this newsletter. Please take a look at point H Enlargement/ Exit of the Charter, to get to know how we will handle Brexit.

In Brussels we also talked about the regulations for the elections of the Presidium that will take place in Malta next summer. If anybody is willing to be a member of the Presidium, please let us know until May 2018.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year 2018

Your President, Karl Grammanitsch