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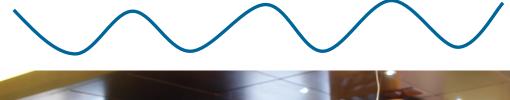


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Cultural Smoothie

After many hours of travelling, we can finally say hello to all delegations. Welcome and enjoy your stay!









Arrival Of Volunteers

Today we are joined by a team of volunteers from the Secondary Sports School in Poprad who will accompany you this week. At the first meeting, they were given instructions on how to organize the following days and were later given starter packs. We didn't forget to ask them a few questions.

What was the selection criteria for this event?

Kaja: The only criteria was English and also the mood for volunteering. We volunteered for this event. In order to gain new knowledge or to make friends from a distance.

What will your job entail?

Tímea: Our job will be to make sure that competitors from all over the world feel comfortable and have the best experience possible. We will take care of them and help them in every way.

Do you have any experience in similar volunteer work?

Sofi: Not yet, but I believe that this time will be a great experience for us and we will learn a lot of new things.

What will your next days look like?

Sofi: Days will definitely be busy and full of program, experiences and we will spend a lot of time together, which is a great benefit for us.

What are you most looking forward to?

Naty: I'm looking forward to meet lots of new people, practise my English and spend time with my friends.





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Exhibition

Have you been to see the winter kalokagatia exhibit in the conference room? If not, feel free to go. There you will see the beautiful creations of elementary school students.





Who Is Lynda?

Could you please tell us something about yourself?

I'm Lynda Lenton, I used to teach PE and when I retired, I worked as a supply teacher everywhere where they needed me. I used to play tennis when I was young and by a happy coincidence, I got into athletics and judging field events. I was also involved with London Olympics, London Marathon and other exciting

events like London invictus games. I got to know many of now successful sportsmen and other amazing people.

What is your job here at the event? What are you responsible for?

I'm in the technical commission, where we do all of the accreditation to start with and then we are checking if everything goes as it should throughout the day.

Can you see some differences between organization of events in England and here in Slovakia?

In England I usually work with adults so this event is different from the others I have organized.



Interesting Facts About Slovakia

- Around 80% of Slovakia is 800 meters above sea level, with the Tatras as its most beautiful and biggest mountains
- After Austria, Slovakia has the largest natural freshwater supplies
- There is the world's highest number of castles and chateaux per capita
- More than I 300 mineral springs and 7 000 caves
- Bratislava is the only capital in the world bordering 2 independent countries (Austria, Hungary)

Famous people with Slovak roots:

- Angelina Jolie (grandfather)
- Andy Warhol (mother)
- Paul Newman (mother)
- David Dobrik (born in Slovakia)



TRACK



GOOD LUCK



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