



**Rotary international – District 1630 Belgium  
New generations exchange**

Dear friends,

2013 will again see an exciting STEP (short term exchange programme) organised by District 1630 in Belgium.

I have the great pleasure to invite you to take part to our holiday programme.

## “Belgium ‘@’ the Borders”

### Practical details:

1. Dates From 28.07.2013 until 11.08.2013 (included)
2. Location Hoogstraten/Turnhout-Houthalen/Zonhoven and surrounding cities. (northern, Dutch speaking part of the country)
3. Age class 17 – 19 years old
4. Group size In total 20 participants will be allowed (boys and girls)
5. Language English – basic knowledge is essential
6. Costs Travel to and from Belgium  
(National airport: Brussels (Zaventem) or Brussels South (Charleroi) followed by train to Turnhout  
Pocket money to cover personal and private expenses during the stay.  
All accommodation including food and beverages are covered by the organisation.
7. Programme 4 Rotary clubs have the pleasure to organise the programme jointly. (Hoogstraten/Turnhout and Houthalen-Midden Limburg/Zonhoven)  
This programme will include social events, cultural visits, sports and tourism activities.
8. Hospitality/accommodation: the participants will be hosted by Rotarian families.
9. Weather condition July/August should offer agreeable temperatures, but foresee also rainwear.
10. Dressing Easy and casual dressing  
Sport, bike and walking activities are part of the programme. To foresee sport shoes, shorts and swimming wear.
11. Time for application From now onwards until 15.05.2013. First-in , first serve rule will be applied. Only accurately and fully completed application forms accompanied with a strong motivation letter will be considered. We intend to accept only one candidate per nationality. Consequently we expect you to carefully screen your potential candidates.
12. General information and application:  
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We will be very happy to welcome the young people in our programme.

Sincerely yours,