

Il Giornale di Dreams Factory

The “Dreams Factory” experience

“Dreams Factory” is a title that just may seem a little bit strange to some people. I believe there is not a person on this planet who didn’t experience at least once an extremely powerful desire to fulfill his or her purpose of living.

First of all, there is no road without a clear destination. No one can actually call road a piece of land which leads to the middle of nowhere. For example, this is exactly what the “Dreams Factory” youth exchange program wants to teach its participants. Every single activity that was run here served a great goal though it may have seemed kind of simple at a first sight.

“The apocalypse has to wait”

Secondly, nobody can reach an amazing dream without a very good previous planning. It takes a lot of determination to get where you actually were meant to be. For instance, learning about the importance of a good coordination during the visits at the factories was a huge inspiration for me. I understood once again that success

is not a mystery at all. In fact, it is made of daily steps you want to take at your best.

All things considered, I am of the opinion that this trip to Italy was totally worth it. Understanding that people from all around the world can come together as one is an incredible relief. The apocalypse has to wait a little longer because Europe is going to save the planet. At least I hope so.



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Industry and the youth work

This project is an occasion to find new friends, to know other cultures and to learn new languages. I think all people need to participate at one of this project because is a great experience on professional and personal level. The topic of this project is the work and unemployment.

The road of tuna fish and salad to our plates

During this week we visited tuna fish factory, one farm and a salad factory. Everything was good and interesting, we saw the process of making tuna fish. Tuna arrives freeze and after the tuna is cooked by steam, it pass to another sector when it is cleaned and canned, pass to another sector and sterilized and the product is put in warehouse where it must stay one month to rest. After, it is ready for market.

Another factory that we visited is COF. It products salads and it has three different lines of production: the first produces mix salads; the second produces racket salads; the third produces baby lea softer part of the salad. COF has 40 workers, in majority women. They have very hard rules about the cleaning, in fact every night the machines are cleaned by specific products and one time in a week the machines are dismantled and cleaned piece by piece. But the youth people don't like this work because is a hard one, requiring to workers to stay up all time.

The farm is a part of an American company. To start this type of activity is very expensive, because an hypothetical proprietary need to build the greenhouse and it's so expansive because it must maintain a certain temperature and it create artificial rain installation for the correct begin of little plants.



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On 7th of May, we had an interesting discussion with a representative of CISL (consortium of Italian syndicate workers) . The mission of the syndicate is to defense the rights of workers and modernize the work. CISL divide the workers in category (public workers, metalmeccanica ecc.) because is easier to control the salary and contracts, another

mission of syndicates is to defend the rights of immigrants, apply to they the category of worker and teach they the Italian law. At this moment the syndicates fight to obtain 150 hours payed by their company in order to instruct the worker for begin their knowledge and professional plan .

One of the problem for work in Italy is the different opinion of the syndicates and the government and this situation can't develop our country. For example, we need a better collaboration between schools and industries because the

practical experience is very important for the future worker and this is the mission of the Dream Factory: to teach the youth people about the possibilities from the work market.

“Italian schools must collaborate more with the factories”



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