High Quality Sport Clubs: networking and joint development Co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union





Why did we apply?

- To find new ways to co-operate with top clubs in Europe
- To collect data about top clubs (athletes, coaches, resources, environment)
- To bencmark high quality clubs in Europe
- To obtain new data for Athletics community
- To learn how EU-projects work





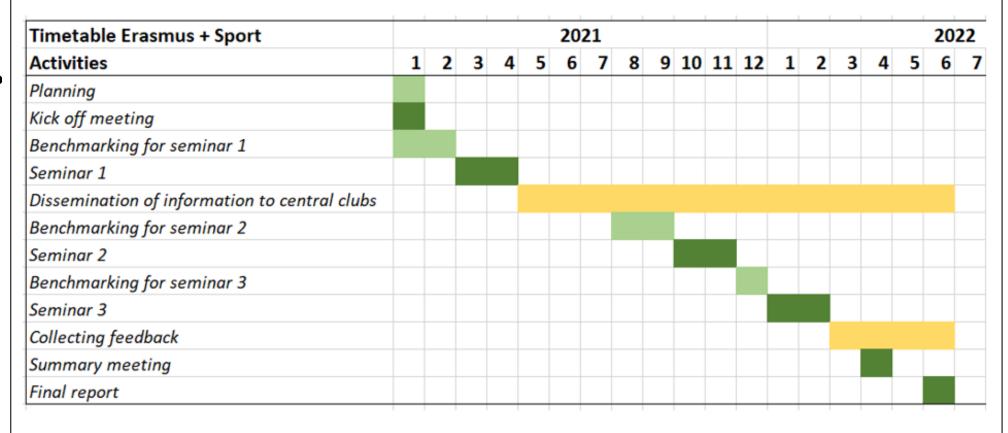




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Project design and timetable





Meetings: dates and cities



Meeting 1: 21.-22.10.2021, Helsinki



Meeting 2: 27.-28.1.2022, Leiria

postponed



Meeting 3: 7.-8.4.2022, Brondby (Copenhagen)

Meetings: participants

- Meeting 1: Host Finnish Athletics 3, clubs 16 (later FIN), Juventude
 Vigilanse 4 (POR), Danish Athletics 5 (DEN), Gothenburg Athletics 2 (SWE)
- Meeting 2: Host POR 10-12, FIN 10, DEN 5, SWE 2
- Meeting 3: Host DEN 10-12, FIN 10, POR 4, SWE 2

Meetings: topics

- Meeting 1: Kids Athletics and other grassroot activities for beginners.
- Meeting 2: How to lead volunteer people.
- Meeting 3: Athletic pathways and drop out

Finance

- Total budget is about 60 000 €
- administration fee 250 € per month
 - 1500 € 30.6.2021
 - 1500 € 31.12.2021 and
 - 1500 € 30.6.2022
- Travel costs
- Accommodation
- Other costs





Meeting 1: Kids Athletics and other grassroot activities for beginners

Thursday 21.10.2021 Olympic Stadium

16.00 Opening of the meeting, Jorma Kemppainen

16.15 Proud of my club (4x20 minutes, Q & A)

18.00 Cold buffet

19.00-19.45 Sightseeing



Friday 22.10. Finnish Athletics Office

9.00 Kids Athletics in Finland, Marko Viitanen, NOC and Pia Jäntti, Finnish Athletics

10.30 Kids Athletics: rules and events, Matti Hannikainen Lahden Ahkera (HQ club)

12.00 Take home messages, Jorma Kemppainen

12.30 Lunch



Meeting 2: Athletic pathways and drop out

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Thursday 7.4.2022

Arrival (FIN 12:45, POR tbd)

15:00 Visit at Sparta (Hqsc in Copenhagen), National Stadium

17:00 Meeting, part 1: Erasmus+ Sport policy

Proud of my club (3x30 minutes, Q & A)

Dinner

Friday 8.4.

9:00 Meeting, part 2 Athletic pathways in Denmark, Lars Lindstrøm

Team work: how to prevent drop out, what have we done?

11:30 Take a way lunch

12:00 Departure (FIN 13:25, POR tbd)



Brondby (Copenhagen) 7.-8.4.2022

- Danish Athletics: Lars Lindstrøm and his team (three from Sparta)
- Juventude Vidigalense: Tania Pinto, Pedro Carvalho
- Finnish Athletics, clubs: Kirsi Ahonen, Janne Harjula, Otto Kilpi, Janne Lahtinen, Olli Pulkkanen (last minute cancellation Tanja Niemi)
- Finnish Athletics, office: Jorma Kemppainen, Mikko Kivi









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Drop-out

- Does it exist?
- In which age?



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- 6 person
- 3 ideas
- 5 minutes

Need: white paper and pen



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• 6 person – 3 ideas - 5 minutes

- How do you prevent drop-out?
- How do you retain coaches?
- Own choice!

