

Responding Together visit

"Bus Tour"

6 November 2013



Cultivons la Solidarité
Les Jardins de la Montagne Verte

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Programme overview

Wednesday 6th November --- Study visit "bus tour"

Departure : 8h00, Council of Europe Main Building, Avenue de l'Europe

ENVIE : 8h30 - 10h00, 6 rue Herrade Koenigshoffen

Map : <http://goo.gl/maps/TsOEt>

JMV : 10h30 - 12h00, 16 route des Romains

Map : <http://goo.gl/maps/cVcIb>

Mosaïque restaurant : 13h00 - 14h30, 23 rue Marschallhof, Neuhof

Map : <http://goo.gl/maps/dWd42>

Returning : 15h00, Council of Europe Main Building, Avenue de l'Europe

General informations

Main Contacts

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Initiatives to be visited

ENVIE

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Recycling household appliances and job insertion enterprise

ENVIE is a French network of job insertion enterprises who recycle household appliances and resell them. Their mottos are: "Everyone has access to employment and training and everyone can, whatever their income, equip with consumer goods of quality."

Used consumer goods are primarily renovated to be reused or recycled and

treated to reduce their overall impact on the environment. ENVIE promotes access to a workplace and to training for people with employment difficulties.

In 2010 ENVIE was the leader of re-used Electrical and Electronic Equipment (EEE), with: 49 insertion enterprises under agreement; 42 points of sale of household appliances; 29 workshops renovating 62,000 units per year; 35 sites for collecting, processing and recycling of WEEE and 80 000 tonnes processed per year; 1050 positions contracted (FTE) and 1,450 people received over the year; 450 full-time employees and 400 volunteers.

The shop we will be visiting was the first, upon which the network has developed.



Les Jardins de la Montagne verte

16 route des Romains 67200 Strasbourg Tél : 03.88.29.36.33

<http://www.asso-jmv.org> asso.jmv@wanadoo.fr

Les Jardins de la Montagne verte (JMV) is a job insertion enterprise created in 2001 - a solidarity-based structure which employs people facing difficulties in finding work and long-term unemployment (152 employees – 132 in reintegration). JMV is also an association with many volunteers helping organizing events, such as the local producers market.

The main activity of this structure is the production of organic vegetables, sold by a basket/subscription system. The vegetables are produced very near to Strasbourg City Centre, and completely adhere to the very strict French organic farming label , making it a very interesting case of reusing spaces in urban contexts for farming.

Like most insertion enterprises, employed people are supported by social workers that help them regain self-confidence and build their own professional projects.



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Restaurant Mosaïque

23, rue Marschallhof 67100 STRASBOURG 03 88 39 05 16

<http://www.mosaïque-restaurant.com> mosaïque.direction@orange.fr

Mosaïque is an association managing a job insertion and gastronomy project. This association provides opportunities to people in hardship to regain their place in society through work in restaurants / catering activities. The majority are women in difficult personal situations. All combined Mosaïque employs 61 persons, 49 in reinsertion.

One of many interesting facets of Mosaïque is that it is located in a very difficult neighbourhood of Strasbourg, but has succeeded since its creation in 2002 to weave relations between local residents and the rest of Strasbourg. Both Mosaïque and its service is very well-appreciated by Strasbourgeois.

Mosaïque serves traditional recipes from north African countries.



Menu : Tajine de poulet