

## TRABRENNBAHN CELSENKIRCHEN

16<sup>th</sup> international Whitsun Youth Meeting 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> of May 2013

International - anti-fascist - ecology-minded



## Be part of the International Whitsun Youth Meeting!

On the 18th and 19th of May, 2013 we will celebrate the international Whitsun Youth Meeting for the 16th time, again on the trotting course in Gelsenkirchen! Whitsun Youth Meeting - that's a **youth festival of international solidarity and friendship** in which culture, politics, sports and children's activities combine - **inspiring, self-organised and self-financed**. In 2011, 12 to 15 thousand participants experienced it.

Here you can find new friends, line up with your sports team, celebrate together - **be a part of it**!

The outcome of the world economic and financial crisis is striking hardest on the youth. The open-mindedness of the youth to fight for a future worth living has increased; in Germany e.g. in the anti-nuclear power plant movement, against Nazis, for a better education, democratic rights, and employment following apprenticeship. In Spain and Greece the youth stands in the first line of the struggles for the future. The Whitsun Youth Meeting says clearly: **We are the future! A world without exploitation and oppression is possible!** 

How can you become active right now?

- **Become a supporter** and help with your name to make this traditional event widely known. We gain the participation of a wide range of organisations, clubs, personalities, and also single persons. All these will be published on our webpage.
- **Become a sponsor** and help to finance a festival where prices are affordable for every young person and every child. The Whitsun Youth Meeting is self-organised by volunteers and is no commercial festival where someone makes a huge profit. Yet this also needs solid prefinancing.
- **Become active** and register now with your activities, culture groups, bands, sports teams, the booth of your association, your initiative, and so on. Enroll for one of our teams that jointly organise important processes like PR, program, logistics and so on.
- We invite our **international friends** to sign up now and to fully contribute with their skills and interests. A really international Whitsun Youth Meeting won't work without you! In 2011, 31 nationalities participated.

The Whitsun Youth Meeting is without regard for party affiliations and a platform for environmental groups, youth trade union groups, pupils' representation, youth groups, organisations, bands, political parties etc., etc. - drug free and of course without facists and religious fanatics.

<u>Donations account:</u> Verein zur Förderung internationaler Jugendtreffen e.V.,

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I/We support the 16th international Whitsun Youth Meeting and I/we agree to publication on the homepage. Name, residence, and organisation will be published (please strike out if not!).

Surname, Name, function (if any)	Organisation, Youth centre, Association	Street, number
Postal Code, Town	Telephone number, E-Mail address	I would like information / to take part/