

ICELAND

AN ADVENTUROUS COUNTRY CREATING MEMORIES FOR LIFE



If you take a look at your atlas, you will find an island in the northwest corner of Europe, between Scotland and Greenland. This island is Iceland. It is about twice the size of Switzerland and has about 310.000 inhabitants. More than half of the population lives in the capital city, Reykjavik, and the surrounding area in the southwest part of

the country, but altogether only one tenth of the island is inhabited. The coast all around the country is habitable, but the rest consists of uninhabited areas with glaciers, mountains, volcanoes and unspoiled nature as far as the eye can see.

Despite its name, Iceland is not as cold as it sounds, even though it is located near the Arctic Circle. Because of the Gulf Stream that surrounds it, the country's climate is relatively mild, milder than in many parts of Northern Europe and the USA during winter. In the summertime the climate is temperate and the sun never sets, giving you the chance to experience over 20 hours of comfortable daylight!

Icelanders pride themselves in their clean air and pure water, and of course the magnificent nature where hot springs spring up from the earth where you least expect it. The prominent peaks of Europe's largest glacier, Vatnajökull, can be seen from the south coast of Iceland.



IN SHORT

Date:

19.7. - 24.7. 2010

Theme:

Red, White, Blue – We challenge You!

Program:

Pioneering, camp life, hike, campfires, decathlon, triathlon, international evening, community service.

Place:

Ulfljotsvatn Scout Centre, Iceland.

www.ulfljotsvatn.is

Participants:

Scouts and guides, ages 13 – 16, from the small nations of Europe.

Cost:

EUR 295 – Cyprus, Faroe Islands, Greenland, Iceland, Luxembourg, Liechtenstein, Malta, Monaco, San Marino,

EUR 192 – Montenegro

Organizer:

Icelandic Boy and Girl Scout Association (BIS)

Hraunbaer 123

110 Reykjavik

Iceland



Information:

www.eurominijam.com

Registration:

All registrations are handled through national organisations. Please contact your national organisation.

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WE CHALLENGE YOU!

**EURO
MINI
JAM 2010**

Euro-Mini-Jam in Iceland 2010

Experience a weeklong camp with your friends from the small nations of Europe.

SCOUTING
EXOTIC NATURE
INTERNATIONAL
EXPERIENCE **FRIENDSHIP**
FUN

THE PROGRAM



Many exciting challenges await the participants of **Euro-Mini-Jam**. Camp highlights include: a hike with international friends in beautiful Icelandic nature; a decathlon and a triathlon providing challenges for every scout; exciting evening programs that include campfires, host night, international evening and more!

In the **decathlon** the participants form international patrols compete in ten entertaining, yet stimulating and demanding challenges.

In the **triathlon** the patrols from each country work together to solve three very challenging tasks. The participants will receive information about the tasks before arrival, so they will be able to prepare themselves at home.



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During the hike the international patrols will travel together through Icelandic nature with their new friends, experiencing the country from another point of view.



The **International Evening** is an event where the participants bring something from their home countries for the others to see, experience, or taste.

This is a chance for them to present their country and culture and to get to know the other small nations of Europe. The scouts and guides will experience the **1st Euro-Mini-Jam** through camp life, module activities, common areas and exciting program.

The **Euro Mini Jam** is a great place for scouts and guides to tackle exciting challenges and make new friends. We hope to see YOU at the **Euro Mini Jam** in the summer of 2010!



PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES

Euro-Mini-Jam is open to all the small nations of Europe, i.e. countries with a population of less than one million.



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