



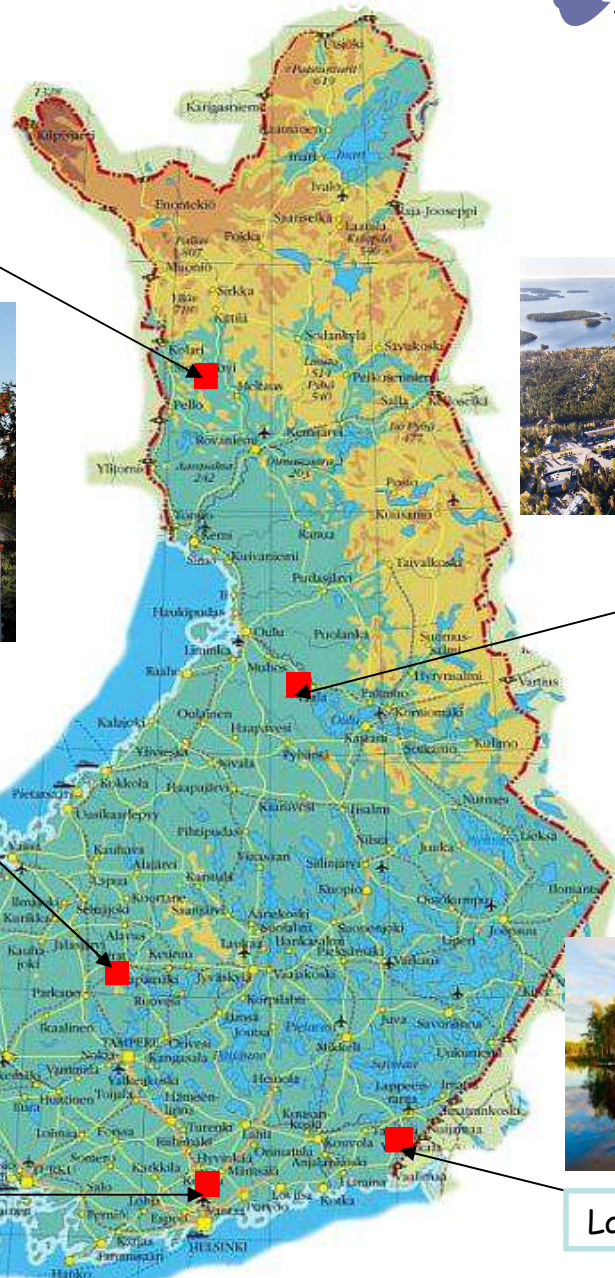
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Youth Camps in Finland 2017



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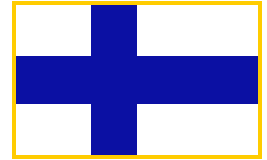


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Finnish lions (MD 107) invite foreign students, born 1.7.1996 - 30.6.2001 (16 - 21 years) to participate in the Youth Exchange (YE) program in Finland in summer 2017. The exchange period will consist of a family stay and a camp. The Finnish YE camps have places for 150 campers. The duration of the YE, including the camp, is about 3 weeks for European youths and about 4 weeks for non-Europeans. The family stay is mainly before the camp. Family hosting without a camp is available in special occasions.

The program is principally carried out on a reciprocal basis. The number of students to be sent to each destination shall be mutually agreed with YCED Pirkko Kokkonen or with the Finnish District YCEC in question by the end of November 2016.

All applications from students wishing to apply for Finland must be dealt by local Lions Clubs. Applications shall be sent by a nominated District YCEC or the MD-YCEC of the country / state concerned to YCED Pirkko Kokkonen by the 15th of March 2017. Finnish camp organizations do not handle applications.

The European format of the application is available from YCED Pirkko Kokkonen or at http://www.lions.fi/toiminta/kansainvalinen_nuorisovaihto/finnish_youth_exchange/

The applications should be sent by E-mail separately to YCED Pirkko Kokkonen (pirkko.kokkonen@lions.fi):

1. Application in Excel (editable)
2. The scanned last side with signatures
3. One or two photos of the applicant and family
4. Letter to the host family
5. Copy of passport/ID-card
6. EHIC card or similar

The applications can be sent by e-mail for pre-acceptance.

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Youth Camps in Finland 2017



1. Lions Youth Camp Nature and Music - Lammi - 107C

July 29 - August 6, 2017

Males and females; age 16-21 (born 1.7.1996 - 30.6.2001); 30 campers

Camp Fee: None

Camp theme and activities: The opportunity to enjoy luxuriant nature, to swim and even fish in a clean and clear Pääjärvi. Of course there is no visit to Finland without a sauna. A piano is available in the camp and we also explore Hämeenlinna, Jean Sibelius' birthplace.

2. Lions Youth Camp Finland 100 years-1000 lakes - Lappeenranta - 107D

July 29 - August 6, 2017

Males and females; aged 16 - 21 (born 1.7.1996 - 30.6.2001); 30 campers

Camp fee: 100 €

Camp theme and activities: Experience special features of South Carelian people and living. Camp program is a mixture of culture, nature and outside activities. Hike in the wilderness. Take a boat cruise. Participate in camp festivities and bathe in a real Finnish sauna - and much more.

3. Lions call to the Plains 2017 Youth Camp - Kuortane - 107F

August 12 - August 20, 2017

Males and females; aged 16 - 21 (born 1.7.1996 - 30.6.2001); 30 campers

Camp fee: None

Camp theme and activities: Sports, games, competitions to spur on team spirit, the Finnish Sauna, swimming, visits to local places of interest like Kuortane Centre for sports training, amusement park Powerpark, Ähtäri Zoo and country presentations and Lions Day.

4. Lions Youth Camp - Exploring the "Tar Route" - Vaala - 107I

July 31 - August 9, 2017

Males and females; aged 16 - 21 (born 1.7.1996 - 30.6.2001); 30 campers

Camp fee: 100 €

Camp theme and activities: Explore beautiful Finnish nature participating many activities in the forests, by the water, together with people from diverse cultures. Activities include hiking and other adventures in the beautiful landscapes of Rokua Geopark area. We will experience lake Oulujärvi and traditional transport by a row boat with 15 seats.

5. Lions Youth Camp Arctic Light - Kittila, Lapland - 107L

July 5 - July 13, 2017, Family hosting after the camp

Males and females: ages 17-21 (born 1.7.1996 - 30.6.2000); 30 campers

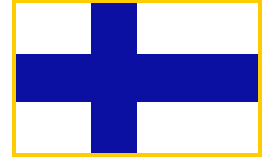
Camp Fee: 100 €

Camp theme and activities: Come and experience Finnish Lapland and its arctic nature and breathe the purest air in Europe! You will get to know nature and culture in Northern Finland, Lapland. The camp program includes sports, culture and other activities. Together we will hike in the woods, go fishing, have a sauna, swim in natural waters, cook over a campfire etc. The bravest can even try out river rafting in the clear Lappish river rapids! Also, there is no visit to Lapland without meeting Santa Claus. You will create friendships from all over the world and take home amazing memories that will last forever!





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MD 107 Finland offers five camps in summer 2017



Camp E 2016

CAMPS IN FINLAND 2017

- Deadline of applications March 15th
- The camp language is English.
- Some camps have fees
- The acceptance and further instructions will be sent by the appropriate camp organisation in the spring 2017
- All camps are absolutely non-alcoholic and the use of narcotics is strictly forbidden.
- Smoking must be stated in application form and agreed before accepting.

