INTERNATIONAL YOUTH SUMMER MOUNTAINEERING CAMP

Bușteni, Southern Carpathians, Romania

24-31 July 2023

The main goal of this youth mountaineering camp is to showcase the beauty and wilderness of the Carpathian mountains in an organised manner. The activities that will be covered include hiking, scrambling and climbing.

**Date:** 24-31 July 2023

**Place:** In Bușteni, near Brașov, Bucegi Mountains, Southern Carpathians

We will be in the Alpine chalet, called “Caminul Alpin”, which is owned and maintained by the Romanian Alpine Club (https://www.caminulalpin.ro/)

Shared rooms with bunk beds, breakfast, mid-day snack and dinner are provided by the organisers and included in the participation fee.

**Staff / leaders:**
The activities will be overseen by local mountain guides and instructors

**Participants:**
Young people from 16 to 29 years old.

Participants should be comfortable with long active days (8-12 hours) and have an overall good fitness level. Minimum french climbing grade required is 5c top-rope, belay autonomy is a must. Participants will be split into groups according to fitness and experience level!

We will be offering places for a number of 4 participants per country Federation.

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Additional person of contact: Bogdan Sandu - email: bogdan.tudor.sandu@gmail.com, telephone: +40742346702
Participants younger than 18 years old must be accompanied by an adult Climber/coach, who is able to look after them during the camp.

**Equipment:**
Summer trekking/ hiking boots, trekking poles, climbing helmet, climbing harness, climbing shoes, belay device, 2-3 carabiners and 5 quick draws (UIAA standard/CEN), sleeping bag, head lamp, summer hiking/climbing clothing and toiletry kit, water bottle, personal first aid kit and any personal medication.

**Insurance:**
Participants need to be insured in case of an accident, rescue, third party liability and travel which is valid for climbing and trekking. A copy of each insurance must be presented to the organisers on arrival.

**Entry visas:**
If your representatives need to obtain an entry visa, please confirm their names and passport numbers to the contact emails as soon as possible as Visa processing can be a very lengthy process.

**Price:**
400 EUR per participant. Paid in two stages: 200 EUR payment in advance at the registration in one of the following bank account (RO98RNCB0073049975210009 - EURO account, RO23RNCB0073049975210001 - RON account), Account Owner Name: Clubul Alpin Roman, SWIFT CODE: RNCBROBU and 200 EUR on arrival. Accommodation, full board, leading and organisational costs included.

**Registration deadline:**
**01 JULY 2023**
Please note that places are limited; camp could be full before this deadline, so don’t waste too much time thinking about it!

**Meeting point:**
- At the Alpine Chalet, on Monday the 24th of July, before 18:00 PM

*Transport:
The two closest airports are Bucharest International Airport (OTP) and Sibiu International Airport (SBZ), from both cities you can find direct shuttle buses/ trains to Bușteni.
For additional information contact: Bogdan Sandu (bogdan.tudor.sandu@gmail.com) Member of CAR - Bucharest Branch.
About UIAA Global Youth Summit events:
These events are a great opportunity to meet a varied group of young climbers from home and abroad, make new friends, and exchange mountaineering knowledge and best practices.

Schedule / activities:
during this training camp, we will:
- climb in the gorges near Bușteni and Brașov. Training will be conducted according to participant experience level.
  - Beginners: Safety and basic rope management
  - Intermediate: Climbing technique refinement and fall practice
  - Expert: Discovery of the unique style of limestone conglomerate and its movement challenges
- scramble on the alpine valleys that lead up to some of the most spectacular views one can find in Romania, and where true wildness resides
- hike on the trails that the Bucegi mountains have to offer, a nice occasion to rest, enjoy nature and socialise
- night climbing and hiking, darkness can add an extra layer of complexity to these two activities. Being one with the rock and trusting your feet acquires a completely different meaning when you find yourself engulfed by the shadows. Furthermore, if you hike early, a summit sunrise will definitely make up for the lack of sleep! (These activities are optional and will be carried out only if weather conditions and other natural factors allow)

Arrival day, Monday, 24 July 2023:
- Location of our base camp: Căminul Alpin
- Arrival until 18 PM of the participants
- Installation in rooms
- Provisioning by staff of missing equipment.
- Opening ceremony of the camp

Other days :
- Morning: Breakfast at 07:00, then we will be splitting into different groups and start the activities of the day.
- Afternoon: snack on activity site
- Evening: Return by 18:00-19:00 to the chalet, followed by dinner, debriefing and spare time/night activities

Last day of activities, Sunday 30 July 2023;
- Same schedule during daytime
- End of the camp party after 18:00

Departure day, Monday, the 31 July 2023:
- End of the camp and departure
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# REGISTRATION FORM

International Youth Summer Mountaineering camp in Bușteni, Southern Carpathians, Romania  
**24-31 July 2023**

**FEDERATION:**  
**ADDRESS:**  
**PHONE and FAX:**  
**E-MAIL:**

**PARTICIPANT:**

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**Diet:**  
- Omnivorous  
- Vegetarian  
- Vegan  
- Allergies or other (please detail):  

Do you have any Special medical needs or allergies that we should be aware of?

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Participant climbing experience, level and skills:

I can tie in: Yes/No

* I can top rope belay safely: Yes/No/ using ATC/GRI-GRI/Both (belay device)

* I can lead belay safely: Yes/No/ using ATC/GRI-GRI/Both (belay device)

My current onsight level is: My current redpoint level is:

Place, date time of arrival and transport, which you plan to use:

Questions:

Participant Signature:
(Parents of participant if under 18)

Date:

***Insurance: Participants should have a collective or individual insurance policy, which guarantees covering the expenses of all rescue operations if an accident happens to them in Romania. In addition third party liability, accident and travel insurance should be acquired. Please bring a copy of your insurance with you.

Name, surname, telephone, fax and e-mail of the person to contact responsible for insurance coverage:

Name of the insurance company: __________________________
Policy number: __________________________
Others notes: __________________________

Participants applying for a UIAA Global Youth Summit event also acknowledge and accept that:

1. Safety is a primary concern at UIAA Global Youth Summit Events, but as with all forms of climbing/mountaineering there is a danger of personal injury or death. The participant must strictly follow the rules given by the leaders.

2. Participants at UIAA Global Youth Summit events, and their parents if younger than 18, accept the risks of participation and are responsible for their own actions, which should take account of relevant circumstances such as changing weather conditions.
3. To take part it is necessary to be medically fit to do the activity and have valid liability and accident insurance which is valid in the country of the event and which covers rescue and repatriation. Please bring a copy of your insurance with you to show the organizers.

4. Alcohol and illegal substance abuse is forbidden during the camp in accordance with national legislation.

The candidate participation must be approved and confirmed by his country Mountain Federation/ Alpine Club with the Federation’s stamp and Federation’s President Signature (or authorized representative signature)

Stamp and Signature:

Please upload a copy of the completed registration form to https://forms.gle/hkis2sFhE4GYBPXz8 before 22 June 2023.