

Cala: Funding

We believe a project like this has to be funded by public funds, but our willingness to remain independent and stable advises that public funding be limited.

A substantial part of our income comes from the project "Mudalmundo" (Changetheworld), which we do in agreement with the Department of Cooperation of the Junta de Extremadura, the Autonomous Government.

We also get our income doing training courses for teachers in Teacher Training Centres and other institutions, projects with other Autonomous Ministries, from personal contributions of group members, from international projects, taking part in the medieval festival in Albuquerque with an arabic tent and tavern...and everyday we try to create new formulas to be able to carry on doing what we do in such a way that is affordable for the groups we work with and to reach viability and independent funding of the project.

We don't want or look for funding from the private sector.

We are beginning to create a support group close to Cala project. If you want to take part you can read the next information letter.



Cala bank account: 3009 0047 96 1579193010

INFORMATION LETTER

Dear friends,

We hope the new year has treated you well, and wish you enjoy it. If one of you new year resolutions is to cooperate with Cala and you don't know how to do it, carry on reading.

One of our intentions this year is to work on a support group of people close to CALA. On the one hand, this group might give economic support - depending on individual wishes and possibilities; on the other, they might be more informed of our projects and have a more fluent communication.

Our income, as many of you already know, comes mainly from the public funding of our projects, through different subsidies, little by little trying to achieve independence through other activities, but never through private funding. We don't want this formula to become an impersonal membership fee; instead, we'd like this to be the creation of a close support group.

With this formula we would like to finance some fixed costs. Firstly, we are thinking of paying for the rent of a suitable office, as we had to give over the one we were using, handed over by the Council. This is the most urgent expense we have now but, when we solve this problem we would like to devote the money to other needs.

On the other hand, we would like this support group to have our publications -The Island of Lemmon Icecreams, How we learned to become women, 8 Dynamics to change the World..and the one coming soon-, to come to our "caldereta" parties, take part in our Open Workshops and receive regular information.

We have thought about the following system of personal contributions:

1. choose the amount you want to contribute in 10s (10, 20,30 €...) and the frequency (monthly, every two months, every term...once a year...).
2. either deposit the amount on our account (3009 0047 96 1579193010) or give youR bank a transfer order.

For us it would be better if everybody always had the same formula.

If you are interested, we would like you to get in touch with us by phoning us (924105901), by e-mail(cala@nodo50.org) o visiting our new office on Avenida del emigrante nº 9 (close to Casa de la Cultura, in the corner of the bus station, Alburquerque).

Lots of love and best wishes for the New Year.

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