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11 events have been carried out within this project:

Event 1: Launch of The Crocus Project 2017/18

Participation: The event involved the participation of 60 citizens from Dublin and Co. Wicklow.

Location / Dates: The event took place at Russborough House, Co. Wicklow on Thursday 26 October 2017.

Short description: The Crocus Project was launched by Holocaust survivor, Suzi Diamond. We had a capacity audience of 60 people at the event, hosted at the Russborough House, Co. Wicklow. All of the European countries involved in the Project were represented by their diplomatic missions based in Ireland. 30 students from a local school participated in the event which was covered by the national broadcaster, RTE, children's news programme News2Day which is watched in schools across Ireland daily. The Crocus Project was launched by Holocaust survivor, Suzi Diamond.

Event 2: Promotion

Participation: This event involved 20 citizens from Ireland, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Malta, Poland, and Slovakia.

Dates: 01/08/2017 - 27/10/2017

Short description: Promotion for The Crocus Project was carried out by HETI and all of our partner organisations. In Ireland, HETI has developed a relationship with The Corres Centre, an organisation for people with intellectual disabilities who assist in preparing the promotional mail out to all Irish schools.

Event 3: Amendment of crocus packs

Participation: This event involved 20 citizens from Ireland, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Malta, Poland and Slovakia.

Dates: 01/08/2017 - 25/08/2017

Short description: The information pack was updated in 2016 to reflect issues relevant to Europe today; the refugee crises and migrants, the Holocaust and other 20th century genocides and the inclusion of other victims of the Holocaust; Roma, disabled people, homosexuals and ethnic minorities. However, in response to partner feedback, some minor amendments to the translation were required in 2017/18.

Event 4: Production and Distribution

Participation: This event involved 20 citizens from Ireland, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Malta, Poland and Slovakia.

Dates: 04/09/2017 - 18/09/2017

Short description: Our partner organisations proof read the final information pack and it was printed in: English/Irish, Polish, Maltese, Bulgarian, Czech, Croatian, Greek, Slovak, Italian and Hungarian. HETI dispatched the packs to our partner organisations by courier.

Event 5: Registration for the project

Participation: This event involved approximately 2,000 citizens from Ireland, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Malta, Poland and Slovakia.

Dates: 01/08/2017 - 13/10/2017

Short description: HETI and all of our partner organisations received a tremendous response to the promotion of the project, over 105,000 students registered to participate in the project across 10 European member states.

Event 6: Assembly of bulb and pack mail out

Participation: This event involved 100 citizens from Ireland, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Malta, Poland and Slovakia.

Dates: 19/09/2017 - 31/10/2017

Short description: HETI worked with our partner organisations and the Corres Centre to ensure that the bulb and educational packs were assembled and packed in 10 European countries.

Event 7: Dispatch and project commences

Participation: This event involved over 107,000 citizens from Ireland, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Malta, Poland and Slovakia.

Dates: 31/10/2017 – 11/11/2017

Short description: Packs dispatched and the project commences. All schools nationally and internationally received their information packs and bulbs and were able to start the practical implementation of the project.

Event 8: The Crocus Club

Participation: This event involved 700 citizens from Ireland, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Malta, Poland and Slovakia.

Dates: 31/10/2017 – 30/06/2018

Short description: The Facebook Crocus Club group grew to 700 members from across Europe who actively shared images of the project and their own memorials and classroom events with each other and shared ideas and feedback on the project.

Event 9: Evaluation

Participation: This event involved approximately 2,000 citizens from Ireland, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Malta, Poland and Slovakia.

Dates: 05/02/2018 – 29/06/2018

Short description: Online evaluation of the project.

Event 10: Dissemination

Participation: This event involved 50 citizens from Ireland, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Malta, Poland, Slovakia and other international contacts.

Dates: 02/07/2018 – 30/11/2018

Short description: Dissemination of the results of The Crocus Project 2017/18 to partners, civil society organisations and media.

Event 11: Crocus Ambassadors

Participation: This event involved 100 citizens from Ireland.

Dates: 01/08/2018 – 30/11/2018

Short description: A small number of schools and students who worked exceptionally hard to produce programmes or projects to complement The Crocus Project were recognised in HETI's Crocus Report which was disseminated amongst our partners and international contacts.



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