

The delegates of the International Office met in Luxembourg

Formalities

On 27th and 28th February 2015 the delegates of the International Office met for their general assembly in Luxembourg.

Besides the annual statutory formalities, the positive events and the problems in the national federations were discussed.

Request for diplomas

Demands for diplomas for an ecological gardening were presented by the Dutch and German federations. Further demands should be presented by the French, Luxembourgish and Norwegian federations. Demands for the diploma for social activities respectively innovative projects have been presented by the German federation. The diplomas will be given to the associations during the international study session in Luxembourg.

New publication

The delegates decided to publish a brochure on how to sensitize children and young people for nature through the allotments and on how to integrate them into school life or the working system by working on an allotment.

The brochure will be published in German, English and French.

Campaign without pesticides 2015

The delegates decided with unanimity to take part in this campaign. The International Office will participate with a call to all allotment and home gardeners to garden in an environment friendly way and with a study session on “gardening advice considering sustainability and responsible use of resources”.