



# Moody's "TeamUp" & "Extra Measure"

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**Milan / Limassol / Prague  
Grenoble / Paris / Saint Cloud  
Frankfurt / Madrid**

## Overview 2015

## HELPING CHILDREN WITH HOMEWORK & ORGANISING PLAYTIME ACTIVITIES IN AN EDUCATIONAL CENTRE

**Impact:** Children felt welcomed, known, involved and with all the attention they required while volunteers showed great sensitivity and willingness to get involved and connected with the children, without being intrusive nor judgemental. The project got employees in contact with vulnerable and disadvantaged children and raised awareness about their situation.

In partnership with **CIAI- Centro Italiano di Aiuti all'Infanzia**

*"The event with CIAI was a great success and we had a wonderful time playing with children!"*  
(Moody's)

*"I do hope that CIAI will keep in touch with Moody's Volunteer Programme, to enjoy their presence in other activities, both in Italy and in our projects abroad."*  
(CIAI)

**13 VOLUNTEERS**



Moody's  
TeamUp 2015

**Milan / Italy**

17 April

## GARDENING & OUTDOOR MAINTENANCE

**Impact:** Volunteers improved the aesthetics and content of the garden through planting a variety of small plants and aromatic herbs (e.g. lavender, marjoram, basil, etc).

In partnership with **Cyprus Centre for Environmental Research and Education (CYCERE)** & **The Pan Cyprian Volunteerism Coordinative Council (PVCC)**.

*“Was lovely! I believe the team thoroughly enjoyed it!  
The place looked much better when we finished!”*

*(Moody's)*

*“Students and visitors of the centre will be receiving great  
benefits from the aesthetic improvement of the centre's  
garden with aromatic herbs”*

*(CYCERE)*

### 9 VOLUNTEERS



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TeamUp 2015

**Limassol / Cyprus**

8 May



## PREPARATION FOR ABILYMPIC GAMES

**Impact:** The project deepened volunteers' understanding of people with learning difficulties, and offered an opportunity to interact with people with disabilities. The venue was prepared and logistical issues connected with the abilympic games solved.

In partnership with **HESTIA** and **Jedlička Institute and Schools**.

**16** VOLUNTEERS



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Prague /  
Czech Republic  
15 May

## OFFICE MAINTENANCE, FOOD DISTRIBUTION & AWARENESS RAISING

**Impact:** Works and maintenance of the office space for the organisation (e.g. floor fixed), food box preparation and distribution, awareness raising activities about accessibility challenges faced by people with disabilities.

In partnership with **Secours Populaire** (20 March), **Banque Alimentaire** (17, 19 March) and **Association des Paralysés de France** (4 June).

**34** VOLUNTEERS



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TeamUp 2015  
**Grenoble / France**

## SUPPORTING CHILDREN WITH MENTAL OR PHYSICAL DISABILITIES

**Impact:** Employees escorted disabled youngsters to the Paris Zoo of Paris. The visit to the zoo was an occasion for disabled youngsters to get in contact with new people in a natural environment and for employees to try to empathise with the challenges faced by disabled people. The visit ended with a group picnic. The project was an occasion for employees to have direct contact with deaf children and experience a window into their daily life.

In partnership with **Centre Grosselin / Fondation Bellan.**

**26** VOLUNTEERS



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**Paris & Saint  
Cloud/ France**

12 June

## ACCOMPANYING CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

**Impact:** Volunteers accompanied children from Monikahaus (children with special assistance needs) on a visit to Frankfurt Zoo. The project was an occasion for employees to empathise with the challenges faced by children with special assistance needs and their families.

## JOB INTERVIEWS

**Impact:** The aim of the project was to help disadvantaged young people to increase their possibility to find a job after finalising school. Volunteers conducted mock interviews in cooperation with the International Family Centre in Frankfurt. The target group for the exercise were young people with learning disabilities and/or mental disorders.

## HOSPITALIZED PEOPLE

**Impact:** Moody's employee volunteers spent the afternoon with residents from the Oberin Martha Keller Haus. The activity consisted of a city tour with a double-decker bus, and a barbecue at the residence. Volunteers enabled residents to have a half day excursion, enjoying time together.

In partnership with **Bundesnetzwerk Bürgerschaftliches Engagement (BBE)**, **Monikahaus** (17 April), **Internationales Familienzentrum IFZ** (21 May), **Oberin Martha Keller Haus** (21 June).





## SUPPORTING CHILDREN WITH MENTAL OR PHYSICAL DISABILITIES

**Impact:** Awareness raising of employees concerning people with learning disabilities and to the protection of the environment. Volunteers measured the depth of water, the quality of water, and observed the animals that live in the river. The project was an occasion for volunteers to get in contact with people living with learning disabilities and to do something for the environment at the same time.

In partnership with **Fondación Manantial**.

**26** VOLUNTEERS



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**Madrid / Spain**

12 June



## HELPING REGULAR VOLUNTEERS IN RECYCLING CLOTHES AND IN REPAIRING TOOLS AND OBJECTS

**Impact:** Volunteers recycled textiles and clothes, fixed objects and assembled various furniture items. Moody's volunteers gave a much needed additional support to the regular volunteers. They helped them in recycling more than 100 bags of clothes in one morning.

In partnership with **Emmaus Solidarité**.

**20** VOLUNTEERS



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**Paris & Saint  
Cloud / France**  
15 October



*The activities were carried out with support from CEV in the framework of EVEN.*

## HELPING REGULAR VOLUNTEERS AT THE FOOD BANK STORAGE TO SORT FOOD AND PREPARE BOXES FOR PEOPLE IN NEED

**Impact:** Volunteers prepared and distributed food boxes to people in need, and helped the drivers move the food boxes from the storage to the distribution centres. 250 boxes were prepared for the distribution centers. Around 150 people in need benefited from this activity.

In partnership with **Frankfurter-Tafel**.

**24** VOLUNTEERS

Moody's  
Extra Measure

**Frankfurt / Germany**

14 October

18 November