

Report  
Roma Pride Day 2014  
Budapest

This year the Roma Pride Day was held for the second time in Budapest. After the great success of the first Roma Pride Day in 2013, Roma activists and organizers were impatiently looking forward to the continuation, so they were pleased to hear the announcement of this year's event.

Mozaik Association and 'We belong here!' Roma Social Network welcomed other Roma groups and everyone who wanted to participate in the organization. In this framework 20 advocates gathered weekly to arrange and discuss details, operative tasks and the program of the event.

Participants of the organizing committee were:

- Mozaik Association
- We belong here! Roma Social Network
- Amenca Group
- Organization for the Roma from Pest County
- Together Against the Racism Group
- Roma Activists Group from the XIII. district

*'Space for Roma history in the Hungarian public education'* was the main message of the event. In accordance with this message, a petition has been created which was free to sign for all the participants of the event.

An online campaign anticipated the event, where our activists promoted the program on several forums and surfaces to reach as many people as possible with the news about the Roma Pride Day. At the same time, we help a fundraising campaign too, called 'One thousand with one thousand' to cover the event's costs at least partly.

Thanks to the successful campaign, we raised 250 000 HUF from 120 supporters.

Beyond the Roma Pride March, we decided to organize a stage show as well.

We found it important to be present beyond the areas which are inhabited mostly by Roma people, therefore the starting point of the march was in the 8<sup>th</sup> district, at Kálvin tér and the ending point was the 'Új Gödör Klub' in the 7<sup>th</sup> district.

We trailed along the so-called 'Small Boulevard', which is one of the busiest areas of downtown Budapest.

5-600 hundred participants joined us on the March: Roma and non-Roma citizens, activists, foreign students studying in Budapest and pro-Roma organisations.

A sad coincidence was that on the same day at the same time another important event was held, which promoted the rights of disabled people. We had been trying to accommodate our events, but finally we could not rearrange the dates and starting hours. At the end, the organisers of the event supporting disabled people joined us, ensuring us about their

solidarity. We agreed that the following year we both will proceed more gingerly and with prior arrangement.

Our march went on in cheerful mood and friendly atmosphere, the participating activists brought Romani flags, additional to the 600 smaller ones, made of paper that we distributed along the march. We also prepared 15 transparents depicting famous and historical Romani people.

Four major national television channels reported on our march, and several media interviewed the leader organiser, Jenő Setét and EGAM- president Benjamin Abtan. A dozen newspapers and portals featured our event as well. In our press release, we expressed our deprecation against the pig farm in Lety (Czech Republic) which stands at the place of a Roma concentration camp, and we also reaffirmed our goal of making Roma history a part of Hungarian public education.

Some 800 visitors were interested in our programs at the 'Új Gödör Klub'. At the same venue, our activists gathered 500 supporting signatures for our '*Space for Roma history in the Hungarian public education*' petition.

Speeches had been delivered by

- Benjamin Abtan, President of EGAM
- Judit Berki, Roma activist, social politician from Nógrád county
- Jenő Setét civil rights activist, leader of the program

Performing artists were

- Laci Nagy 'Gitano', nationally known artist
- Laci Csík and his band, Roma artist playing popular music
- Lajos Sárközi Jr., Junior Prima Primissima – winner artist
- Péter Molnár and Színész Bob, Roma and non-Roma slammers
- Zsolt Szomora and his band, grandson of the legendary music teacher, Gyula Farkas
- Miklós Lakatos and his band
- El Bangó and MONDOM, Roma rappers
- artists of 'Romano Teatro' Roma theatre from Miskolc

During the organisation the approaching date of the municipal elections (October 12<sup>th</sup>) caused some difficulties, so we preferred holding the Roma Pride Day only after the elections. Further difficulties were caused by the delay of the subsidy which forced us to apply private sources and ask for a loan.

Nonetheless we consider our event successful, Roma activists and communities as non-Roma public opinion welcomed it, and we received positive feedbacks.

November 10, 2014. Budapest

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President

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Leader

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**APPENDIX II**  
**STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS – ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENT**

Activity: Roma Pride 2014 event  
 Place: Budapest, Hungary  
 Date: 19 October 2014

Administrator responsible: Michael Guet & Isabella Minahache, Societate

Payments	Unit	# of units	Average unit rate (local currency)	# of participants	Exchange rate		Estimated budget (€)	Invoice reference number
					Costs (local currency) HUF	Costs (€)		
<b>1. Accommodation and meals</b>								
1.1 Food expenses - double rooms + BB	Per Night				22015		0	AN25A-6229618, CUEEARF4565
1.2 Lunches offered	Per Lunch	8	276023			221732024	0	
1.3 Dinners offered	Per Dinner				22085	721703261	0	
<b>Schedule / Accommodation and meals:</b>								
<b>2. Travel</b>								
2.1 Participants (return trip x 200 auto x participants)	Per Trip							
2.2 Local transportation (return trip x unit rate x participants)	Per Trip				13409	4414705882	0	3218/00034, 0174/00161, 3131/00127, 0007/00036, 0002/00038
2.3 Local transportation (return trip x unit rate x participants) -	Per Trip							
<b>Schedule / Travel:</b>					13509	4414705882	0	
<b>3. Rent of hall and equipment</b>								
3.1 Rent of hall	Per Day	1	1000		224915	7350163399	1000	WH15A489564, WH15A489547,
3.2 Rent of technical equipment (video and sound)	Per Day				329000	1075163399		DOJ8A418312, N820114, YK2S38034900A, CC3S3406585, VIL15A11076
3.3 Insurance and rent for the stage	Per Event	1	250			0	250	
<b>Schedule / Rent of hall and equipment:</b>					533915	1881177979	1250	
<b>4. Other</b>								
4.1 Working material (gifts, pens, ledgers, banners, badges, ...)	Per event		550		34462	113721016	350	0057/00210, 0115/00198, SZ1S.M0217678
4.2 Communication	Per event				3000	1633986028		0120/04472
<b>Schedule / Rent of hall and equipment:</b>					39862	130267739	350	
<b>5. Administrative fees</b>								
5.1 Preparation, organisation of Roma Pride event - administrative fee	Per event	1			9140	2936038105	200	CT15A 252863A, CT15A4994421, CT15A
<b>Schedule / Administrative fees:</b>					9140	2936038105	200	
<b>Total project costs (1-5)</b>					638311	2086437255	2090	
<b>Concord of Europe contribution</b>					612000	2000		
<b>Already paid (credit advice slip for installment in local currency)</b>					462000			
<b>Amount due</b>					25611	529411767		
<b>over contribution (over expenses)</b>						365372549		

I certify that the total amount of the payments was 2086,63 - two thousand eighty six (written in full) Euros and all supporting documents have been attached

Name of the representative of the Beneficiary: **Mozaiik Association, Iren Sárdos** (followed by signature, e.g. Director)

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Signature: *Szánórs Iren*

Date: 10th of November, 2014, Budapest

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Kelt: 2014.10.18.

Megnevezése	ennyi egysége	Mennyisége	egységára (ált. forg. adóval növelt)	értéke, mely % ÁFA-t tartalmaz
<i>Magyar nyelvű</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>17150</i>	<i>17150</i>
A számla fizetendő végösszege: <i>17150</i>				
A számla végösszege: <i>17150</i>				

A számla általános forgalmi adót tartalmaz

Aláírás: *[Signature]*

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A termék, vagy szolgáltatás:					
Megnevezése	Mennyiség	Mennyisége	egységára (ált. forg. adóval növelt)	értéke, mely % ÁFA-t tartalmaz	
nyomtatás	db	1	990	990	
A számla fizetendő végösszege: <b>kilencszázkilencven</b>				<b>990</b>	
A számla végösszege <b>2,28</b> % általános forgalmi adót tartalmaz.					Aláírás:

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Megnevezése	Mennyiség	Mennyisége	egységára (ált. forg. adóval növelt)	értéke, mely % ÁFA-t tartalmaz
nyomtatás	db	1	7150	7150
A számla fizetendő végösszege: <b>hétvezeregyezer</b>				<b>7150</b>
A számla végösszege <b>1,16</b> % általános forgalmi adót tartalmaz.				Aláírás:

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Megnevezése	Mennyiség	Mennyisége	egységára (ált. forg. adóval növelt)	értéke, mely % ÁFA-t tartalmaz
nyomtatás	db	1	1000	1000
A számla fizetendő végösszege: <b>ezred</b>				<b>1000</b>
A számla végösszege <b>1,16</b> % általános forgalmi adót tartalmaz.				Aláírás:

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