



Grab A Paintbrush 2 Rose Centre Project



Many young adult women who have been brought up in institutions are evicted when they reach the age of 18 (or have completed their full-time education) and have nowhere to go. So they survive, if you can call it that, on the streets! Little wonder many are victims of prostitution and trafficking. The Rose Centre project would provide them with short term accommodation and skills training with the objective of helping them find a job and somewhere to live in the longer term.

The charity, Biggin Hill Romania Group (BHRG), is refurbishing the top floor of the building in which The Robert Cole Centre (RCC) and its Foundations For Life Centre (FFLC) and the Zavoi Polyclinic are located for this purpose. BHRG is offering volunteers the unique opportunity to take part in their GAP2 (**Grab A Paintbrush 2**) Project, to help paint some of the rooms in the Rose Centre in Comanesti, Romania during September 2013. This will be the first phase of the GAP2 project, with the next phase to paint the remainder of the rooms envisaged to be in the Spring, 2014.

Working in supervised teams, volunteers will carry out decorating, mainly painting, to recently refurbished rooms within the centre.

No experience is necessary but the desire to make a practical difference with your own hands is essential.

The cost of the trip is £450, which includes international air travel to Romania, transfers in Romania, insurance for anyone under 65 years (*if you are 65 or over please get in touch with us about this*), accommodation, breakfast, lunch and dinner.

In addition it would help considerably if you could raise sponsorship of £100 to go towards the project and materials, although we appreciate that not everyone is in a position to do this, so if you are unable to raise the sponsorship money please let us know. It would also help if you could take a paint roller or paint pad and tray over with you.

Please return the completed application form together with payment to secure your place.

If you would like more details or have any queries please do get in touch with us via email bhrg@lineone.net or call us on 01959 700489.

So get ready to **Grab A Paintbrush 2**, fill that **GAP** and our promise to you is that you will return from Romania inspired, uplifted and with a sense of achievement!

Dates available:

- Sunday 22nd September – Sunday 29th September 2013

If you are interested, but cannot make these dates please get in touch so we can let you know of our plans for the next phase.

For more information about Biggin Hill Romania Group and the Rose Centre Project please visit www.bigginhillromaniagroup.com now or to see work done to date on the Rose Centre <https://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set=a.258178957660661.1073741829.201643199980904&type=1>.