

Hungary meeting

November 2012

A report from Denmark

Comenius - Hungary

- Our trip to Hungary and Bicske was beyond anything we could have expected. Everyone was friendly and forthcoming, and happy that the project had finally taken off.



Friendliness

- People were easy to talk to no matter where they came from. Everywhere we went people seemed very friendly. We may not be able to talk a lot to each other, but we can still be friends. We hope to form some friendships along the way. Maybe even lifelong ones.



At the school

- We had a very warm welcome at the school. We must say that everyone here made sure that we had a nice time. We attended lessons in math and English. The teaching was far more structured than it is in Denmark. We also think that the pupils were more respectful of their teachers.



The dance festival

- One of the things we were thrilled about were the many national costumes which were very beautiful. We enjoyed the festival a lot and saw a lot of wonderful performances. Later we tried out each other's dances which was really funny. Dancing together resulted in us feeling closer to the students from the other countries. Dancing really brings people together!



Budapest

- Budapest was fantastic. It is a very fascinating capital with lots of beautiful buildings and with the Danube running through it. The city has a lot of history and we went to lots of historic places; palaces, squares, the citadel and even the royal palace. And we enjoy the thought of having flash-mobbed in a city as beautiful as Budapest!



Our international community

- Living together for a week with students from the other Comenius countries made it easier to get to know everybody. Even if we were complete strangers to begin with we learned how great it is to meet people from other places. This experience will be of great benefit to us later in life. We have learned a lot about Hungary, about its people and about its culture.



Our own personal comments

- **Line:** I think it was a wonderful trip! I feel that the girls in my group became closer than ever. I hope that my other class-mates have pleasant trips as well. This is definitely a trip I'll always remember!
- **Karoline:** In Hungary they had some really lovely chocolate with nougat and nuts. Line and I had our own shelf filled with chocolate...
- **Simone:** I noticed that people didn't like it if we were bare-footed! That goes to show that there are differences between us, I think. In Denmark people probably wouldn't even notice if you had bare feet or not...
- **Mia:** I think it was a nice trip. For me the best day was the day of the dancing festival. For me the festival is definitely my fondest memory. And the people...
- **Anna:** To sail on a river is wonderful. I enjoyed seeing Budapest from the water. It presented the city from another angle. I liked sailing and it was a welcome break... A bit of relaxation.



See you in Slovenia!

- **Greetings from Denmark**

Emma, Line, Mia, Anna, Simone and
Karoline

Ingrid and Michelle