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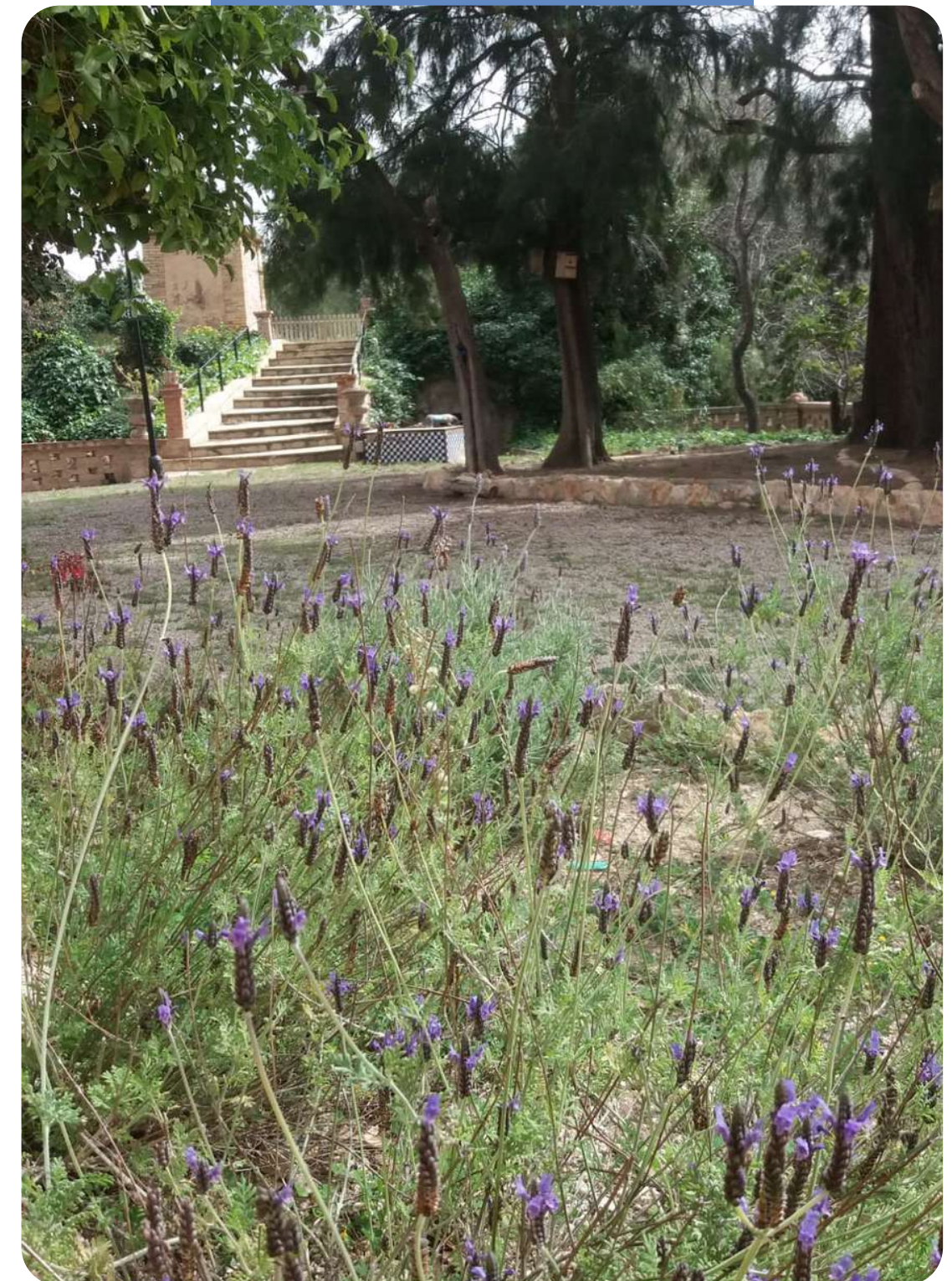
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# INFOPACK

## BROT DEL SUD

***We work for the environment in Torre Sant Antoni and to raise awareness about the protection of ecosystems***



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Dear volunteer,


We are **Obre't'ebre, the coordinating organization** for 10 different projects in Terres de l'Ebre and **Brot del Sud** is one of them.

Thank you for your interest in participating, contributing, and cooperating with INTEGRATION FOR ALL. Please, read the information below in this guide where you can find useful information about our ECS project in Terres de l'Ebre, in Catalonia.

Please, do not hesitate to contact us with any of your questions!

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Obre't'ebre team

# Who we are

The main objective of **Brot del Sud**, is to raise awareness of the protection of the ecosystem. To do that Brot del Sud develops its activity in the ecological garden located in Torre de Sant Antoni. We sell baskets of seasonal vegetables weekly to the local community and we organize workshops and activities for the different target groups (students, children, etc) about eco gardening.

One of our main tasks is to preserve the area of Sant Antoni Tower, which is 4 hectares big; we prune the trees, cultivate the outdoors, or build hostel insects for example. In addition, the inner part of the house is also in charge of this project and we help to make Sant Antoni house a welcoming and cozy place for all the groups of our projects.



# What do we do?

## *Environmental protection*



*Our actions focus on protecting the environment in Sant Antoni by creating a space that promote biodiversity on behalf of the health of the people and nature*

## *Local training and workshops*



*We develop training and workshops in order to train young people and create consciousness to local community.*

## *Organic vegetable basket*



*Organic baskets are served at local level. The vegetables are in season.*

# Our team

Brot del Sud belongs to Obre't Ebre and it's part of it

## The board

... is the entity's governing body that takes executive decisions between assemblies, legally and publicly represents the entity and is responsible for meeting the objectives set in the members' assemblies

## The professional technical team

...is responsible for the day-to-day management of the entity: attending. Obre't Ebre is formed by 3.5 workers that develop the projects in the entity. Brot del sud is just formed by one farmen and volunteers.

## Volunteering

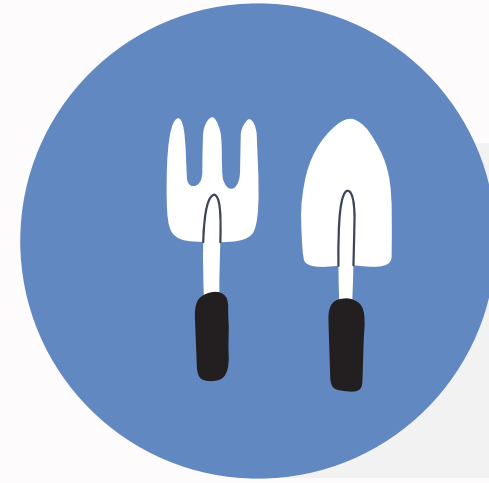
...is a large part of the soul of Obre't Ebre and it's essential for the organization to work optimally.



# Volunteer's tasks

HOURS: between 30 and 35h

+ catalan lessons 2 h per week



Help out in the ecogarden in all the phases (cultivating, pruning or preparing baskets)



Arranging furniture and other elements outside and inside of Sant Antoni



Educational activities for different target groups



Diffusion of ECS and local participation: the volunteers need to participate at least in 3 different talks (schools, radio, etc) to explain the experience, and to participate in 6 different local actions to get to know the community where they are living (environmental, social, cultural...)

# Volunteer's tasks

Personal Project: Preparing your project is a compulsory activity for your personal development. Always need to coordinate with your hosting organization.





# Volunteer's profile

- Is open-minded towards differences and has an unconditional respect for the others
- Is interested in working with diversity of people
- Is willing to do the tasks
- Has previous experience in volunteering at the local level
- Has a personal interest in the topic covered by the association
- Is highly motivated to learn Catalan and Spanish
- Is highly motivated to have relations with the community



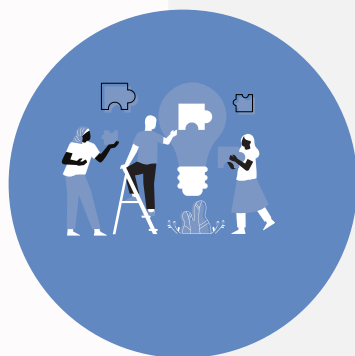
# Practical arrangements



- The shopping list will be done by the volunteers
- The food will be delivered every 2 weeks by a supermarket



- Facilities and rooms (4-6 double beds) are shared.
- Free WIFI
- Sharing the house with other projects is possible.
- Deposit of 100 euros on arrival. Returned at the end if belongings are fine



- Working hours maximum 35 hours per week
- 2 h language per week (Catalan)
- Personal project
- If working weekends, it will be compensated during the week
- 2 days off per month



- The language course will consist of Catalan language (the Official Language in Catalonia) and it will be strengthened with language, 2 hours per week (in volunteering or formal courses)



- Monthly pocket money at the beginning of each month ( 6 euros per day)

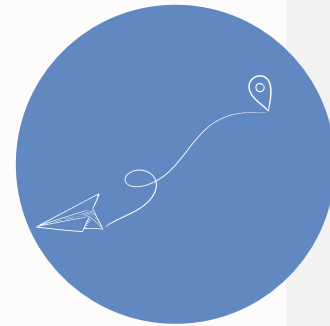


- EU citizen, bring your European Health Insurance Card. For non-EU citizens, we have to apply to Henner Insurance
- Spanish community: do not forget to bring your Social Security Number

# Practical arrangements



- Volunteers have a mentor. Individual mentoring and group mentoring with other volunteers are compulsory
- Volunteers need to assist with the compulsory training by the National Agency: 1 on arrival and 1 mid-term evaluation.



- Travel costs will be reimbursed after submitting tickets, bills, boarding passes, etc
- Travel costs are based on EU travel grant accordingly to the ESC program



- Visa costs can be covered. First, ask us about the assigned amount
- Ask us for the supporting letters on time
- Make sure of the procedures and dates with your embassy to obtain the visa



- Each volunteer will have a bike, helmet, and a bike lock
- On arrival, volunteers need to know that helmet (10 Euros ), bike lock (10 Euros), and bike (60 Euros) are priced at 80 Euros. If volunteers lose, break, or damage the items they will need to replace them

# More information of Brot del Sud

**Instagram**

<https://www.instagram.com/brotdelsud/>

*To become a volunteer in Brot del Sud...it is important that the volunteer likes to work with eco gardening and restoration.*

