

## EcoVisio in action - August 2020



### **What do children think about garbage, plastic and the planet?**

We believe that the way to saving our planet is by re-educating ourselves and raising our children to care for the environment. Only by being informed, can children become more sensitive to the issues affecting the environment and humankind.

Our Waste Management Department talked with children of different ages about pollution, garbage, water and other eco topics. See what they had to say in a new video series by Moldova #FărăDeșeuri [here](#)

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### **What We've Been Up To**

[Read more on our website](#)



## Webinar: all about compost

On 20 August, around 40 people met our Ask a Worm team online to find out more about compost. Participants learned from our colleagues how to make a compost and what's the difference between a cold and a hot compost. See the video [here](#)



## Zero Waste meet-up

Creativity and fruitful discussions – that's what a group of young women enjoyed on Sunday, 24 August, at our Zero Waste meet-up. Participants talked about responsible consumption while painting on glass jars for storing dry foods. Colorful pictures [here](#)



## Seminar for farmers in Bălți

On 18 August, a group of farmers took part in a training on agro-ecological practices. During the seminar, they also visited the



## EcoVisio Healthy Retreat

12 employees, alumni and members of EcoVisio tried out the concept of a Healthy Retreat at EcoVillage Moldova. They did experiments in the kitchen, harvested food, discussed the principles of healthy nutrition and did some yoga. Find the photos [here](#)



## Crop rotation video

Low-cost, simple and eco-friendly, crop rotation is a technique used in organic agriculture to prevent diseases and pests, provide a more fertile soil and boost productivity. Find out more about it [here](#)



## EcoVisio Facilitators Team

Our colleagues who apply and promote concepts of non-formal education and group facilitation now have their own page

'Selecția' Research Institute for Field Crops in Bălți. Photos and details [here](#)

'EcoVisio Facilitators' on Facebook and Instagram! [Follow them](#) for non-formal education methods and events



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## The first Agrifood Business Incubator

This year we kickstarted an ambitious collaboration - EcoVisio partnered up with Katalyst Kitchens to develop an agro-ecological demo-plot on the territory of an abandoned farm in Rîșcova. Furthermore, on the same spot we will be co-creating Moldova's first Agrifood Business Incubator. More on the partnership [here](#)

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## Coming Up Next

Read more on our [website](#)



### Come visit the EcoVillage garden!

If you want to grow delicious veggies using organic practices and you are curious how to extend their season, what grows in the EcoVillage Moldova garden and what a land in agro-ecological conversion looks like, don't miss our event [here](#)



### Let's see a movie about bees!

Why are bees so important to the environment and humanity? We invite you to watch together a movie about the dangers of these little creatures going extinct, after which we will discuss the topic with a beekeeper. Details [here](#)



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## We're still looking for an Executive Director!

Join the EcoVisio management team and help us grow in all the right directions! We are looking for a resilient and determined individual to fulfil the role of Executive Director part-time, with a salary of €600-800 per month. Apply by 3 September, more information [here](#)

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## Our Friends' Initiatives



## Protest: Protecting our groundwaters

On 19 August, the government approved a new regulation on the use of groundwater for drip irrigation. Read [here](#) about the negative impact of this regulation and the protest organized against it



## Keep your distance, ride a bike

Bicycles are the safest way to get around during the pandemic. Critical Mass invites all of you who dream of a more bike-friendly Chişinău to take a ride together this Friday, 28 August. Details [here](#)



## Domestic tourism that's responsible

The quarantine motivated many of us to rediscover our country, but how to make sure we're enjoying Moldova's natural beauty without harming it? Read a mini-guide published by Moldova.org [here](#)



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## Humans of EcoVisio

Daniela Luca is passionate about everything to do with healthy food. A vegan for the past eight years, she is also an ardent lover of potatoes, so much so that for the last two years she has been coordinating and working side by side with Rîşcova Potato - the first co-op initiative in our country that grows potatoes naturally

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