

(First Announcement)

## 3rd Izmir Sun, Fun and Culture Camp (ISFC-C)

2024

### Izmir, Çiğli, Phokaia Rotary Clubs' Programme

#### Day 1: 14 July 2024, Sunday

Arrivals and welcome to Izmir. Getting from airport and free time with hosts.

#### Day 2: 15 July 2024, Monday

10:00 Meeting at District 2440 Office

(Hürriyet Bulvarı No: 4/1 D:405 Kavala Plaza Çankaya/İzmir)

\*Presentation Time (Each participant will have 5 minutes for talk about himself/herself, the city/country they live, Please bring your presentation with you on an USB stick.)

\*Meeting with District 2440 Governor and District RYE Chair Gökşin Akçalı and their welcome speech.

12:00 City Tour by walking Kemeraltı Open Bazaar

13:00 Agora Ancient City

14:00 Lunch time in Hisarönü

15:30 İzmir International Fair Park

17:30 Seaside walk- promenade of Alsancak / stylish part of city

19:00 Soweto Pub and bar in Alsancak area





**Day 3: 16 July 2024, Tuesday**

**09:30** Meeting at Foça Bus Stop

**11:00** BOAT TOUR (Maymi Tour) Lunch included, Swimming suits and slippers

**18:30** Dinner at Gözde Pide Restaurant, Foça

**19:30** Free time in Foça

**22:00** Meeting at Bus Station for departure



**Day 4: 17 July 2024, Wednesday**

**10:00-13:00** Izmir Art and Culture Factory

(Archeology, Ethnography/Painting and Sculpture Museums Quarter)

Meeting at World of Coffee in the garden)

**13:30** A short voyage from Alsancak Pier to Bostanlı Pier by ferry.

**14:00** Lunch at Kumrucu Ömür

**15:00** A visit to Bostanlı Bazaar (BOSPA)- Traditional weekly Bazaar

**17:00** Preparing for dinner

**20:00** Izmir Rotary Club Presidential Handover Ceremony  
at Wyndham Hotel (Flag exchange ceremony)

\*(Dress Code: For gents; long trousers and shoes, for ladies; they know what they wear.)



**Day 5: 18 July 2024, Thursday**

**10:30** Meeting at Foça Bus Stop

**11:30** Bueno Beach Club, Foça

**18:00** Sunset Terrace for Dinner (Turkish Kebabs)

**20:00 - 24:00** Party at Kale Camping







**Day 6: 19 July 2024 Friday**

**Outdoor Day**

**11:00** Meeting at Homeros Adventure Center

**11:00 -12:30** Breakfast

**12:30-14:30** Paintball

**15:00-17:00** Adventure / survivor activities

**17:00** BBQ Party

**19.00** Back home, preparation for departure



**Day 7: 20 July 2024, Saturday**

**10:00** Transfer to Denizli Rotary Club (243 km – 3 hr 15 min) Bus Trip

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**Day 7: 20 July 2024, Saturday**

Welcome to Denizli, Textile Capital of Turkiye

**13:30** Lunch at Enver Kebap (Traditional Denizli Food)

**15:00** City Tour on foot. Bayramyeri Old Bazaar and Çınar District, free time for shopping.

**17:00** Free time with hosts.

**19:00** Happy Hour @ Holly Stone Pub



**Day 8: 21 July 2024, Sunday**

**10:00** Visit to travertine pools of Pamukkale, famous for a carbonate mineral left by the flowing of thermal spring water. Pamukkale is recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site together with Hierapolis since 1988.



We will also visit the Antique Pool, also known as Cleopatra Pool and will be able to swim among the ancient ruins. (You will need swim suits, slippers, towel, underwaterglass and camera etc. for the pool)





Lastly, we will be visiting the ancient city of Hierapolis, founded as a thermal spa early in the 2nd century BC within the sphere of the Seleucid Empire.



**17:00 – 19:00** Cable Car tour

at the beautiful and magnificent highland of Bağbaşı Olive Plateau, which is 1400 meters above the city forest of Bağbaşı, is reached by the cable car with a length of 1500 meters.



**19:00- 23:00** BBQ party at Vadi Restaurant

We will be ending the day with a BBQ party with traditional snacks at Vadi Restaurant.



**Day 9: 22 July 2024, Monday**

**09:30** Transfer to Bodrum Rotary Club (239 km – 3 hr 28 min) Bus Trip



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### Bodrum Rotary Club's Programme

#### Day 9: 22 July 2024, Monday

13:30 Arrival at Bodrum (Torba Bus Station)

14:00 Bodrum Hotel Meeting With Host Families

14:30 Bodrum Hotel Lunch By Pool

15:30 Pool Time

17:30 Tour of Myndos Gate and Mausoleum

19:00 Transfer To Homes

21:15 Dinner at the hosts homes



#### Day 10: 23 July 2024, Tuesday

10:30 Brunch At Hebil 157 Türkbükü

14:00 – 17:00 Beach and Snack Time at the Türkbükü beach

20:00 Rotary Meeting, Flag Exchange and Dinner



#### Day 11: 24 July 2024, Wednesday

09:30 Breakfast at Host Homes

11:00 Walk Through Bodrum Center/ Castle Museum/ Bodrum

16:00 Tour of Gümüşlük, Walk to Tavşan Adası (Rabbit Island)

21:00-23:00 Dinner at Meyhaneler Sokağı



**Day 12: 25 July 2024, Thursday**

**09.30** Breakfast at Host's Homes

**12.00 – 19.00** Boat Trip

**20.00** Farewell Night at Mandalin Bar



**Day 13: 26 July 2024, Friday**

**08.00** Breakfast at Zıp Zıp Meşelik

**09:30** Transfer to Milas- Bodrum Airport (BJV )





## TURKIYE

### District 2440

#### INVITATION TO TURKIYE

### 3rd IZMIR SUN, FUN and CULTURE CAMP , TURKIYE 2024

**NAME:** Izmir Sun, Fun and Culture Camp (ISFC-C)

**WHERE:** Aegean (West Anatolia) Region of Turkiye on the Aegean Sea of the Mediterranean.

**WHEN:** 14th July- 26th July, 2024

**ARRIVAL:** Izmir Adnan Menderes Airport(ADB) 14th of July, 2024

**DEPARTURE:** Milas-Bodrum Airport (BJV) 26th of July, 2024

(Turkish Airlines, Anadolu Jet, Pegasus, Sunexpress have flights via Istanbul or Ankara)

**PARTICIPANTS:** 12 participants from all countries. Max. 2 participants from the same country will be accepted.

**AGE:** 18-25 years university students. An equal number of girls and boys will be accepted.

**INFORMATION:** Our Camp will be organized by 5 Rotary Clubs in 3 different cities. Each participant will be hosted by a Turkish Family.

**PROGRAMME:** Our camp consists of 3 periods. Each organized by a different Rotary Club.

First period (lasts 6 days) is in Izmir organized **by Izmir, Çiğli and Phokaia Rotary Clubs**. The programme includes 3 days city life,culture, history, and 3 days with beach, sport activities, fun and party. Second part (2 days) is in Denizli organized by **Denizli Rotary Club**. It comprises of nature, ancient cities, experience of thermal sources of Pamukkale. Third part (4 days) is in Bodrum organized by **Bodrum Rotary Club**. Focused on sea, pool activities, fun and a boat tour. (You can find details on next announcement).



**THEME:** Culture of West Anatolia, history, life style and way of thinking.

**PLS. BRING with YOU:**Your personal medication and suitable cloths for swimming. The day time temperature in July is 33-35 degree celcius. You will need hat, sunglasses, sandals/ slippers, sport shoes and sunscreen cream.

**COSTS:** The camp participation fee is 720 Euro. Transportation, museums and archeological site entrance fees, most of the restaurants, boat trip and accommodation are included. Therefore, you will pay your air plane tickets ,health insurance and other expenses. You will need pocket money.

**LANGUAGE:** Camp language is English. We need upper intermediate level of English. Your level must be enough for airport transit procedures.

**INSURANCE:** Participants must be insured against illness, accident and thid party damages according to Rotary International requirements.(CISI Bolduc Plan B)

**APPLICATION:**The applicants should use the official Rotary Youth Exchange -Short Term Exchange Programme(STEP) Application Form when applying for the camp. The deadline for applications is 30th of June, 2024.

**Link for programme:** <http://www.izmirrotary.org/public/admin/uploads/yayinlar/son.rye-first-announcement-2024-izmir-denizli-bodrum.pdf>

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