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WELCOME SPEECH

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Aleksey Ananenko

CHAIRMAN OF CPA "WWB"

Dear friends!

The last year was full of challenges and achievements for our organization.

We are proud to continue our work in the interest of disabled children and youth and those who are in conflict with the law

We are going to celebrate **25th anniversary of CPA "WWB"**. Our children's success inspires us to the future cooperation with «Erikshjalpen», despite some time breaks. We are sure, our partnership will continue.

New initiatives: we continue our cooperation with «The UN Children's Fund (UNICEF)», The «International Organization for Migration (IOM)» in order to work on the youth's law conflicts and «SOS Children's Villages (Belarus)», working on preparing the young people for independent living. There are also more volunteer initiatives, thanks to that we keep in touch with people in need, organize great events and expand the circle of benefactors.

- **Our work** We continue to implement safe and friendly environments for children and young people. The problems, our children face, require new approaches. We actively cooperate with UNICEF to implement client-centered approaches in order to support the children in conflict with the law.
- **Our priorities** are unchanged: protecting children's rights, preventing violence and criminalization of the young people.

Gratitude and support

I sincerely thank all the members, partners, volunteers and benefactors for your invaluable support!

Thank you so much for your steadfastness and dedication! We are a great team, and together we can achieve a lot!

We are optimistic about our future and look forward to new achievements!



Mission

The main goal of CPA “WWB” is to provide comprehensive assistance and support (social, pedagogical, psychological, informational, legal, material and other) to children and youth in need, as well as their families.

Vision

We bring people and organizations together to provide comprehensive assistance to children and young people, including those with special mental and physical disabilities, or who have come into conflict with the law, or who are in residential institutions.

OUR TEAM

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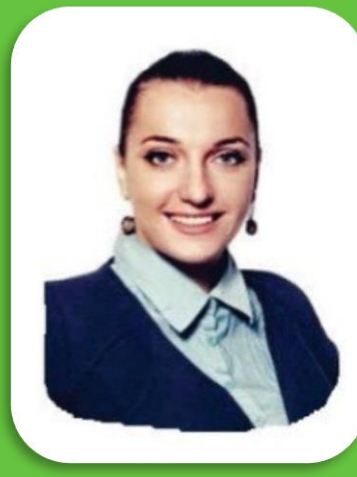
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Alesya Meleschenya, Projects manager



Total amounts of received funds

338 586,15 BYN

Entrance and membership fees

720 BYN

Voluntary donations

8 807, 78 BYN

Gratuitous (sponsorship) assistance

30 011, 86 BYN



27 children from boarding schools took part in the training program **“Life Skills and Employment”**. **The purpose of the program:** life-determination and professional self-determination skills development. The skills acquired during the training will become the basis for future successful employment.

The Republican Festival **“Dreams Come True”** was visited by **280 students** of social boarding schools, including volunteers and Belarussian stage stars. The purpose of this event is to promote the ideas of inclusion and to empower children and young people with disabilities to realize their rights.

The New Year's Eve event **"New Year's Meetings"** was attended by **180** students from social boarding schools and other institutions.

200 children with disabilities, students from boarding schools of Bogushevsk, Minsk, Vasilishki, Gomel, developed their skills of listening and understanding music at the music master classes of the orchestra and volunteers named **“Boom-boom-room”**. All 300 students from Mogilev, Petrikov, Krivichi, took part in integration events with gifts for the New Year, for 8 March and 23 February



The project **"COUNTERING HUMAN TRAFFICKING: BELARUS, launched by the International Organization for Migration** (combating Human trafficking in Belarus), gave 65 teenagers from closed institutions the opportunity to participate in an online seminar aimed at preventing human trafficking, including cybersex trafficking.

In addition, **specialized trainings and online/offline seminars** on combating human trafficking in Belarus were conducted for 67 managers, representatives of institutions, experts, specialists of closed institutions, and project partners in order to raise awareness of the problem of human trafficking and train them to protect vulnerable groups such as adolescents.

As project results, **the round table** was assembled. It included **27 representatives** of partner institutions and experts. Thanks to the project **"Improvement of rehabilitation practices for the most vulnerable categories of children, with a focus on adolescents who are in contact or conflict with the law** (held in Brest, Gomel regions, Minsk)" **55 teenagers**, completing trainings, got the knowledge and skills to increase access to professional help, and receive support for peer-to-peer education programs. The training was held for **175 specialists** – social workers, deputy chairmen of the Commission on Juvenile Affairs, and specialists from educational and health institutions (Gomel, Brest, and Minsk regions). As a result, **specialists improved their competencies** in the following topics: fundamentals of case management, communication and resource management in interdisciplinary cases of assistance, and modern approaches to targeted early diagnosis of antisocial behavior and the risk of criminalization of adolescents. **32 specialists** from Brest and Gomel regions also took part in special events, where they studied methods of implementing rehabilitation approaches to support expert groups.

79 specialists took part in "Individual preventive work with children in contact with the law" project, where they participated in a briefing on applied issues of working with children; discussed methods of risk assessment, creating and maintaining motivation for behavior change and participation in a rehabilitation program.

"Combining all the efforts makes it possible to solve the problems of children in difficult situations more effectively"



The project "Vibes for Youth", aimed at developing life and employment skills among pupils of closed institutions, included:

1. Master class for 10 pupils of Petrikov state vocational school of closed type # 1.

Subject: Fundamentals of hairdressing, make-up and nail service.

The result: The acquisition of basic practical skills in professions in the field of beauty services (hairdresser, eyebrow specialist, manicure master).

2. Master class for 9 pupils of Mogilev state special school of closed type and Mogilev state vocational school #2:

Subject: Cooking (sushi and desserts)

The result: The acquisition of sought-after professions in the field of catering (sushi master, pastry chef).

3. Master class for 14 pupils of «Krivichi special medical and educational vocational school of a closed type»:

Subject: Cleaning.

Результат: Acquisition of basic practical professional skills in the field of cleaning (cleaning specialist).



In addition, **44 students** from closed-type institutions participated in the "Life Skills and Employment" training program, that aimed at development of life-defining and professional self-determination skills.

The participants of the program are aimed at **developing practical skills** and **professional training** of young people closed institutions. Training through **master classes** helps students to meet some sought-after professions and prepare them to enter the job market.

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Charity events of CPA “WWB” within the framework of the statutory goals (integration events for pupils of closed institutions with the participation of volunteers) aimed at:

- Growth of the creative potential, individual abilities and talents of children, as well as their preparation for leaving the institution
- Developing talents and preparing children for adulthood
- Creating an atmosphere of joy and support for students

The summer integration activity «**Open World**», was attended by «Petrikov state vocational school of closed type №1»; «Mogilev state special school of closed type and Mogilev state vocational school №2»; «Krivichi special medical and educational vocational school of a closed type». The event included: business and sports games; team building events; creative workshops; discussion of life stories and important questions. The festive **New Year's event "New Year's Meetings"** was attended by 180 pupils of special close type schools and other institutions.

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