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Lightup - the Organisation

Our vision:

A world where every person lives free from human trafficking and exploitation - because people are priceless.

The vision of this international youth organisation is a society, in which there is no demand for human trafficking in the form of prostitution, pornography or other forms of sexual exploitation.

Human trafficking is the fastest growing branch of criminal economy in the world. The "Global Slavery Index" estimates that up to 40 million people are affected. Austria, like every country, is also affected by human trafficking. Lightup's work starts with the general public, particularly encouraging young people to question their consumer behavior and to participate in the fight against human trafficking with their own projects.

If you want to more about our organisation you can visit our website and social media (see footer).

What is a charity run and what are the donations for?

We want to give people who consider the work of lightup important the opportunity to participate in the organization through the sporting event. Everybody can run and should try to complete as many laps as possible in 30 minutes (1 lap = 400m). The runners look for sponsors before the run, who then donate a pre-negotiated amount per lap.

The money donated goes directly to the work against human trafficking and is intended to strengthen our internal as well as our international work. This year we would like to use the donated money to fund our workshops at schools. Since September 2022, we have already visited 5 school classes and were able to reach about 300 students. In order for us to continue this work, finances are needed. Also because we offer the school workshops for free to the classes. Our employee, Dani, currently works 5 hours/week for the workshops and in order to continue financing them we need at least 3000€ for the coming year. With the Charity Run we would like to secure this employment for Dani!

Calculating the donation

The total donation amount results from the number of rounds run and the agreed amount per round. The runners can use the app Runtastic to join a group of runners. With this app their route can be tracked and they can take a screenshot of the total number of meters run. Your runner will then send you this screenshot. You can round your amount up or down to the closest 400m.

Donation billing

Every runner will send their screenshot to lightup to be checked for accuracy. Following this the reached amount will be billed to the sponsor. The sponsor has the option to transfer their amount. For donations of 50,00 EUR or more a donation receipt can be issued if desired.