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LIVADA LAB – innovative example of urban agriculture / UGI in Ljubljana

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From a partially afforested and unused marshland





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- 3(4) teachers working on the project
- 3 years
- city in search for public-private partnership models
- experimental plot 0.6 ha

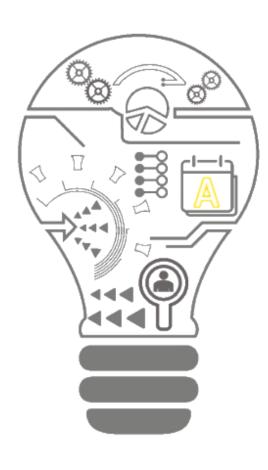


- 1. food production,
- 2. social inclusion/cohesion
- engage citizens youth in establishment and place-keeping of urban green areas





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HOW TO START?

QUICK EXERCISE

10 min



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...WHAT WE DID....









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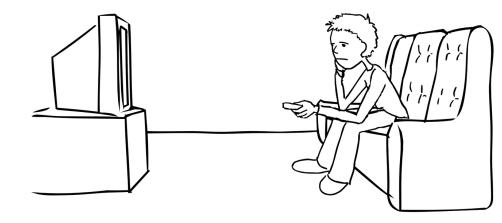


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First common steps for all 3 topics:

- How to attract youngsters to be involved in the project?
- Include NGO Zavod Bob as mentors and co-leaders of the project
- Interdisciplinary approach (mentors: agronomists, landscape architects, social workers, ..)
- Group formation
- Firts ideas (using lego bricks)







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TOPIC 1: food production

- terrain specificationns \rightarrow problems, solutions
- soil analysis
- inventory plant species





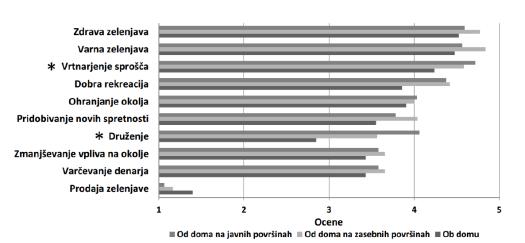
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Why people garden?











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TOPIC 1: food production

- preparation of seedlings
- preparation of the planting plan
- raised bed garden praparation
- landscape planning







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TOPIC 2: social inclusion/cohesion

- Presentations to the local community
- Presentations at municipal events
- Interactions with direct neighbours
- Differnet cultural, sports events









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TOPIC 2: social inclusion/cohesion













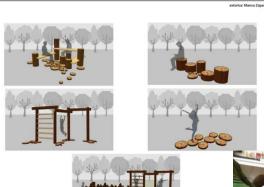
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TOPIC 3: engage citizens - youth in establishment and place-keeping of urban green areas

- Presentations to the local community
- Student exchanges
- cooperation with different faculties
- Interactions with local high schools, elementary schools

Dnevnik dnevne sobe na izposojo







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WHAT WAS DONE IN 3 years...

