

**Life Terra Newsletter - May 2023**

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Welcome to the May 2023 edition of the Life Terra Newsletter.

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**Life Terra expands to Slovakia**

**With the recent planting event at Chateau Bela, Slovakia has now become the 14th European implementation country of the Life Terra project. We look forward to continue planting there in the upcoming years! More information and photos are available [here](#).**



### **Forest Fires in Europe: an infographic by EURACTIV**

**In recent years wildfires have wreaked havoc in much of southern Europe. Due to the severity of heatwaves and to erratic rainfall, several hundreds of thousand hectares of land are burned every year. To analyse the causes, as well as the possible solutions of this problem with the use of quantitative data, EURACTIV recently published an infographic. Read it [here](#).**



## Life Terra awards its first Carbon Removal credit to the mayor of Nice

It was a proud moment to hand over Life Terra's first Carbon Removal credit to Mr. Christian Estrosi, the Mayor of the city of Nice, in France. During this occasion, we were able to certify our first project, a recently planted Miyawaki forest to replace a former parking spot in Nice. To learn more about the Miyawaki forest, you can watch [this video](#).



**New video: taking climate action in France with E.Leclerc and ASES**



## EY and Life Terra plant almost 1,200 trees in one day

The partnership between Life Terra and EY continues bearing fruits, as almost 1,200 trees were recently planted by the EY teams in the estate of Klarenbeek, in the Netherlands. Despite difficult weather conditions, the participants enjoyed making a difference and this was proved by the high amount of trees that were put in the ground throughout the day. You can read more [here](#).



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## Upcoming Activities

**Big month ahead for the project in June**

Although the planting season will end soon, June will still be a busy and important month for Life Terra. The EU Green Week of 3-11 June will represent an opportunity for the project to keep expanding and making an impact. This will be done through EURACTIV's Virtual Conference of 8 June, in which the importance of educating younger generations to the importance of protecting the environment will be addressed. Also within the field of education will be Life Terra's "Beyond green campuses: how European Universities are taking climate action" webinar of 15 June, in which the initiatives taken by universities to become more sustainable will be addressed. You can register to EURACTIV's Virtual Conference [here](#), and to Life Terra's webinar on [this portal](#).



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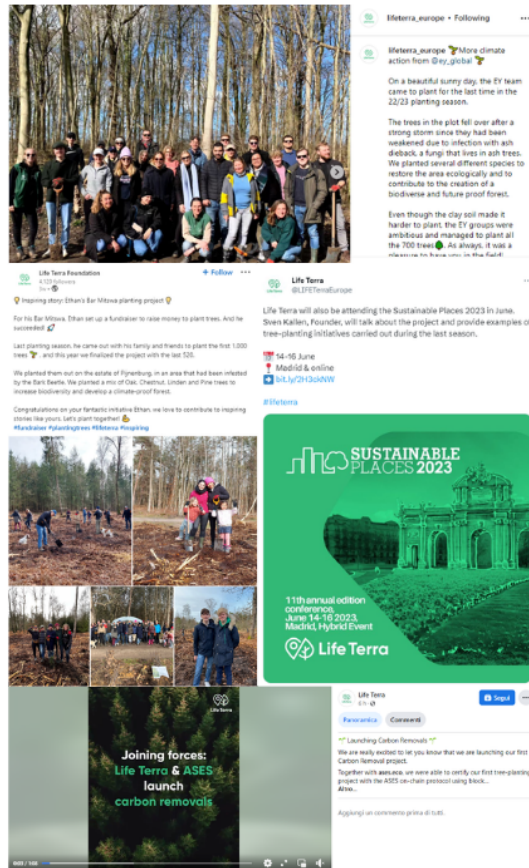
As the tree planting season in the Mediterranean zone is over, CERTH team is proceeding with strategic communications with Municipalities, Forestry Authorities and major NGOs dealing with the environment, in order to prepare in the best possible way, the large, professional plantings of the upcoming seasons, the citizen planting events and the awareness-raising actions in local communities and schools.

## In the Blog

Vrije Universiteit plants 725 trees in challenging weather
Restoring Biodiversity: Project in Jarandilla de la Vera
Celebrating Tree Day with Permabosc project
Planting a Sequoia for birthday!

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