



Stichting Stedenband Hoorn-Příbram

Hoorn, 15 March 2015

Stanislava Walenková
oddělení kultury, sportu a informačních služeb
Odbor školství, kultury, sportu a informačních služeb
Městský úřad Příbram
Tyršova 108, 261 19 Příbram I

Hello Stanislava,

In answer to our mail correspondence from 25th of February we hereby explain our request for receiving a bigger group.

For quite a few years now every year a number of students from the school in Příbram follow an internship within healthcare and welfare institutions in Hoorn.

During their stay and evaluations it regularly shows that there are similarities with respect to the method but certainly also many differences.

Students translate those differences to the Dutch coaches here, but a really good picture of the care and the training which students receive in the Czech Republic, is missing by the Dutch coaches.

Another point is that the care in the Netherlands is changing drastically from institutional care to care in a more domestic circle. As a result, we see fewer and fewer admissions in care institutions and an increase in the healthcare. By reducing admissions we also see that there is less staff needed.

As a result there is less capacity for coaching students or pupils, so institutions want less internships for those students. The institutions therefore reduce the number of places which they have for international students. To keep the number of places for students from Příbram a visit from those Dutch coaches possibly will contribute to their enthusiasm in receiving students from Příbram.

Besides the aforementioned employees from the health and welfare's institutions exist within the Horizon College interest from a number of teachers to visit the training school in Příbram in addition to have a look inside health and welfare institutions in Příbram.

Purpose of the visit for these teachers is to gain insight into the training in Příbram especially the curriculum, testing, examination and practical training of the students.

Stichting Stedenband Hoorn-Příbram: tel. (0031229) 210592; p/a Appelhaven 22, 1621 BC Hoorn
E-mail secretaris: mari.hout@gmail.com www.stedenbandhoorn.nl info@stedenbandhoorn.nl
KvK-nr.: 41235857 Banknr.: 30.34.345

So this is the reason of asking whether it is possible to receive a larger group. It is the practical coaches and teachers who want to learn from your institutions and training school and need to be enthused to save the internships for international students in Hoorn. And compare their Dutch ways of teaching/coaching to the Příbram methods.

If there could be an acceptance of this request the best time to visit is the later part in June.

For direct contacts I want you have the emailaddress from our board member Peter Snoeks, who is responsible for health and welfare issues within Stichting Stedenband Hoorn-Příbram.

With a copymail to info@stedenbandhoorn.nl you can directly contact Peter on snoeks@kpnmail.nl

With best regards,



J.W. Tartaud
Chairman