



## Be good at sport through three countries

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**Priority 3** Promotion of people to people cooperation

**Measure 3.2** Cooperation in spheres of culture, sport, education, social and health





## Short summary of the project

There are active sports teams, high class coaches, football fields in stadiums and sports halls in Valga town, Valka Municipality and Novodevyatkino Municipality. Municipalities provide maintenance of sports centres, salaries to sports teachers/coaches, but limited budget possibilities are not enough to provide teams with good quality equipment, uniforms, to organize international sports games.

Team sport floorball has gained popularity in Latvia and Estonia, also in Valga and Valka, in recent years, and while meeting between Valga, Valka and Novodevyatkino sports specialists, Russian colleagues showed interest to master this game. Plan is to introduce to Russian sport teams floorball game and at the end of the project to held a competition.

There will be a certified floorball field equipment acquired within the framework of the project, player equipment, balls and uniforms for volleyball and football sport teams. The main benefit from the project will be that sports teams from all three countries will have new collaboration contacts on team and personal level. Russian partners will get knowledge and practice from new sport area - floorball and everything necessary will be acquired to organize common sports games in subsequent years, too.

## Overall objective

To encourage the co-operation of sports teams between Valka (Latvia), Valga (Estonia) and Novodevyatkino (Russia) municipal volleyball, football teams.

## Specific objective

- ✚ To organize international sports competitions in volleyball, floorball and football in Valga, Valka and Novoe Devyatkinio;
- ✚ To improve floorball, volleyball and football resource basis by acquiring sports equipment and uniforms;
- ✚ To organize training of floorball in Novodevyatkino by drawing in experts from Latvia and Estonia;
- ✚ Acquisition and distribution of good practice (kick-off and final conferences, brochures, press releases in newspapers and web pages).

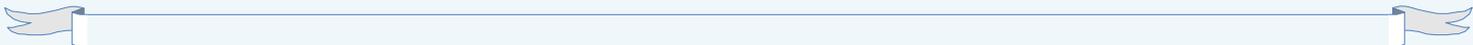
## Beneficiary

**Valga Town Government** (Estonia)

## Partners

**Valka Municipality Council** (Latvia)

**Municipality "Novodevyatkinskoe selskoe poselenie"** (Russia)





## Expected results

- **Improvement of the sports team resource basis:**
  - 2 Floorball rinks provided (certified, 40 m x20 m) which fulfill the requirements for organizing international competitions in LV and RU;
  - 17RU, 15 EE, 15LV floorball uniforms and 3 goalkeeper equipment bought for teams;
  - 75 football uniforms and boots provided to EE, LV, RU teams;
  - 45 volleyball uniforms for EE, LV, RU teams;
  - Sports equipment supplied for all involved sports teams (floorball, volleyball and football balls, floorball sticks).
- Organization of **6 international competitions in volleyball, football and floorball:** 2 competitions in volleyball in Estonia and Russia, 2 competitions in floorball in Latvia and Russia, 2 competitions in football in Estonia-Latvia and Russia.
- **Brochures** published in 4 languages (200 in Latvian, 200 in Estonian, 200 in Russian, 600 in English) with information about promotion of healthy lifestyle, sports activities in partner municipalities and project results.

## Final beneficiaries

- **Volleyball teams, floorball teams and football teams** from Valga, Valka and Novoe Devyatkino where project activities will be developed

## Duration

**18** months

## Budget

Total budget: **220 000, 00** EUR

Programme co-financing: 198 000, 00 EUR (90%)

Project co-financing: 22 000, 00 EUR (10%)

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