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WILD WALKS PROJECT

Building a future in Israel for teenagers from Ukraine and Russia fleeing the war



After Russia invaded Ukraine, families from both countries were forced to leave their homes without preparation. Thousands of them have headed to Israel.

Newly arrived teenagers require immediate help.

They arrive broken by the abrupt change and feel lonely, anxious, and disoriented. They need compassion, understanding, a trustworthy peer community, and captivating activities.

Wild Walks are turning the turmoil of immigration into community-building.

Every week we gather in fascinating locations around Israel to explore the country, have meaningful discussions, make arts, visit outstanding Israeli artists and venues.



The Wild Walks project helps teens find their place in Israel

Supportive atmosphere of the Wild Walks allows the teens to make friends, openly share their fears, concerns and dreams, process their life experience through art-making, anchor themselves in Israel and perceive opportunities.

OUR IMPACT SO FAR

The Wild Walks project was launched in Jerusalem in March 2022 by two empathetic new immigrants, Nastya Ryabtseva and Nastya Ivanova. It grows rapidly. Once a month we open a new group for teens.

3

meeting points in Tel Aviv, Jerusalem & Haifa

15

dedicated volunteers

120+

supported teens



SUPPORT US

We aim to expand our activities while converting the core team of volunteers into paid employees. Our project is actively looking for funding that would allow us to keep helping new immigrant teens in Israel.

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