PROGRAMME

30th September – 2nd October 2015

Wednesday 30th September	
09:00	Registration
09:30	Welcome and introductions – Graham Little *Chair of Newry, Mourne and Down Council – Councillor Naomi Baillie* *Minister for Culture Arts and Leisure – Northern Ireland* *Minister for Transport, Tourism and Sport – Republic of Ireland*
10:00	The work and role of ENOS, *Chair of ENOS – Francois Beauchard*
10.10	My outdoors *Jonny Young – Para-canoeist – European Championships medallist*
10.35	Key note speaker 1 – "The place of outdoor sport in EU sport policy" *Roland Farkas European Commission – Sport Unit, DG Education and Culture*
11.00	**Coffee / tea break & networking**
11:30	key note speaker 2 – "The contribution of outdoor sport to regional and economic development at a European and national level" *Professor Simon Shibli*
12.00	key note speaker 3 – Place and people – valuing the places we use – Carol Ritchie, *Director Europarc Federation*
12.30	Plenary session - Questions
13:00	**Lunch**
14:00	**Workshops session 1**

Participation and social benefits **BALLROOM**	**Economic developments** **CHANDELIER LOUNGE**
Speaker 1 - Scene setting Trends in Northern Ireland and the UK *Dr Caro-lynne Ferris*	**Speaker 1** Scene setting Activity tourism growth in Ireland. *Laura McCrory, Tourism NI*
Speaker 2 The increase in outdoor activities in Greece due to the financial crisis *Athanasios Zakkas*	**Speaker 2** The development of climbing destinations across Europe – key findings *Barbara Eigenschenk*
Speaker 3 Adapted Outdoor Sports Challenge in France – UCPA *Mattieu Villaret*	**Speaker 3** An integrated approach to quality accreditation in the South of France *Angelika Sauermost*
Speaker 4 Be alive and move with Groupama in the Loire and Brittany *Loïc Meynier*	**Speaker 4** Showcasing the outdoor activity tourism offer of North Wales *Chris Wright*
Discussion / questions	Discussion / questions

15.30	**Coffee / tea break & networking**

Wednesday 30th September
Technical conferences 1 and poster presentations

16.00	1. Developing a toolkit for Community Path Networks (**BALLROOM)** – *Clare Jones* 2. Suricat – a tool for monitoring facilities (**CHANDELIER LOUNGE) -** *Antoine Le Bellec* 3. Geotrek - digital management and development application for hiking in National Parc des Ecrins, France **(ANNESLEY ROOM)** – *Pierrick Navizet*
17.00	Plenary session – day 1, Summary by experts
17.30	**Free time and networking**
19.30	Unmissable presentation and film
	Leon McCarron – "The search for Adventure: Long-distance, human-powered journeys."

Thursday 1st October	
09.00	Registration
09.30	**Workshops session 2**
	Participation and social benefits (BALLROOM)	**Economic developments (CHANDELIER LOUNGE)**
	Speaker 5 A policy for ensuring young people are engaged in water sports in Viana, Portugal *Mr. Vitor Lemos*	Speaker 5 - Scene setting Creating Ireland's Outdoor Playground A vision for the Mournes *Liam Hannaway/Martin Carey*
	Speaker 6 Pony Ecole - a programme to engage young people with riding in France *Elise Gapaillard* French Equestrian Federation	Speaker 6 The development of outdoor sports in Auvergne *Delphine Chabert*
	Speaker 7 Ticket to Nature - Cologne University *Mirjam Limmer*	
	Speaker 8 50 things to do before you're 11¾ National Trust *Philip Broadbent-Yale*	Speaker 7 The social and economic impact of the Great Western Greenway in Mayo, Ireland *Padraig Philbin (Mayo County Council)*
11.00	Discussion / questions	Discussion / questions
11.30	**Coffee / tea break & networking**	

Thursday 1st October	
12.00	**Technical conferences 2 and poster presentations**
	1. Leave No Trace Ireland – workshop/awareness training (**BALL ROOM)** (*Maura Lyons and Stephen Millar*) 2. Methodology to capture economic benefit of outdoor sports – the Satellite accounts (**CHANDELIER LOUNGE)** (*Maxine Gregory & Paul Donnelly*) Poster presentations **(ANNESLEY ROOM)** 1. Perception of risk and determination of liability in wild water sports 2. Sports management strategies and sustainability: Matagalls-Montserrat Ultra Trail race
13.00	**Lunch**
14.00	**PRACTICAL SITE VISITS 1 – Leave from outside the hotel**
	1a. Coastal rowing Initiative – Dundrum or Strangford (SLLP) 2a. Sustainable trail construction – Castlewellan (ORNI) 3a. Upland path initiatives –Glen River (MHT) 4a. Farm diversification for activity tourism – Meelmore Lodge (MHT) 5a. Bouldering and Coasteering – high impact activities (TNOC) 6a. Geotourism – Ring of Gullion Geopark (ROG)
17.00	**Return to Newcastle and free time**
19.00	ENOS AGM (**CHANDELIER LOUNGE)** Report – Work to date Treasurer's report Election of new committee
20.30	Presentation **(BALLROOM)** "Getting High" – the 7 summits on the 7 continents – James Ogilvie

Friday 2nd October	
09.00	Registration
09.30	**PRACTICAL SITE VISITS 2 – Leave from outside the hotel**
	1b. Forest Parks and Natural play – Castlewellan and Tollymore (ORNI) 2b. Upland path initiatives – Carrick Little and Glen River (MHT) 3b. Beaches – natural sports arenas – Murlough beach (NT) 4b. Bouldering and Coasteering – high impact activities (TNOC) 5b. "Game of Thrones" – outdoor recreation and film tourism (PD & NT) 6b. Trails with tales – the Narnia experience in Rostrevor (MHT)
12.30	**Return to Newcastle for lunch**
13.30	**Participation and social benefits** **BALLROOM**	**Economic developments** **CHANDELIER LOUNGE**
13.30	Speaker 9 - Scene setting Thoughts and summaries	Speaker 9 - Scene setting Thoughts and summaries
14.00	Discussions to develop the recommendations and to highlight the key learning outcomes to be disseminated	Discussions to develop the recommendations and to highlight the key learning outcomes to be disseminated
15.30	**Coffee / tea break & networking**
16.00	Final Plenary **BALLROOM** Feedback from Site visits Summary from workshops and information on the recommendations and learning outcomes.
17.30	Conference close – Newry Mourne and Down District Council ENOS Chairman
18.00	**Free time, chat and networking**
19.30	Gala meal – Slieve Donard **CHANDELIER LOUNGE** Ceili (Music & Dance)

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