# Together we are road safety

# **European Road Safety Charter**

# **Excellence Award 2016 of Traffic Safety**

### 1. part: INFORMATION ABOUT THE ORGANIZATION

		Comment
Name of the organization	Baranya County Accident Prevention Committee	
Type of the organization	The County Accident Prevention Committee is within the structure of the County Police HQ, managed by the Traffic Police Unit	NGO, company, educational institution, etc.
The main activity of the organization	accident prevention	scope
Country	Hungary	Of the organization
Website		Organization website
Contact person	Rózsa Fejes, pol. chief warrant officer	if necessary, regarding the tender
Position of the contact person	accident prevention assistant	
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Partners	kindergartens, elementary schools	





## 2. part: Description of the initiative

	Please fill in here	Instructions
The start and end date of the program	1 September 2012 - is currently in progress	It could be a new or the continuation of an old one. Could be a recently completed or in progress.
Internal departments concerned		If individuals are concerned, also position
The location of the program implementation	Baranya county, but it can be extended to a national level	Where? national / regional / local
Summary of the program	The essence of the programme is that a small dog helps kindergarten and elementary school children to learn playfully, almost imperceptibly the traffic rules, the basics of proper road use.  Taking advantage of the Jack Russel terrier's (name: Mancs) talents and love for children, the program has been structured to be easily adapted to the children's age, to their situation, which is also an interactive activity.  Main elements:  - short-lane barriers and obedience show starring Mancs  - road traffic signs education by using a frisbee  - playing tag game based on the Highway Code rules at the end of the class	Explain the theme, purpose and the main elements.  Max: 100 words
Innovative character	Teaching about the Highway Code is quite uninteresting subject for small children, if only with the help of teachers and school police officers. This method could not get the kids'attention because of the dry and less enjoyable learning material.  In this case, the mischievous, playful puppy help kids get involved in the interactive classes and it is 100% proven to have mastered the age-appropriate traffic rules.	Where to describe how and to what extent will lead to new approaches and practices initiative  Max: 100 words





What questions dealing	The initiative revolves around safe driving. It provides answers to	Which topics identified
with the initiative?	the following questions:	in that led to the
	- Where do we get about?	implementation of activities
	- What are the rules of safe cycling?	Max: 100 words
	- What is the right behavior in the car, on public transport means?	
	- The use of safety belts, child restraint	
	- To see and to be seen (be visible)	
	- Where to get about (walk/ride) safely at night?	
	- Visibility outside of built-up areas	
	- The role of traffic signs and traffic lights	
Activities	The activity takes place in kindergartens and schools during classes, on invitation from the institution.  There are no co-operating partners.	Write down all activities and where it should explain the manner in cooperation with partners
		Max: 600 words

Origin of the initiative	Dog training is my original profession. I wanted to bring work and my love for animals much closer to each other.	What reasons for choosing this  Max: 100 words
Transferring authority and multiply effect	The 2.5-year experience proves that almost without exception, the children who have participated in this program have learned the traffic rules on the level expected from their age group. During the follow-up activities even the shyest kid was delighted to join the active participants of the session. The next time we encounter them, the kids all recognize the traffic signs and traffic rules that apply to them.	Please describe the extent to which the initiative allows the results, experience, knowledge and good practice and the dissemination, use.  Max: 200 words





Promotion and dissemination	In October 2013, six or seven TV channels, online and print media took over the program broadcast on RTL Klub News. The material is available on the YouTube video sharing portal:  Dogs teach road traffic regulations in Baranya county: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S8iBClvEzvl">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S8iBClvEzvl</a> More videos:  Mancs, the supercop: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JUq1N0feiUk">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JUq1N0feiUk</a> Funny jumping Jack Russel Mancs: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EZ3UO3byL6g">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EZ3UO3byL6g</a> Mancs - Jack Russel Terrier doing tricks: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zyAbv9zk6U0">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zyAbv9zk6U0</a>	How is / was involved in the promotion of initiatives (publications, organized events, websites, CD-ROM, etc.).  Max: 100 words
Continuity	The program may be extended to teach disabled children and elderly people as well.	Is there any plan to continue their activities in the near future  Max: 100 words
The evaluation of activities		If possible, write about the proposed evaluation method and efficiency indicators in relation to the expected objectives  Max: 100 words
Other important aspects that highlight	The coming generation should be able to use the roads safely as soon as possible.	Anything that can help in the evaluation of the jury  Max: 100 words



