



# Learning about Forests National Operators' Meeting

## Xrobb I-Ghagin Hostel



**Malta, 21 - 23 March, 2016**

Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> March 2016	
<b>Arrival of delegates and pick-ups by green r electric cars from Luqa Airport Malta (all day)</b>	
12:00 – 18:30	Reception of delegates and arrival at the hostel Participants who have free time can go out and around with a bicycle or be shown around the Nature Park
17:30 – 19:00	<b>ISC meeting</b>
20:30 – 22:00	<b>Welcome Dinner &amp; Opening Speech – Thiaga Nadeson, Malaysia, FEE BoD</b>
22:00 – 23:00	Evening walk – TBC (bring a torch!)

Day 1: Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2016	
7:30 – 8:30	<b>Breakfast</b>
8:40 – 8:50	Welcome from Nature Trust Malta – Johann Gatt
8:50 – 9:05	FEE Update – Thiaga Nadeson
9:05 – 9:10	Agenda Review – Rachel Boyle
9:10 – 9:45	LEAF developments and the new SDGs – Rachel Boyle
9:45 – 9:50	Welcome speech from the Mayor of Marsaxlokk
9:50 – 10:20	WORKSHOP 1 – LEAF website and workspace on Podio
10:20 – 10:40	Introduction to new countries and how they are running LEAF <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Slovenia - Gregor Cerar/Tina (10 minutes)</li> </ul> Introduction to new LEAF National Operators (10 minutes)
10:40 – 11:00	<b>Tea &amp; coffee break</b>
11:00 – 12:30	WORKSHOP 2 – LEAF Research - Anthony Purcell, An Tasice, Ireland
12:30 – 13:00	NEW FEE/LEAF Strategy 2016 – 2020 Round table discussions (15 mins) Feedback (15mins) <b>*PLEASE REVIEW PROPOSED STRATEGY BEFOREHAND*</b>
13:00 – 15:00	<b>Lunch @ Marsaxlokk Fishing Village</b>
15:00 - 17:00	WORKSHOP 3 – round table sessions / 3 working groups (approx 7 at each table) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fundraising</li> <li>• Research</li> <li>• Resources</li> </ul> Introduction/explanation (15 mins) Each group will work on reviewing current situation, decide on actions/future plans (1hr) Groups will be based on interest expressed during NOM 2015 Each of the three groups will present what they discussed (30 mins/10 mins per group) Q&A from everyone (15 mins) <i>Note: This Workshop will be held outdoors at the Nature Park weather permitting</i>

17:00 – 17:10	<b>Group photo</b>
17:10 – 17:20	<b>Tea &amp; coffee break</b>
17:20 – 18:20	<p>WORKSHOP 4 – Country presentations – examples of best practices</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How we raise funds successfully (20 mins) – Natasha Manan, WWF Malaysia</li> <li>• Forest &amp; Water Theme in practice (20 mins) – Jan Froněk, Czech Republic</li> <li>• Examples of how we are having a positive impact on behaviour (20 mins) – Dimitrios Gotzos, Greece</li> </ul>
18:20 – 18:30	Summary of the day – Rachel Boyle
19:00 – 20:00	<b>Depart for Dinner &amp; Excursion to Rabat/Mdina</b>
10:30 – 23:00	Return to Hostel

### Day 2: Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2016

07:30 - 08:30	<b>Breakfast</b>
8:30 – 9:30	<p>Drive to Buskett Woodland (BW) excursion (packed snack)</p> <p>During the drive to BW we will run a fun exercise for the six new attending NOs (similar to the Speed Dating concept) – New NOs prepare approx. 3 questions prior to arriving in Malta, which they would like to ask the more experienced NOs. New NOs will sit with a more experienced NO for 5 minutes, after 5 minutes an alarm will sound, this alarm will indicate that it is time to move to the next (more experienced) NO.</p> <p>This fun, interactive exercise will be carried out for the duration of the drive to BW.</p>
9:30 – 11:00	Guided Tour of Buskett Woodland
11:00 – 12:30	<p>Best practice activities (30 minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Primary example – LEAF Japan</li> <li>• Secondary example – LEAF Latvia</li> <li>• Third level example - TBC</li> </ul>
12:30 – 12:45	Closing discussion - Rachel Boyle
13:00	Depart from Buskett and drop off at Airport for some of the delegates, then proceed to lunch at Marsaxlokk
13:45 – 14:45	<b>Lunch</b>
15:00 – 15:30	<b>ISC meeting</b>

Departure of delegates

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