

# PROGRAMME

## YOUCEE 2018

“Year of Resistance”

18-23 SEPTEMBER 2018  
ARNHEM THE NETHERLANDS



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## Introduction

The theme chosen for the Airborne International Youth Conference Youcee 2018 is “Resistance”. This is in cue with the other Airborne partners, which have adopted resistance as the Year theme for Platform WO2 (WWII). The annual conference is structured on the template of the ‘Arnhem Model United Nations’ (ARMUN), a Rivers International School student project. Students from the Netherlands, Poland, Germany, UK and Italy, participating in the Market Garden programme organised from Tuesday to Sunday, join the conference on Friday. On the days between the students take part in a varied programme focussing on the meaning of peace and freedom then and now, from the perspective of Operation Market Garden. The objective is to promote awareness among the new student arrivals from the Netherlands and abroad of the inestimable value of the Four Freedoms, formulated by President Franklin Delano Roosevelt. By virtue of their participation in the Market Garden programme, the youngsters are the “Key to the Airborne region”.



## Programme “Year of Resistance” Day 1

Tuesday, 18 September 2018

Dresscode: casual

### Registration and introductions

From approx. 16.00 arrival Polish, German and Italian students and teachers. Transfer to Hotel Panendal.

### Planning:

17:00 Check-in Hotel Papendal. After Registration & introduction diner at the Hotel



## Programme “Year of Resistance” Day 2

Wednesday 19 September 2018

Dresscode: casual

### Arnhem’s Airborne past revisited

On day 2, we revisit the region’s Airborne past. The group visits the Airborne Museum in Oosterbeek and attends an Airborne Battlefield Tour. It is expected that the group, as part of their battle Field Tour, will visit the most widely known Airborne monuments. At the Airborne cemetery in Oosterbeek the youngsters will place a bouquet of flowers.

#### Planning:

- 08.00 Pick up Rivers Students at Rivers International School
- 08.30 Pick up Polish, German and Italian students and teachers at Hotel Papendal
- 09:00 Opening at the old church of Oosterbeek and start of the Battlefields day
- 10:00 Visit the Airborne Museum
- 12:30 Reception and lunch by the Mayor of the municipality of Renkum
- 14:00 Battlefield Tour
- 17.00 Bus leaving for Hotel Papendal and Rivers International School



## Programme “Year of Resistance” Day 3

Thursday 20 September 2018

Dresscode: casual

### Preparations for ARMUN

Preparations for the Arnhem Model United Nations conference will take place in the Town Hall of Ede. The youngsters receive guidance from students of Rivers International School. A leisure programme is scheduled after lunch.

#### Planning:

- 08.00 Bus leaving at the Rivers International School
- 08.30 Bus leaving at Hotel Papendal
- 09:00 Reception by the Mayor of Ede
- 09:30 Preperation for ARMUN conference
- 12:30 Lunch at the Town Hall of the municipality of Ede
- 13:30 Afternoon programme
- 17.00 Bowling and dinner at Bowling center Schelmsebrug
- 19.00 Bus leaving for Hotel Papendal and Rivers International School



## Programme “Year of Resistance” Day 4

Friday 21 September 2018

Dresscode: formal

### Day 4 ARMUN “Resisting Injustice”

The Arnhem Model United Nations conference is an initiative of Rivers International School with an additional group of 125 youngsters. The conference takes place in the Provincial Government House Arnhem. ARMUN is a high-power conference which will see youngsters debating the challenges facing the world today. In the evening the group will attend the Airborne Memorial in Arnhem’s Airborne Square where several young people place a wreath.

#### Planning:

- 07.30 Bus leaving at Hotel Papendal
- 07.50 Bus leaving at the Rivers International School
- 08:30 Reception by the King’s Commissioner in the Province of Gelderland, Mr C.G.A. Cornielje
- 09:00 ARMUN conference including lunch (12.:30)
- 16:30 Closing ceremony
- 17.:15 Diner at the Mc Donalds in Arnhem
- 18:30 Memorial service at the Airborne Monument in Arnhem
- 20:15 Bus leaving for Rivers International School and Hotel Papendal



## Programme “Year of Resistance” Day 5

Saturday, 22 September 2018

Dresscode: formal

### Day 5 The Battle of Arnhem

The Battle of Arnhem broke out after the dropping of the First Airborne Division in the ‘Ginkelse Heide’ in Ede. Each year, a parachute dropping is organised at the Ginkelse Heide in honour of those killed in action. The event will be followed by a commemoration attended by the group and a bouquet of flowers will be placed at the monument. After the dropping and on-site commemoration, a memorial service is held at the Poland monument in Driel in attendance of the youngsters and a wreath of flowers will be laid.

#### Planning:

- 09.15 Bus leaving at the Rivers International School (including extra students from local schools)
- 09.50 Bus leaving at Hotel Papendal
- 10:30 Attendance of Ginkelse Heide parachuting event and commemoration at monument
- 13:30 Bus leaving for Driel
- 14:30 Commemoration service at Poland monument in Driel
- 16:30 Bus leaving for Rivers International School and Hotel Papendal





## Programme “Year of Resistance” Day 6

Sunday, 23 September 2018

Dresscode: formal

### Commemoration and Closure

The YOUCEE conference ends with the attendance of a memorial service at the Airborne cemetery in Oosterbeek. In the afternoon the group will depart on their journey home.

#### Planning:

- 09:30 Bus leaving at the Rivers International School  
(including extra students from local schools)
- 09:50 Bus leaving at Hotel Papendal
- 11:30 Attendance of memorial service at Airborne cemetery and placing of flowers
- 13:15 Bus Leaving for Papendal and Rivers International School
- 14:00 End of Airborne International Youth Conference YOUCEE 2018





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Friends offer: September 2018 entrance War Museum Overloon just 1,- euro (normal price 15,-).



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- \* Municipality of Overbetuwe
- \* Municipality of Renkum
- \* Province of Gelderland

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