Development of local youth civic engagement and leadership



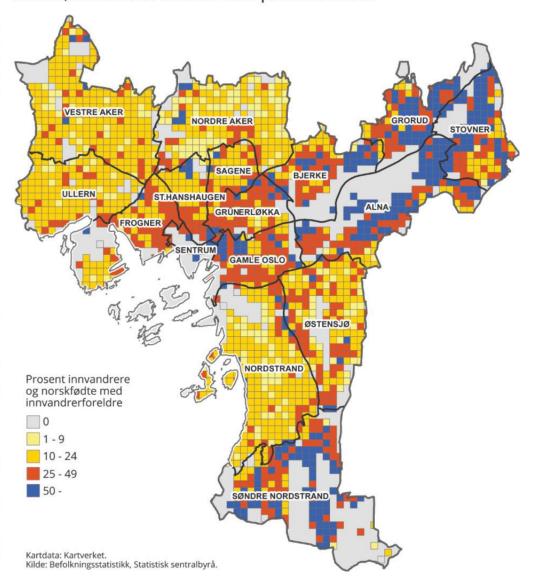




Oslo – 648.000 inhabitants



Innvandrere og norskfødte med innvandrerforeldre i bydelene i Oslo per 1.1.2015, som andel av bosatte. I ruter på 250x250 meter



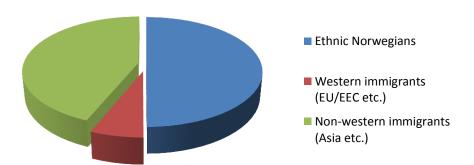
The valley of Grorud (Groruddalen)

Districts Alna, Grorud, Bjerke and Stovner



- ✓ Groruddalen has a population of 137 078 (01.01.15)
- ✓ Alna 48 309 (largest in both inhabitants / area)
- ✓ Every 5th. Oslo-inhabitant lives in Groruddalen
- ✓ Proportion of immigrants
 (Groruddalen) at about 48 %
 (Alna 50 %,
 Furuset 67 %
 Hellerudtoppen 18,5 %)
- ✓ The population in Alna has family backgrounds from more than 150 different nations

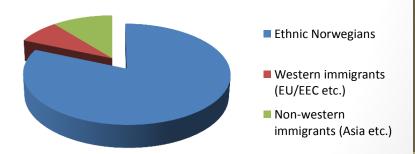
Composition of population, township of Alna 01.01.15



Furuset 01.01.15

Ethnic Norwegians Western immigrants EU/EEC etc. Non-western immigrants (Asia etc.)

Hellerudtoppen 01.01.15



Our grand venue

Furuset Forum



- An arena for both sports and culture
- Fathoms broadly in the local population. Everything from traditional sports such as hockey, handball and football to low-threshold and allidrett activities such as dance, nordic walking, fitness groups, open hall and youth club.
- Regnbuen work- and activity forum, offering employment and activity for people with mental and physical illness, job training for immigrant women, open daycare activities, cafeteria etc.
- Used as a concert venue, skateboard hall, international meeting place and cultural center.

Furuset ' Idrettsforening











2300 members



«..much more than just a sports club»

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- Ung i Forum (Young in Forum)
 - District of Alna / Norwegian Confederation of Sports etc.
 - Multiple youth projects which takes place in Furuset Forum.
 - Various youth activities and various sports and cultural activities.



















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Rapport fra virksombeten Allerede ved åpningen av Furuset idrettsforenings idrettsanlegg Furuset Forum i 1998, ble det inngått en samarbeidsavtale mellom Bydel Furuset og Idrettsforeningen om utvikling og drift av Regnbuen Arbeids- og Aktivitetsforum (Regnbuen).

Denne ble videreført etter bydelsreformen og Regnbuen har i dag et nært samarbeid med bydel Alna ved:

- · Ressurssenter for arbeid og integrering (RAI)
- · Seksjon for psykisk helsearbeid
- · Enhet for mennesker med funksjonshemning
- · Enhet for Ungdom og kultur
- · NAV, Alna

om lokal satsning på aktive tiltak innen sysselsetting, opplæring og kvalifisering.



Våre målgrupper er personer med psykisk utviklingsbemming, psykiske lidelser, og ulike grupper arbeidsledige som trenger alternative arbeidsoppgaver i form av arbeidspraksis, attføringsplasser og «ar-beid for sosialbjelp».









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- City of Oslo
- District of Alna
- District of Grünerløkka (EMI)
- The Directorate of Integration and Diversity
- Norwegian Labour and Welfare Service (NAV)
- The Norwegian Directorate for Children, Youth and Family Affairs
- SaLTo
- Other municipalities (Drammen / Skedsmo)
- Norwegian Red Cross
- Norwegian Trekking Association (DNT)

- Local sports clubs
- Local associations

- Partnership agreements
- Short term measures and projects
- Application grants
- Professional cooperation

Furuset alliance



«..much more than just a sports club»

Summer camp for children and youth

«The child in focus»

 Action plan to combat poverty in families with children, District of Alna 2013 - 2016

Furuset festival

«District Mothers united»

 Local work- and educational gatherings for primary schools

«Proud girls»









Goals

- "Youth from Alnaskolen are motivated to engage themselves in different ways in local teams and/or organizations"
- "Participants are visible and positive role models for the local youth and for the rest of the community"
- "Alnaskolen provides positive side-effects for the entire community through making young people feel responsible and taking action for the better"
- "Alnaskolen is to be trusted in building a positive reputation for the district of Alna"
- "To recognize and empower young people who sparks ideas and creativity that contributes to the future development of the district of Alna and the city of Oslo"

Alnaskolen

- 1 project coordinator, 1 project employee 20-30 %
 (financed by the State Housing Bank through the area lift at Furuset)
- 1 project manager for «The future mentors your life, your choice.» (40 % position)
- 25-30 part time positions as youth workers and activity leaders for younger children in sports
- Contribute with several thousand hours of volunteer work over the year in the district and in the local community

- 180 participants in the project since 2008 (about 50 % from Furuset)
- 95 % of the participants have minority backgrounds
- From more than 20 different nations
 (mainly from Pakistan, Turkey, Morocco and Afghanistan)

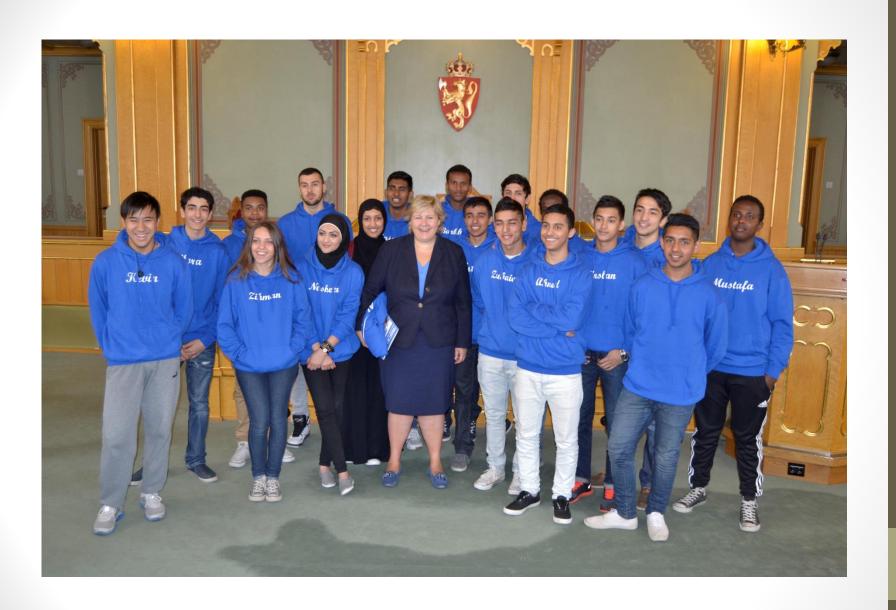
We create positive, out-of-school time, non-formal learning opportunities for young people



a common ground – and a level playing field

by a combination of theory and practice





Alnaskolen 2012 – «basic course»

13. february Get to know each other / teambuilding

20. february Opening ceremony

28. february History, Furuset – Furuset IF

13. march First aid

26. / 27. mars Leadership in sports activities

23. april Visit from H.M. Kong Harald

02. may Visit to the Parliament (Stortinget)

05. june Furuset festival

Fall

21. august Evaluation / planning

18. september (Social) Entrepreneurship

09. oktober UN / International work

23. oktober Visit to organisations

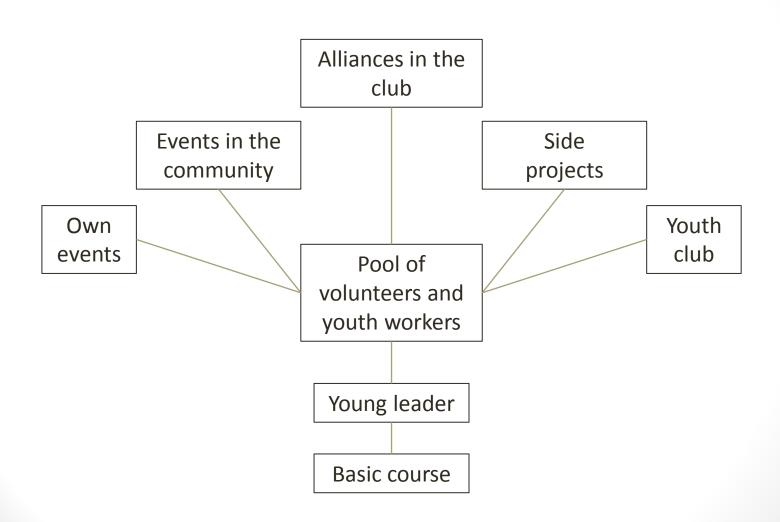
13. november Visit to the University of Oslo

Spring

04. desember Street mediaton

18. desember Diploma ceremony

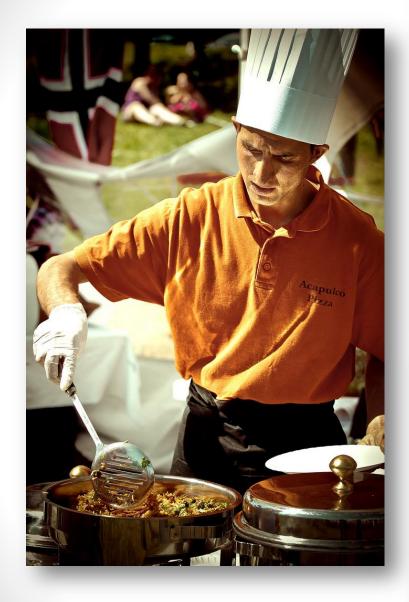
Alnaskolen - overview















We participate

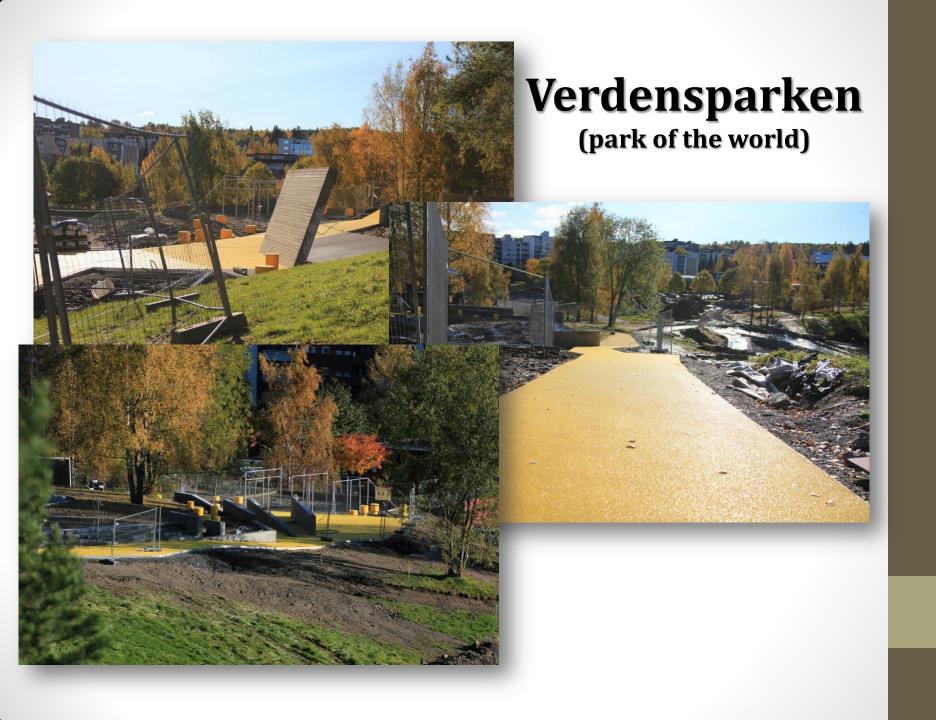
When young people are viewed as valuable resources..





..they respond to this by devoting energy and commitment their local community





We are seeing **results**









The future mentors - your life, your choice.

- Established in 2011 with funding from the Norwegian Directorate of Integration and Diversity (IMDi)
- A separate project for awareness work against forced marriage and honor related violence.
- Based on peer education
- Consists of basic training, discussion groups and visits to primary schools (duration at least 6 m/year)
- Participants are recruited from the Alna School "youth pool" and have had family backgrounds from, among others Morocco, Eritrea, Turkey, Pakistan, Yemen, Sri Lanka and Afghanistan





"And think not you can direct the course of love, for love, if it finds you worthy, directs your course."

Khalil Gibran





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Har gjennom sin deltakelse i Alnaskolen ervervet kompetanse innen ungt lederskap og frivillig arbeid.

Vedkommende har vist stort engasjement, og anses herved som

UNG LEDER

i Alnaskolen

Unge ledere fremstår som rollemodeller for sine jevnaldrende.

De tildeles tillitsverv og lederroller blant ungdom ved frivillige aktiviteter, lokale tiltak for barn og unge og i bydelsvise arrangementer.

Gratulerer!

Oslo, 20. februar 2012

Rune Gjelberg Prosjektkoordinator Vidar H. Noreng Faglig leder







Profitable for Norway

- Finding solutions to real challenges in giving multicultural youth the opportunity for participation and involvement
- (The number of immigrants living in Norway in the future will vary depending on alternative population projections in 2012 as a basis. According to the main option there will be around 1.3 million immigrants in Norway in 2050. This represents 20 percent of the population.)
- Reducing the risk of exclusion in different areas of our society
- Making strategies for empowering people in our communities that are set aside for various reasons
- Helps prevent forced marriages; creates positive attitudes and cultural awareness among tomorrow's parents
- Provides expertise and increases the commitment of a new generation of volunteers
- Creates close relationships with various minority communities and networks
- Can capture the (and convey) early signs of extremism and radicalization

Profitable for Alna and Oslo

- The district shows a national social responsibility «Look to Alna»
- Creates opportunities for jobs for youth
- Gives positive effects for local government, private and public sector
- Identifies, trains and empowers young role models
- Youth establishes contacts and creates networks in relation to various types of employment
- Increases the competence of the district's youth
- Gives a positive reputation
- Starts creative processes that may contribute to the district's own development
- Prevents racism, prejudice, crime and radicalization through inclusion and joint efforts





One word that describes Alnaskolen:

Communities

Volunteerism

Respect

Future

Guidance

Awesome!

Friendship

Cohesion

Voluntary work

Educative

