

Biannual Report of NVDA 2006-2007



* The 6th TNW & the 5th General Assembly in Indonesia, Jan. 2006

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1) Preface and Summary

Asia is growing!

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2006-07 were **remarkable years for development** of NVDA and the international voluntary service movement in Asia-Pacific.

The numbers of organizations, projects and volunteers were rapidly increasing by huge social needs and full of efforts and cooperation. **1,857 international workcamps** were done by NVDA members that were **3 times more** than 2000-01.

NVDA also increased a **number of member NGOs from 13 to 19 in 2 years!** And I would like to **thank everybody** who made great contribution such as staff and active members of member NGOs and cooperative agencies, millions of volunteers and local partners/ people.

Of course, **quality** is also or even more important and NVDA has made a lot of efforts by innovative ideas internally and sometimes also by collaboration with other NGO networks.

I also have to say that there is a growing commercial approach by **the travel agency** inside our movement that is far from fund raising activities for non profit and social improvement purposes. It seems gradually polluting our spirits and practice, so we should consolidate our values/ solidarity to **protect** it from such attempt.

One of the most valuable character of NVDA that cannot be found in any other networks is **various types of active common actions on environmental protection, social welfare, education and rural development** that cannot be done by any single organization. Yet, more active participation from the members is needed .

The situation of the world and Asia is still very **far from our goals**. **Climate change** is getting serious, **self sufficient economy** and autonomy are destroyed, huge number of people and animals, plants are **suffered by violence**...

International voluntary service cannot solve all of those problems, but can still create a **new power by pop bridge between local and global levels** as fresh wind in the communities.

So, let's **work together more strongly** to achieve a (physically, mentally, ecologically, communally, culturally) **healthy and colorful world** for our future generations and ourselves!

< Highlight in 2006-07 >

1) The 6th TNW was successfully done!

Training & Networking Workcamp gathered 19 NGOs leaders of 11 NGOs in 9 countries hosted by IIWC Indonesia in Jan. 06 (See page 3-4).

2) 3 countries started workcamps!

International workcamps were started in Sri Lanka, Vanuatu and Taiwan. The special fund to start workcamps were created (page 10-12).

3) New impact research was started.

AEVTP project to research impact of workcamps on various themes were conducted in 7 countries in Jul.-Aug. 2007 (page 13-14)

4) Many efforts to improve the quality

Training for Trainers, Evaluation of cooperation, Opening Finance and Making guideline of exchange were done (page 14-15).

5) NVDA started sending volunteers!

31 volunteers were placed by the secretariat from Singapore, Taiwan and 4 other countries where there are no sending NGOs (page 16-17)

6) Disaster Relief Action for Indonesia

Special Workcamp, Notebook Action, Concert and Eco-candle Action were done in Japan, Korea and Korea (page 6-7, 20, 22).

7) Various types of Common actions

Promotion of Acrylic Sponges, Greening Asia and Sister School/ Orphanage Workcamps were done in Japan, Indonesia, etc. (page 18-22)

8) 1,857 projects & 24,000 volunteers

Member NGOs organized 1,857 projects where 9,087 national & 7,102 international volunteers joined and sent 7,702 ones abroad (page 23-25).

9) NVDA got 6 new members!

6 NGOs in 5 countries became members, 19 members in total. Secretariat and Executive Committee also worked hard (page 30-33).

10) Financial situation was improved.

NVDA developed self income generation by low costing body, so got surplus of 5,387 US\$ in 2006-07 (total asset: 7,122 US\$. Page 34-35)

Plus one) Good external cooperation

NVDA has developed and maintained fruitful cooperation with other networks/ agencies such as CCIVS, ALLIANCE and ASEF (page 26-27).

2) Projects and Actions

2-1) Regular Networking Projects

NVDA has the following regular networking projects;

1) TNW (Training & Networking Workcamp) with GA (General Assembly)

It is held every two years hosted by a member NGO by turns, open to all member NGOs and some NGOs in "new countries" where there are no workcamp NGOs yet.

2) Seminar with AM (Annual Meeting)

It CAN be held in a year when there is no TNW with GA, hosted by a member NGO by turns, open to all members (and possibly, co-organizers, NGOs of sister networks, resource persons, etc.)

3) Special NVDA Workcamp

It can be held anytime, open to active members of member NGOs in order to promote actions and cooperation in NVDA.

2-1-1: The 6th TNW with the 5th GA

Time: 08 - 21 January, 2006 (14 days)
Place: Sunan Kuning, Bangetayu, Demak and Bandungan, INDONESIA
Aims: 1) Start international workcamps in new countries of Asia 2) Improve quality and quantities of projects of member NGOs 3) Create and develop NVDA common actions
Program: 1) Voluntary works (HIV actions, teaching English to the orphans, cleaning a river, etc.) 2) Workshops (common actions for HIV, disadvantaged kids , water, how to organize, etc.) 3) Project visit , exchange parties with the orphans, excursion, night tour to Semarang city, etc.
Organizers: IIRC (host) in cooperation with NICE
Finance: * Accommodations and meals: by IIRC! * Travel cost: by the participants/ sending NGOs (3 members + 3 new NGOs were partly supported by NICE)
Participants: 19 from 11 NGOs in 9 countries (BWCA, FSL, IIRC, IWO, KNCU, MCE, NICE, YES+ SJV, VFV, YFK)
Results: ☺ NVDA has got 3 new members including the first one in West Asia (Iran). ☺ Members shared know-how and promoted cooperation/ solidarity fruitfully. ☺ Various kinds of Common Actions were made and some of them were realized. ☺ IIRC also got benefit like motivating members and promoting international recognition ☹ Many participants arrived on different days that has made hosting/ group arrangement difficult. ☹ 4 participants (2 were from new NGOs) did NOT SHOW!!



Demak River
Before, During,
and After



< Schedule >

Jan.	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
08 Su	Arrival, Registration, Moving		Orientation
09 M	Work A, B1	Work B1, B2	Free
10 Tu	Work A, B2	Work B1, B2	Free
11 W	Moving, Study A	Work C	Study B
12 Th	Study C	Work C	Study D
13 F	Free/ Project tour (optional)		Study E
14 Sa	Study F	Moving	Study G
15 Su	Work D1	Work D2, Moving	Free
16 M	Study H	Work C	Study I
17 Tu	Bilateral talk	International cooking	International dinner
18 W	Moving, Free (Excursion) / EC Meeting		Free, Preparing GA
19 Th	The 5th General Assembly of NVDA		Free, Working Group
20 F	The 5th General Assembly of NVDA		Farewell party
21 Sa	Evaluation, Cleaning	Departure	

<Work>

- A: Environmental education in the school
- B1: Running Open house of HIV/AIDS
- B2: Outreach = Education of STI & HIV/AIDS
- B3: Meeting with sex workers
- C: Working with kids in Bangetayu orphanage
- D1: Cleaning Demak river
- D2: Workshop for acrylic sponge

<Study>

- A: How to organize workcamps
- B: Common actions for HIV/AIDS
- C: Recruiting & preparing volunteers
- D: Common actions for disadvantaged kids
- E: Management of staff, EC & members
- F: Finance
- G: Actions on water and ecology
- H: Evaluation of projects/ cooperation
- I: Long/ Middle Term Volunteers

< Full time participants >

	FAMILY/ First (nick) name	Sex	Country	NGO	Position	Occupation
1	Pujiarti ALIM (Puji)	F	Indonesia	IIWC	Coordinator/ Secretariat	(IIWC/ NVDA)
2	SURAYDA Helen Intania	F	Indonesia	IIWC	Active volunteer	Griya ASA
3	Indah (Kampret)	F	Indonesia	IIWC	Active volunteer	Univ. student
4	INDRIAWATI Devi	F	Indonesia	IIWC	Active volunteer	PKBI
5	Chaerul Primadia (Heru)	M	Indonesia	IIWC	Active volunteer	IIWC
6	AHMED Salim	M	Bangladesh	BWCA	General Secretary	Private Service
7	KAIZAWA Shinichiro (Kai)	M	Japan	NICE	President	(NICE)
8	ANAGAMA Miwa	F	Japan	NICE	Chief for Group Workcamps	(NICE)
9	KIM Yonghan	M	Korea	IWO	Director of Ext.cooperation	(IWO)
10	JEONG Youngeun	F	Korea	IWO	Int., Project Coordinator	(IWO)
11	CHOUNG Miran	F	Korea	IWO	Int., Project Coordinator	(IWO)
12	KANG Jong-Ahn (Kang)	M	Korea	KNCU	Program Specialist	(KNCU)
13	MYAGMARJAV Enkhbaatar (Baatar)	M	Mongolia	MCE	Director	(MCE)
14	DICO Jun	M	Philippines	YES	President	Lawyer
15	ERNEST Arriola (Doods)	M	Philippines	YES	Project Coordinator	Self Employed
16	SHARMA Shivsharan (Shaaraan)	M	India	FSL	Outgoing Coordinator	(FSL)
17	RAHBAR Sepideh	F	Iran	YFK	Management board member	Sales Manager Deputy
18	CHU THI LINH Giang	F	Vietnam	SJV	Active volunteer	Student
19	TUAN DON Phuong	M	Vietnam	VFP	Country Representative	(VFP)

< Feedback from the participants and their NGOs >

Good memory of cleaning river together with the Army. (Kang)

Successful and well organized, strengthen the cooperation among members, bilateral talks were very useful. (Jun)

Very nice to see the work of IIRC. It is a good result that 2 Vietnamese NGOs that became members there are co-hosting the 7th TNW. (Yonghan)

We had study part and proposed many common actions, but how many have been really realized? (Salim)

VPV has been grown very fast after we could meet more partners there. We also learnt a lot from the partners how to organized the projects like workcamps and LMTVs.

(Phuong)

Since I visited the project sites of Indonesia, it became easier to introduce the projects to the volunteers later on.

(Miwa)

Really hot and remote without facilities for the communication. It was surprising to see how many volunteers IIRC had.

(Baatar)

2-1-2: The 1st NVDA Special Meeting (as preparation for 2-1-4)

Time: 15 December, 2006 (1 day)
Place: Seoul, KOREA
Aims: 1) To share situation of NVDA by all and strengthen solidarity and motivation 2) To evaluate activities and finance in 2006 as preparation for the Annual Meeting 3) To plan activities and finance of NVDA in 2007 as preparation for the Annual Meeting
Program: 1) Projects and actions (10:00-12:00)/ 2) Structure (12:00-13:00) 3) External Relation (14:30-15:30)/ 4) Finance (15:30-16:30)/ 5) Any other matters (16:30-17:30)
Organizer: IWO (host)
Finance: * Accommodations and meals: by IWO! * Travel cost: Mainly by ASEF and partly by the participants/ sending NGOs
Participants: 12 from 9 NGOs in 7 countries (IIRC, IWO, NICE, SJV, VPV, YAP + ASEF, CONC, DJ, NYC)
Results: ☺ Necessary preparation for the Annual Meeting could be done. ☺ Some participants got motivated to work for NVDA. ☹ By lack of basic knowledge about NVDA, discussions could not often go so deeply.

< Participants >

	FAMILY/ First (nick) name	Sex	Country	NGO	Position	Occupation
1	YOM Jinsu	M	Korea	IWO	President	(IWO)
2	KIM Jung Hyun	F	Korea	IWO	Incoming placement officer	(IWO)
3	JEONG Young Eun	F	Korea	IWO	Outgoing placement officer	(IWO)
4	Pujuarti (Puji)	F	Indonesia	IIRC	Coordinator	(IIRC)
5	KAIZAWA Shinicro (Kai)	M	Japan	NICE	President	(NICE)
6	DO THI Phuc	M	Vietnam	SJV	Director	(SJV)
7	TUAN DON Phuong	M	Vietnam	VPV	President	(VPV)
8	NGUYEN DOAN Cuong	M	Vietnam	VPV	Director	(VPV)
9	Katarina RAGOUSI	F	Singapore	ASEF	Project Manager	(ASEF)
10	Matina DELIGIANI	F	France	CONC	Active member	Volunteering
11	Anggita CHINANTYA	F	Indonesia	DJ	Active member	Student
12	Quenni DADULO	F	Philippines	NYC	Staff	(NYC)

2-1-3: The 4th NVDA Special Workcamp

Time: 05-17 February, 2007 (13 days)
Place: Jogjakarta, INDONESIA
Aims: 1) To help the construction of Tunas Harapan kindergarten after the disaster 2) To build children's mentality after the disaster 3) To re-manage NVDA teams with focusing on and developing NVDA common action
Program: 1) Voluntary works (construction of one kindergarten building, playing with local children) 2) NVDA Common Action (Notebook action and Eco-candle Action) 3) School Visits (one kindergarten, 2 elementary schools) 4) Local project visit , excursion to Borobudur Temple, etc 5) Workshop (among participants/ to get to know more about NVDA with its common actions)
Organizers: IIRC (host) & NICE (co-organizer)
Finance: * Accommodations and meals: by IIRC! * Materials for the construction were from the donation of partners (including fund raising from IWO, FSL and NICE) * Travel cost: by the volunteers by themselves (Co-leader from Japan was paid by NICE)
Participants: 12 from 5 NGOs in 4 countries (IIRC, IWO, KNCU, NICE, SJV)
Results: ☺ The victims of the earthquake was helped and the kindergarten building was constructed . ☺ More information of NVDA were shared and Japanese children could get the messages back. ☺ Many of vols. were not active members of each NGO, so lack basic knowledge about NVDA.



The kinderaarten. before. durina. and after construction

< Schedule >

Feb.	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
05 M	Arrival & orientation	Moving	Introduction to host family
06 Tu	Work (reconstructing Kindergarten)		Free
07 W	Work (reconstructing Kindergarten)		Introduction to local people
08 Th	Work (reconstructing Kindergarten)		Free
09 F	Work (reconstructing Kindergarten)		Free
10 Sa	Making Stage	Playing with Children	Mid. Evaluation, Music festival
11 Su	Free day		
12 M	Work (making Road)		Free
13 Tu	Work (making Road)		Free
14 W	School visit	Playing with children	Free
15 Th	School visit	Construction Work	Final Evaluation
16 F	Special NVDA Discussion	Free	Farewell Party
17 Sa	Cleaning	Bye...	

< Full time participants >

	FAMILY/ First (nick) name	Sex	Country	NGO	Position	Occupation
1	Ismi Novia	F	Indonesia	IIWC	Active member	NVDA Secretariat
2	Biasmi Astro	M	Indonesia	IIWC	Active volunteer	Graduate
3	Miyuki Honma (Miyu)	F	Japan	NICE	Active member	Univ. student
4	KITAWA Junichi (Chiro)	F	Japan	NICE	Member	Employee
5	AKATSUKA Ryota	M	Japan	NICE	Member	Univ. student
6	HIRASHIMA Chihiro	M	Japan	NICE	Member	Employee
7	ONO Yukina	F	Japan	NICE	Active member	HS student
8	SUZUKI Rie	F	Japan	NICE	Member	Univ. student
9	Song	M	Korea	IWO	Volunteer	Univ. student
10	AHN Jong Hwan	M	Korea	IWO	Volunteer	Univ. student
11	SEO Hae Mi (Hemmy)	F	Korea	IWO	Volunteer	Univ. student
12	RYU Suk Hyun (Ryu)	M	Korea	KNCU	Active volunteer	Univ. student
13	NGUYEN Mai	F	Vietnam	SJ	Active volunteer	Univ. student

2-1-4: The 4th Annual Meeting

Time: 11 March, 2007 (1 day/ 1 night)
Place: Grida City Hotel, Antalya, TURKEY
Aims: 1) Approve Annual and Financial Report of 2006 and share the present situation 2) Discuss and approve Activities Plan for 2007 3) Strengthen solidarity and motivation toward NVDA
Program: 1. Evaluation of 2006 (Projects/ Structure/ External Relationship/ Finance) 2. Plan for 2007 (Projects/ Structure/ External Relationship/ Finance)
Organizers: NVDA EC in cooperation with GENCTUR (Host) and ALLIANCE (TM organizer)
Finance: Accommodations, meals and travel cost: by the participants/ sending NGOs
Participants: 15 from 10 NGOs in 8 countries (DJ, FSL, GW, IIWC, IWO, KNCU, NICE, YAP, UNA + LEAD)
Results: ☺ Productive and participative enough including creation of "Starting Fund" in new countries. ☺ Some participants got motivated to work for NVDA. ☹ It was not accessible for all the members since it was for the participants of another meeting.

< Participants >

	FAMILY/ First (nick) name	Sex	Country	NGO	Position	Occupation
1	MILITAO Susana	F	India	FSL	Full time staff	(FSL)
2	CHANAPHAI Pornpawee	M	Thailand	GW	Full time staff	(GW)
3	MAHPRASIT	F	Thailand	GW	Full time staff	(GW)
4	Pujiarti (Puji)	F	Indonesia	IIWC	Coordinator	(IIWC)
5	Ketut Purwantoro	M	Korea	DJ	President	(DJ)
6	JEONG Youngeun	M	Korea	IWO	Outgoing placement officer	(IWO)
7	KIM Junghyun	M	Korea	IWO	Incoming placement officer	(IWO)
8	YOM Jinsu	M	Korea	IWO	President	(IWO)
9	KANG Jong-Ahn (Kang)	M	Korea	KNCU	Program Specialist	(KNCU)
10	KIM Bo-Young	F	Korea	KNCU	Full time staff	(KNCU)
11	KAIZAWA Shinichiro (Kai)	F	Japan	NICE	President	(NICE)
12	UEDA Eiji	F	Japan	NICE	Incoming placement officer	(NICE)
13	ROKE Kristine	F	France	YAP	Workcamp coordinator	(YAP)
14	POWELL Sam	M	UK	UNA	Global Educational Coordinator	(UNA)
15	NGUYEN Mai (Nazgul)	F	Kyrgyzstan	Leaders	President	(LEAD)

2-1-5: The 7th TNW with the 6th GA

Time: 13 - 22 January, 2008 (10 days)
Place: Hanoi, VIETNAM
Aims: 1) Start international workcamps in new countries of Asia 2) Improve quality and quantities of projects of member NGOs 3) Create and develop NVDA common actions
Program: 1) Voluntary works (Making water filters, Running activities in Hospital & School, etc.) 2) Workshops (Impact research and common actions on Environment, Education, etc.) 3) Global Volunteering Fiesta , exchange parties with local vols., excursion in Hanoi city, etc.
Organizers: SJV and VPV (co-hosting) and NICE (co-organizer)
Finance: * Accommodations and meals: by SJV and VPV! * Travel cost: By NICE (Mitsubishi Bank International Foundation) and the participants/ sending NGOs
Participants: 29 from 20 NGOs in 16 countries/ area (BWCA, DALAA, DJ, GW, IIWC, IWO, KNCU, MCE, NICE, NIFC, SJV, VFV, WIP YAP + ALLIANCE, JIA, PVG, RUCHI, VYA, WCEC)
Results (will be revised in the Biannual Report 2008-09): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☺ The biggest number of the participants/ organizations/ nationalities (almost double as others)! ☺ Productive and participative as all the past TNWs. First time of co-hosting. ☹ 9 last minutes cancelation including 2 no show from the new organizations



Making water filters



Study part



Visit to United Nations Volunteers



Inter-cultural learning program



Global Volunteering Fiesta

I learned many things about the activities and got many friends and partners! (Eko)

Thanks for Organizers and Team. (Virji)

I felt lonely first as a new comer, but now feel very comfortable to be here. (Klaus)

The weather is very cold, but the people is very warm. (Yonghan)

It was nice to see the number of the candidate of EC (10 for 5 places) because it shows that everybody is motivated. (Kristine)

I will find something to be applied to the Alliance, European network. (Marcela)

Happy and honored to host very important events. Nice to know that there are people who would like to promote more the peace. (Hoai)

< Schedule >

Jan	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
13 (Su)	Arrival/ 1st Arrival		Orientation/ welcome party
14 (M)	Work A, B, C	Study A1	Study B1
15 (Tu)	Work A, B, C	Study A2	Exchange with Locals
16 (W)	Work A, B, C	Study A3	Moving/ 2nd Arrival
17 (Th)	Work D	Study B2	Free/ Bilateral Talks
18 (F)	Preparing Fiesta	Visit to UNV	Global Volunteering Fiesta
19 (Sa)	Excursion (EC meeting)		Study B3
20 (Su)	The 6th General Assembly (GA) of NVDA		Working groups/ Bilateral Talks
21 (M)	The 6th General Assembly (GA) of NVDA		Evaluation/ Farewell party
22 (Tu)	Cleaning/ Departure		

<Work>

- A:** Environment (making water filters and acrylic sponges in the fishermen's village - slam area.)
B: Disadvantaged children (organizing leisure activities for children of National Pediatric Hospital)
C: Education (teaching English and do maintenance at the Van Phuc Primary School)
D: International Friendship Village (exchange with children, organic farming and painting on the fence)

<Study>

- A1:** Impact of i.v.s. on 3 themes (ENVI, KIDS, EDUC)
A2: Methodologies to measure/ maximize impact
A3: Common actions in Asia on 3 themes
B1: Difficulties to organize projects/ exchange vols.
B2: NVDA actions to empower management
B3: Camp leaders training (sharing practice)
GA: Plan of Actions and Budget for 08-09, report of activities and finance in 06-07, EC election, etc.

< Full time participants (17-23 joined from the 16th Jan.) >

	FAMILY/ First (nick) name	Sex	Country	NGO	Position	
1	DON Tuan Phuong	M	Vietnam	VPV	President	(VPV)
2	Nguyen Doan Cuong	M	Vietnam	VPV	Executive Director	(VPV)
3	DO Thi Phuc	F	Vietnam	SJV	Director	(SJV)
4	Trieu Thi Thu Hoai	F	Vietnam	SJV	LTV coordinator	(SJV)
5	Marion	F	Vietnam	SJV	Full time staff	(SJV)
6	KAIZAWA Shinichiro (Kai)	M	Japan	NICE	President	(NICE)
7	ANAGAMA Miwa	F	Japan	NICE	Full time staff	(NICE)
8	YANO Toshie (Yanocchi)	F	Japan	NICE	EC member	Univ. student
9	Pujiarti (Puji)	F	Indonesia	IIWC	Coordinator	(IIWC)
10	Ismi NOVIA SETYANINGRUM	F	Indonesia	IIWC	Secretariat	(NVDA)
11	Prakash BABU PAUDEL	M	Nepal	NIFC	President	(NIFC)
12	Chandra Shrestha SUBODH (Subo)	M	Nepal	NIFC	Observer	Social Service
13	Sakkarin SEEMA	M	Thailand	DALAA	Organizer	Univ. student
14	Alberto Jr. DICO (Jun)	M	Philippines	WIP	President	Lawyer
15	Eko WAHYUDI	M	Indonesia	DJ	Domestic Exchange Manager	Univ. student
16	PARK Hyun Jung	F	Korea	IWO	Outgoing officer	(IWO)
17	YOM Jinsu	M	Korea	IWO	President	(IWO)
18	KIM Yonghan	M	Korea	IWO	Director	(IWO)
19	Enkhbaatar MYAGMARJAV (Baatar)	M	Mongolia	MCE	Executive director	(MCE)
20	KANG Jong-Ahn (Kang)	M	Korea	KNCU	Programme Specialist	(KNCU)
21	Helmut Warmenhoven	M	Thailand	GW	General Manager	(GW)
22	Kristine Roke	F	France	YAP	Workcamp coordinator	(YAP/ SJ)
23	AHMED Salim	M	Bangladesh	BWCA	General Secretary	Private Service
24	HOLICKA Marcela	F	Slovakia	ALLIANCE	Vice president	Consultant
25	SINGH Dharamvir (Virji)	M	India	RUCHI	Executive Director	Social work
26	KANG Sang Min (Steve)	M	China	JIA	Volunteer Center Director	(JIA)
27	DING Klaus	M	Taiwan	VYA	Executive Director	(VYA)
28	Chen Shao li	F	China	WCEC	Director	(WCEC)
29	SOUVANNALATH Somsack Happy	M	Laos	PVG	Coordinator	(PVG)

2-2) Starting workcamps in "new" countries

By the initiative of the members, NVDA has started international workcamps in following 13 countries/ area in its 10 years history.

Country/ Area	Start	Host	Co-organizer
China	1997	ACYF	NICE Japan
Cambodia	1998	KYDO	NICE Japan
Thailand (+*)	1999	GW	NICE Japan
Indonesia	1999	IIWC	NICE Japan
Vietnam	2000	VYF	NICE Japan
Mongolia	2000	MCE	NICE Japan
Fiji	2002	FIVE	NICE Japan
Philippines (+)	2003	YES	IWO Korea
Malaysia (*)	2004	YSM	NICE Japan
Laos	2004	AVAN	KNCU Korea
Sri Lanka (*)	2006	SL	FSL & IWO
Vanuatu	2006	(none)	IVP Australia
Taiwan	2007	VYA	NICE Japan

+ There were projects organized by NICE and the local organizations before.

* Branches of international NGO (SCI) has been organizing projects since 1970s.

2-2-1: West and South Asia

Iran

NVDA member, YFK, organized 2 national workcamps in 17 Feb. - 02 Mar. and 21 Mar. - 02 Apr. 2007. It was not easy to organize international workcamps due to the political situation, but YFK and NICE have been seeking for the pilot workcamp when it will be possible. SIW Netherlands have made a contact with YFK. GSM Turkey has also interest.

Syria

In cooperation with SCI, JAFRA organized pilot workcamp in 2003 that was opened internationally in 2005 and they will do 4 workcamps in the summer of 2007.

* YAP made a study trip in 2006 to Jordan and Lebanon.

Pakistan

SCI started workcamps some years ago.

Sri Lanka

FSL and IWO organized a special workcamp in December 2006 with a local NGO, See Lanka. In 2007, FSL organized 9 workcamps with local municipality to have a children crises center.

Bhutan

There was a participant in UNESCO Asian Youth Forum hosted by KNCU in Jun. 2007 and Secretariat & President made contact with them who were interested to join the 7th TNW.

2-2-2: South East Asia & Pacific

Laos

KNCU has been organizing a special workcamps since 2000 as AVAN (Asia Voluntary Action Network) including Feb. 2006 and 2007. They have completed construction of the youth center.

KNCU'd like to make software e.g. English course by 2 years LTV and also plan to invite the local committee specially formed for this project to NVDA events such as TNW.

Malaysia

NICE has been organizing international workcamps since 2004 and supporting a new NGO, MOVE (Malaysian Organization for Volunteers Exchange). NICE expects that MOVE will have full time staff members and run independently possibly from 2009.

They have two projects (4 times a year in each), teaching to slow learners in the Special School near KL and helping rural development in the mountain village of Sarawak, Borneo island. They also joined AEYVE (Asia Europe Young Volunteers Exchange) 2007 by CCIVS.



Cambodia

GW organized international workcamps from 2005 to 2006, but due to lack of numbers of international volunteers, it stopped since the beginning of 2006.

* NICE organized workcamps with KYDO (Khmer Youth Development Organization) which is one of founding members of NVDA in 1998-2000, but the project was stopped by change of director and communication difficulties.

Singapore

DJ hosted a bilateral workcamp with SBL in Dec. 06 - Jan.07. A contact person from Singapore is interested to start organize international workcamps there.

Burnei

There was a participant in the first NAEV Conference in Vietnam, Jun. 2006.

Vanuatu

IVP organized the first workcamp in Sep. 2006 to complete construction of a school, painting, etc. They did it again in 2007 and were interested to join the 7th TNW though they have given up by a financial reason.



Fiji

NICE co-organized workcamps in 2002-04, but the project has been stopping since the local organization (FIVE) has lack of human resources.

2-2-3: Central & North East Asia

Taiwan

VYA (Vision Youth Action) which YVA, founded in 02, is an educational and cultural youth NGO. Kai (NICE) visited them in Nov. 2006 and agreed with the contract to send NVDA volunteers from Taiwan together.

NICE and YVA co-organized the first international workcamp in Aug. 2007 in a small town named Taishi to make funny painting on the walls by Japanese, Korean and Taiwanese volunteers. VYA became a member of NVDA in Dec. 2007.



Kyrgystan

A youth NGO, LEADERS, was founded in 2005 and organized 2 international workcamps each in Jul.-Aug. 2006 and 2007 mainly for the orphanage and protection of a mountain. They joined the 4th Annual Meeting and has interest to join NVDA!!

Tazikstan

IIVEP started international workcamps in 2005 in strong cooperation with SCI and has interest to join NVDA. They organized 2 workcamps in Jun.-Aug. 2007 for renovation and environmental protection.

2-2-4: NVDA “Starting Fund”

At the 4th Annual Meeting, NVDA agreed to create a new fund in its budget to support the members to start international workcamps in new countries.

For 2007, 620 US\$ was budgeted though no member has tried to use it by lack of promotion.

A. Criteria and qualifications

< Host >

- + NGOs/ NPOs including branches of international NGOs
- + Capable and motivated enough
- + Involved in voluntary service and sharing the value of NVDA
- + Located in Asia-Pacific (including 5 “Stan” countries of ex. USSR and Middle East)

< Project >

- + International (including bilateral) workcamp

< Sending person >

- + Capable and motivated enough
- + Experience to have organized international workcamps
- + Full participation
- + Staff or active member of NVDA member organizations

B. Upper Limit of payment

- * 75%
- * 620 US\$ for 2007 (revised every year)

C. Expenses that can be covered

- * Travel cost of the sending person between her/his country and the project host country for preparing/ running the project

D. Working Group

- * This plan was made by Kai (NICE), Susana (FSL), Kristine (YAP) and Youngeun (IWO).
- * Working Group can be started by 5 persons possibly including the above ones. Period of mandate is for 2 years between GAs.
- * WG can also make a info. (cool) tool/ pool of know-how and experience to have started projects in “new” countries that will be well utilized by the applicants and any other members.

E. Procedure

E1: Application

Secretariat sends a call to all members and the form should include the info. of;

- + Host organization & country with short presentation of the organization
- + Description (dates, place, works, participants, target groups, aims, finance, etc.) of the pilot project which will have been already agreed.
- + Future strategy/ plan to develop projects
- + Budget plan including the way to use the money from the fund
- + Profile of the person whose travel cost will be supported by the fund.

* Applications can be done anytime from any members after call for it.

* Every time Sec. gets an application, she should forward it to both EC and WG.

E2: Selection

EC should decide with considering the opinions of WG within one month from the receiving the application.

E3: Evaluation

Report (project/ finance) should be sent by 3 months after the project that will be introduced to all members soon.

Project report should include;

- + Impact on the local community
- + Some photos
- + Further plan revised
- + Summary of the project (same as project description)
- + List of the participants

Financial report should enclose the receipt of the travel expense supported by this Fund.

2-3) Improving NGOs and their projects

NVDA is also working to improve **both qualities and quantities** of existing international voluntary service NGOs and their projects.

- C1: Training & Networking Workcamps**
- C2: AEVTP (research on impact)**
- C3: Training for Trainers**
- C4: Evaluation of cooperation**
- C5: Opening Finance**
- C6: Making booklets**
- C7: Making guidelines**
- C8: Staff exchange**

2-3-1: Training & Networking Workcamps

See 2-1-1 and 2-1-5 for more details of the programs. This is actually one of the **best opportunities** also to improve the qualities of the projects and management since almost **all top leaders of the international voluntary service NGOs in Asia gather for 1-2 weeks**.

So, they can share difficulties, know-how and good practice, develop partnership and also create/ promote NVDA actions to improve the situations of the organizations through discussion of study parts, free time and experience in the projects by the host NGOs.

2-3-2: AEVTP (research on impact)

The first Asia-Europe Youth Volunteer Team-Building Partnerships was organized in **15 Jul. - 31 Aug. 2007** with **ASEF** (Asia Europe Foundation) and **NICE**. 7 Special Volunteers (SVs) and 5 WG members worked to **research and collect impact** of international workcamps on the themes of **Disadvantaged children, Education, Environment and Refugees/ Immigrants**.

Orientation Meeting was held in 10-13 Jul. in **Paris** and **Evaluation Seminar** was held in **Tokyo** in 28 Oct. - 01 Nov., right after the "Global Volunteering Fiesta" where over 100 people exchanged with the participants.

As the pilot project, it was fruitful in many points though it is important to continue and develop practice to get real results.

< WG members (Coordinator of the teams) >

Main organizer: **Kai** (President of NICE Japan)
 KIDS: **Phuong** (President of VPV Vietnam)
 EDUC: **Puji** (Coordinator of IIWC Indonesia)
 ENVI: **Sam** (Project Coordinator of UNA UK)
 REFU: **Nico** (Secretary General of SJ France)

< Hosting Organizations of SVs >

KIDS	VPV Vietnam (15 Jul. - 07 Aug.) NICE Japan (08 - 31 Aug.)
EDUC	IIWC Indonesia (15 Jul. - 07 Aug.) SJV Vietnam (08 - 31 Aug.)
ENVI	YAP Italy (15 Jul. - 07 Aug.) CVG Greece (08 - 31 Aug.)
REFU	VIA Belgium (15 Jul. - 07 Aug.) SJ France (08 - 31 Aug.)

< Special Volunteers >

KIDS	1. Hien Linh NGUYEN (VPV Vietnam) 2. POLESE Abel (SCI International/ Italy)
EDUC	3. NAKAYAMA Kazuko (NICE Japan) 4. Chinh NGUYEN (VPV Vietnam)
ENVI	5. Suneel GUPTA (RUCHI India)
REFU	6. Jarinya KRITTIKAN (DALAA Thailand) 7) Lan NGUYEN THI (SJV Vietnam)



KIDS (Vietnam)



EDUC (Indonesia)



ENVI (Greece)



REFU (Belgium)



Orientation Meeting in Paris



Evaluation Seminar in Japan

2-3-3: Training for Trainers

NVDA had a role as a kind of **co-organizer** in TtT on active citizenship organized in **Estonia in 01-07 Dec. 2007** by **ASEF and ALLIANCE** of European Voluntary Service Organizations.

3 trainers from NVDA members (**Puji** from IWC, **Jihye** from IWO and **Yoshi** from NICE) worked together with 3 European trainers and there were also 5 participants from the members (2 each from IWO/ NICE and 1 from UNA).

It was quite successful to share practice of each NGO especially by meeting many non-workcamp organizations.



(Photo from the local press, during the visit to home for disadvantaged children)

2-3-4: Evaluation of cooperation

NVDA started special evaluation of **bilateral partnership annually among member NGOs** on **projects/ vols. / office works** of partner NGOs.

Aims: a) To improve projects/ vols./ office works
b) To strengthen/ improve partnership.

Actions: **1) Fill in** the form by **15 Jan.** each year.
2) Send it to the partner and if possible, **talk** at TNW, AM and other international meetings.
3) Complete the form by mutual agreement.
4) Share it among participating NVDA members.

< Result in 2006-07 >

The first practice was done for evaluation of 2005 during the 6th TNW by **BWCA, FSL, IWC, KNCU, NICE** with the format made at the 3rd AM in Japan, Nov. 2004.

Evaluation of 2006 was done by NICE with all partners including NVDA members in Feb.-Mar. 2007 by e-mails and meetings.

It was also **introduced in Global Networking Conference** in Japan, Oct. 2006 and became one of "Model Form".

Many participating organizations in ALLIANCE TM 2007 have appreciated this practice, so there seems possibilities to be promoted also in other regions.

- By 2 years experience, NICE proposes to;
- 1) Print it out for all partners in the beginning of the season.
 - 2) Whenever something important happened, the staff members will write it.
 - 3) Collect feedback and write there also in some special events such as evaluation seminars/ meetings of camp leaders and volunteers.
 - 4) Add with reading evaluation report from the outgoing volunteers.
 - 5) Complete at the staff meeting.
 - 6) Send it to the partners.
 - 7) Exchange opinions at the Bilateral talks at the TNW among NVDA members and TM of ALLIANCE with some other partners.

2-3-5: Opening Finance

NVDA member NGOs are **strongly recommended** to open the annual financial reports to each other.

Aims: a) Understand each management better
 b) Learn from others practice for improvement
 c) Get more reliability from vols. & partners
Actions: 1) Fill in and submit the form to NVDA by **30 Apr.** each year.
 2) Share it among participating NVDA members.

< Result in 2006-07 >

The first practice for 2005 was done during the 6th TNW by FSL, IWC and KNCU, NICE with the format made at the 3rd AM.

In 2006-07, **7 members (GW, IWC, IWO, NICE, SJ France, SJV, VPV)** did it through the answer to the Guiding Questions of AEYVE (Asia Europe Young Volunteers Exchange) by CCIVS and ASEF. **MCE** also submitted.

< Results from Guiding Questions >

Income	NVDA	Non-NVDA
Inscription Fee	68%	18%
Membership Fee	3%	4%
Grant	16%	52%
Donation	3%	13%
Fund raising	2%	8%
Others	7%	6%

Expense	NVDA	Non-NVDA
Transportation	11%	8%
Communication	6%	5%
Print/ copy	4%	2%
Meeting	5%	3%
Lodging	9%	4%
Food	15%	5%
Tools, materials	6%	4%
Staff	22%	38%
Office	8%	7%
Insurance	2%	2%
Network	3%	3%
Others	9%	19%

* NVDA: Average of above mentioned 7 NGOs

* Non-NVDA: Other 8 NGOs mostly in Europe

2-3-6: Making/ using booklets

In 2006-07, NVDA has **not produced** any booklets for improving projects & management.

LMTV Handbook that was produced at the LMTV Seminar in Japan in 01-10 Nov. 2004 is introduced on the CCIVS website and widely utilized and appreciated especially by the organizations that have newly started LMTV.

There are **a lot of needs** to collect know-how and produce booklets for leaders and volunteers training, fund raising, etc., but organizers who can contribute to this work has quite much lack of time besides their own daily work.

2-3-7: Making guidelines

“Exchange volunteers guideline” with minimum rules of exchange was revised at the 6th TNW in Indonesia, Jan. 2006 by utilizing info. from the existing tools of ALLIANCE Policies, CCIVS Inter-regional Exchange Guideline and SCI Practical Procedure.

It was also introduced in **Global Networking Conference** in Japan, Oct. 2006 where the participants have **developed it into new “Inter-regional Exchange Guideline”** that should be promoted to use in the whole movement.

SCI has decided to accept the principle of the guidelines including the codes of the projects and will use them officially from 2008.

2-3-8: Staff exchange

Some member NGOs exchange staff (or active) members as **an intern for some months to share know-how in the offices/ projects.**

< Result in 2006-07 >

* 2 office LTVs from **NICE** were hosted in **FSL**.

* AEYVE 2006: **SJV to SJ-YAP, SJ-YAP to IWO**

* AEYVE 2007: **SJ-YAP to SJV, DJ to SJ-YAP, VPV to YAPit, YAPit to IWO**

* ISF (International Solidarity Fund) of CCIVS: **IWC to NICE, SJV to NICE** (both in 2006)

* **UNA** invited **VPV** and **SJV** in Aug.-Sep. 07 with **CONC-UK** by using the British Fund.

2-4) Sending Volunteers to workcamps

* The detailed information attached in annex.

2-4-1: Concept and aims

NVDA sends volunteers who are living in the countries **where there are no NVDA members and partners**, to the workcamps in the world.

The aims are, in addition to general aims of international workcamps (improving local/ global communities by voluntary works, promoting international friendship & cooperation, etc.);

- a) Provide **more opportunities** of international voluntary service to the people there
- b) Promote organizing international workcamps there in the **future by returned volunteers**
- c) **Help member & partner NGOs** by providing more various volunteers to their projects

2-4-2: Results in 2006-07

Participated volunteers		2006	2007	Total
Total		12	19	31
Type	STV	12	17	29
	LMTV	0	2	2
Through	X-Trekkers	6	7	13
	VYA	0	2	2
	Individual	6	10	16
Residence	1. Singapore	6	7	13
	2. Hong Kong	3	3	6
	3. Taiwan	2	2	4
	4. Malaysia	1	2	3
	5. China	0	1	1
	5. Philippines	0	1	1
	5. Sweden	0	1	1
	5. UK	0	1	1
	5. China, Korea	0	1	1
	Nationality	1. Singapore	5	7
2. Malaysia		1	4	5
3. Hong Kong		3	1	4
4. Taiwan		1	2	3
4. China		0	3	3
6. Germany		1	0	1
6. Peru		1	0	1
6. Canada		0	1	1
6. Philippines		0	1	1

Hosting countries	2006	2007	Total
1. Japan	4	3	7
2. Mongolia, Vietnam	1	3	4
4. Germany, Thailand	1	2	3
6. Greece	2	0	2
6. Korea	1	1	2
6. Iceland	0	2	2
8. UK	1	0	1
8. India, Nepal, USA	0	1	1

Canceled applicants	2006	2007	Total
Canceled	3	9	12
Give up	3	0	3

< Feedback from some volunteers >

The 11-day camp made me learn so much about life. I learned the value of respect and tolerance. The difference should be the things that bind us all. We are all common in nature and that is, we are all loving and caring people.

Today we dream and today we act. Tomorrow we will reap the fruits of our acts. So, challenge today, change tomorrow.

By J.Emmanuelle in KNCU's youth project, Korea

If you're thinking about volunteering but aren't sure, stop thinking about it and Just Do It!

My 6 weeks in Chitwan raced by and has left me with experiences I'll remember forever and which have shown me both the deep and humorous side of life. I hope that it will leave me a more spiritual and also chilled out person.

By Aurelia M. in NIFC's teaching project, Nepal



I'm glad to write to you. First of all, thanks for helping me with my participation in the workcamp NICE32 in Tokyo, it was a really great experience. I would like to participate in another workcamp for my next winter vacation...

By Zonia B.T. in NICE's ecological project, Japan

2-4-3: Contract partners

NVDA has two contract partners which recruit NVDA volunteers in their countries. Except from Singapore and Taiwan, NVDA accepts individual applications directly.

NVDA got great cooperation also from **UNA UK** (offering the database of workcamp program info. on their website) and **VFP USA** (referring so many numbers of inquiries to NVDA).

A. X-Trekkers = XT (Singapore)

It is a **travel agency** to introduce unique types of travelling abroad. Their founder had experience of international voluntary service abroad before he started this company. President (Kai) got to know about him who is a friend of Vice President (Baatar).

NVDA made a contract with this agency in Nov. 2005 (for 2005-2007).

B. Vision Youth Action = VYA (Taiwan)

It is a **youth, educational NGO** founded in 2002. INEX introduced NVDA to them since they were interested in both sending and hosting volunteers, so President visited them in Nov. 06 and made a contract for 2007-08 as well as organizing a pilot project in Taiwan in 2007.

They **became a member** of NVDA in Dec. 2007 and Director (Klaus) joined the 7th TNW.

2-4-4: Improving infrastructure

Skill training and reform of infrastructure was done in **07 Oct.-15 Nov. 2006** by **internship of Secretariat (Ismi) in Japan**. Many documents and the working system were developed by the instruction of President.

2-4-5: Promotion efforts

VYA made big promotion seminars twice in Nov. 2006 and Jun. 2007 with over **200 participants** by using the opportunities of NVDA **Presidential visit**.

Secretariat and President visited XT in 09 Jul. 2007 and made some promotion with them where about **30 people joined**.

2-4-6: Some difficulties

NVDA faced the difficulties below and need to improve the situation for next years.

A. Lack of quality of Volunteers

A Singaporean vol. was **kicked out** in the project of CONC-UK in Aug. 2006 since he did **not behave properly with the children** though it was a kids project...

Training was planned to do in Taiwan and Singapore when President could drop at there on the way to/ from Europe in Jun. and Jul. 07, but did **not realize because not many enough volunteers** were placed (then, promotion meeting was organized successfully instead).

B. Lack of quantities of Volunteers

Because NVDA could not get many enough volunteers as expected, it could not raise more fund and disturbed to organize a training.

On the other hand, both XT and VYA should have made their best for promotion and it must have been **difficult in the first years**, so the number sent was not so bad and we can expect to get more in next years even though VYA may place volunteers directly from 2009.

Hong Kong, China and NZ could be new potentially powerful market and NVDA can also make a contract with its members who cannot handle to send vols. by the lack of resources/ experience and wish to do it with NVDA.

C. Lack of quality of Projects

A XT vol. who joined a workcamp in Greece gave quite seriously negative feedback.

A project in South Asia was canceled after a NVDA vol. arrived, by the lack of vols.

D. Administration

NVDA is **not well-recognized** as a sending organization, so sometimes **miss important info.** such as Friday List.

2-5) Common actions in Asia

One of valuable character of NVDA is its various kinds of active common actions especially for not technical, but social issues that can hardly seen in any other networks!

< What are NVDA Common Actions? >

- ☺ Common actions among NVDA member organizations **through workcamps and/ or daily activities.**
- ☺ **Any NVDA members can propose and non-members are also usually welcome** to join.
- ☺ They are **direct actions to improve social situations** rather than technical actions of

organizational management like publication of fundraising and seminars on staff training which are categorized in other places.

- ☺ Workcamps on **other themes are also welcome** to join (e.g., Social projects can join to measure CO2 emission)!
- ☺ Usually, cost for the actions are **self-financed** by each organization/ project to do.

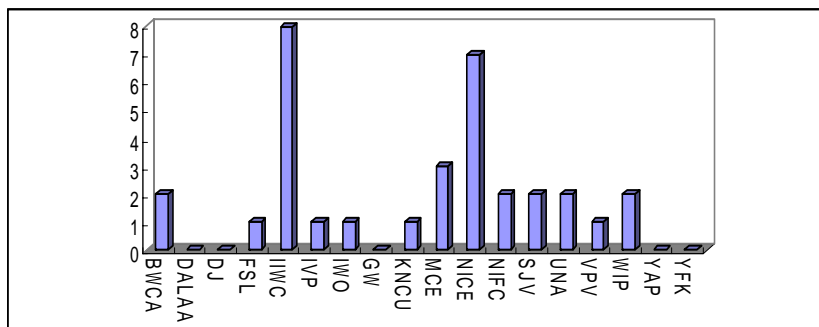
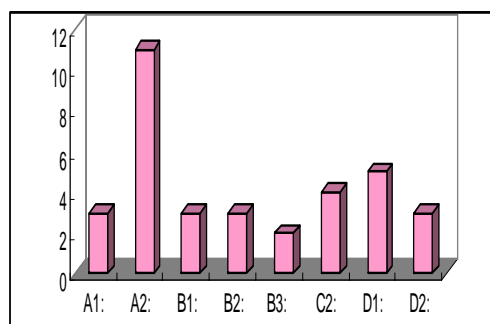
< Check List of the members involvement >

	Environmental		Social welfare/ Human rights			EDUC	Others/ mixed		Total
	A1: Acrylic Sponge	A2: Greening Asia	B1: Notebook Action	B2: Lightening Asia	B3: Bracelet Project	C2: HIV/ AIDS	D1: Sister NGOs	D2: Disaster relief	
BWCA		Yes					Yes		2
DALAA									0
DJ									0
FSL		Yes							1
IIBC	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
IVP		Yes							1
IWO								Yes	1
GW									0
KNCU		Yes							1
MCE		Yes		Yes			Yes		3
NICE	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes	Yes	7
NIFC		Yes	Yes						2
SJV	Yes					Yes			2
UNA		Yes					Yes		2
VPV						Yes			1
WIP		Yes			Yes				2
YAP									0
YFK									0
Total	3	11	3	3	2	4	5	3	34

AVERAGE: Each member did 1.9 actions/ Each action involved 4.3 members.

* VYA is not listed here since they became a member in the end of 2007, so had no chance to be involved.

* C1: International Love Story Book was not produced in 2006-07, but promoted in some international meetings.



A) Environmental protection

A1: Promotion of Acrylic Sponges

a) Description:

Step 1. Organize a workshop to make Sponges in workcamps, leader/ volunteers training seminars, school classes, etc.!

Step 2. Then, use it to wash dishes without washing soap in the workcamps and daily life.

Step 3. Volunteers and local people can keep using and promote it after the projects!

* You need only acryl (you can easily get it from the shop) and stick to make them.

* It was started in Japan, 2003 as one of actions for International year of Freshwater.

b) Aims:

- ☺ **Make water environment cleaner** by reducing washing soap to be flushed
- ☺ **Raise awareness** on importance to protect nature and promote concrete actions!
- ☺ **Save cost** to buy washing soap/ time to wash dishes/ your health from chemical soaps



c) Results in 2006-07

- ☺ Over **40 workcamps** (about **400 vols. & 1,000 locals**) mainly by **NICE Japan** but also **IIRC Indonesia**, **MOVE Malaysia**, **SJV Vietnam** did.
- ☺ **12 special workshops** have been organized in Japan with over **150 participants**.
- ☺ In the mountain village of Borneo island of Malaysia where people flush water from their daily life directly to the river, volunteers from Japan made, gave and promoted to use acrylic sponges to the local people who use them now!
- ☺ IIRC also did it in the **6th TNW** of NVDA in Demak river that is polluted partly by use of chemical soap to wash dishes/ clothes/ bodies.
- ☺ It was also promoted in the **7th TNW** in Fishermen's village to the local ladies for their income generation as well as **9 NGO organizers from 7 countries** in Asia plus Slovakia.

A2: Greening Asia for forest protection

a) Description:

1. Greening Asia Workcamps (GAW) to protect forests and possibly connect with each other by measuring CO2 emissions during the projects, producing common PR videos, discussions, etc.

2. Green Foster Parents (GFP) project. Volunteers collect acorns of native trees and ask people to grow in the schools/ houses/ offices that will be transplanted in the original places.

3. NICE has Greening Asia Fund (GAF) collected from donation, fee from GFP, fund raising events and support tree plantation workcamps by NVDA member organizations.

b) Aims:

- ☺ **Improve ecology of forests in Asia** by practical voluntary service like planting trees
- ☺ **Raise awareness** on importance to protect nature and promote concrete actions!
- ☺ **Create international cooperation and solidarity** among different projects for forests.

c) Results in 2006-07

1. GAW: 50 international workcamps were organized in **10 countries** (India-7, Nepal-13, Bangladesh-1, Indonesia-1, Vietnam-4, Philippines-2, Mongolia-1, Korea-4, Japan-16, Australia-1).

2. GFP: IIRC made several projects with elementary schools in Semarang, etc. Vols. and children collected the seeds and over **300 sun flowers and 100 mango trees** have been grown and trans-planted in school gardens. **NICE** also maintained Greening Asia Forest in Tanzawa mountains of Japan by weekend workcamps created by over **2,000 Green Foster Parents** (4th TNW also worked on that) since 1999.



3. GAF: NICE and MCE co-organized a special workcamp in Mongolia to plant a few hundreds of trees around the orphanage farm for **5 times since 2002** with about **2,500 US\$** of support of GAF and **over 1,000 trees** were planted. The fund was partly supported also by **KNCU**.

B) Social welfare/ Human rights

B1: Notebook Action

a) Description:

Vols. deliver notebooks with messages from children to children where needed.

Step 1. Sending NGO (SN) **collects** notebooks from children with their messages & drawing.

Step 2. SN **translates** the messages into English & **send** the notebooks to Receiving NGO.

Step 3. Receiving NGO (RN) **translates** them into their language, **distribute** the notebooks to children who need them and **collect** their return messages & drawing on the last pages.

Step 4. RN **translates** them into English and **send** the messages back to SN.

Step 5. SN **translates** them into their language and **give** the return messages to the children.

* If it is done between schools, orphanages, etc., it can be more effective! If some vols. from SN can be involved in all steps, it will be really great!

* Cost for sending notebooks are usually paid by SN, but should be agreed between two NGOs.



b) Aims:

- ☺ **Create exchange, friendship and global education** between children in different countries
- ☺ **Improve educational environment** of the children in the receiving countries
- ☺ **Promote actions of volunteers and new types of cooperation** between 2 NGOs

c) Results in 2006-07

NICE Japan collected 265 notebooks in 2006 including children of 3 elementary schools in Kobe (where there was a huge earthquake in 1995).

They were distributed during NVDA workcamp organized by IIRC Indonesia in Feb. 2007, Jogjakarta that was hit by a big earthquake in 06.

In 2007, NICE again collected 361 notebooks and volunteers carried to the schools and the orphanage in Nepal in cooperation of NIFC. Return messages were delivered back to all Japanese children who have joined the project!



B2: Lightening Asia by eco-candles

a) Description:

Make and sell candles from used oils that will be used to support disadvantaged kids.

Step 1. Making NGO (MN) **makes eco-candles** with disadvantaged children and send them to the Selling NGO (SE) possibly through volunteers.

Step 2. SE **sells** them in seminars, festivals, shops, etc. and return the profit back to MN.

Step 3. MN **uses** the profit in an effective way (e.g., improving their farms, scholarship for education, job training, etc.) and report to MN.

* It is **quite easy** to make eco-candles from old oil.

But if difficult, they can make in other ways.

* Candles can be made also by vols. in SE.



b) Aims:

- ☺ **Support life of disadvantaged children** by fund raising and development of skills
- ☺ **Involve a lot of people** and organizations to improve the situations together
- ☺ **Promote environmental protection** and awareness by reuse of old oils

c) Results in 2006-07

International vols. in a NICE workcamp made and sold 120 eco-candles and charcoals in the big fire festival that profit (300 US\$) was donated to IIRC to reconstruct the kindergarten school.

Also, 50 candles were made by the orphans from Mongolia and Indonesia of "Sister Orphanage Workcamp" in Japan, Aug. 06 that generated 200 US\$. In Feb. 07, a workcamp in Mongolia made 50 candles that were sold in Japan.

B3: Bracelet Project

a) Description:

Vols./ children make and sell bracelets to support NGOs against child prostitution.

b) Aims:

- ☺ Decrease child prostitution by fund raising
- ☺ Promote awareness on the issue to people
- ☺ Raise skills of disadvantaged children

c) Results in 2006-07

IIWC did it in 4 projects. Even the project is somehow slightly changed, the results from both volunteers and the children were quite positive. They collected more than 100 bracelets in 2006 and sold in the university events and bazaars.

C) Education/ Culture

C1: International Love Story Book

a) Description:

Collect international love stories made at international voluntary service projects.

b) Aims:

- ☺ Involve more young people to i.v.s.
- ☺ Raise fund by using our potential resources.
- ☺ Produce cultural property in human history.

c) Results in 2006-07

ILSB was not produced in 2006-07, but still promoted in some international meetings such as Global Networking Meeting in Belgium, Feb. 2006.

C2: HIV/ AIDS Campaign

a) Description:

Organize campaigns on HIV/ AIDS around the international AIDS day of 01 Dec.

b) Aims:

- ☺ Raise awareness on AIDS to people
- ☺ Improve their situation by practical actions
- ☺ Strengthen international cooperation of NGOs

c) Results in 2006-07

IIWC and VPV Vietnam organized special workcamps in 2006 while SJV Vietnam and NICE also made actions on the 01 Dec.

D) Development and others

D1: Sister NGOs Project

a) Description:

Similar types of NGOs in different countries promote exchange and cooperation through volunteers and workcamps.

b) Aims:

- ☺ Empower NGOs by sharing know-how
- ☺ Develop friendship among involved people
- ☺ Create common goals of the future world

c) Results in 2006-07

< Sister Orphanage Workcamp (SOW) >

The first project was held in Tokyo, Japan in 18-28 Aug. 06 with 10 kids aged 13-18 of the orphanages and 6 adult staff from Indonesia, Mongolia and Japan with sponsorship of Nippon Foundation, Rico company and 17 individuals.

The second one was held in Mongolia in 20-27 Aug. 07 with 10 kids aged 13 and 17 and 8 adult staff from those 3 countries. Both were very successful to have promoted their friendship, etc.



< Sister School Project (SSP) >

1. NICE vols. visited elementary schools in Japan and introduced culture, life, the school and the children of Bangladesh. Then, they asked the children to make gifts by hand and messages.

2. Vols. then visited elementary schools in Bangladesh and introduced culture, etc. of Japan and gave gifts, then asked them to do the same.

3. Vols. came back to Japan and visited the schools again to give the return gifts.



< Sister Forest NGOs (SFN) >

1. NICE hosted a workcamp in the Wild Bird Park of Tokyo Bay with a local environmental NGO, Green Volunteers (GV) in 10-24 Aug. 2007 where 13 volunteers from Japan, Korea and 2 staff of Afan Forest Park (AFP) through UNA UK revived the pond, cut glasses, etc.

2. Then, AFP hosted a workcamp with UNA UK from 29 Aug.-14 Sep. 2007 where 14 volunteers from Japan and UK (and Vietnam and China) including 2 members from GV maintained the forest by making trails, cutting woods, etc.

3. Through 2 projects, GV and AFP exchanged know-how to maintain the forests and manage the volunteers group that was useful for both sides!



D2: Disaster relief & fund raising

a) Description:

Support the area damaged by disasters by international voluntary service & fund raising.

b) Aims:

- ☺ Improve their situation by practical actions
- ☺ Promote global citizenship
- ☺ Strengthen international cooperation of NGOs

c) Results in 2006-07

1. A big earth quake stroke Jogjakarta in May 06. IIRC immediately sent 12 vols. to help in 3 areas to distribute medicines, foods, blanket and tents.

2. IIRC sent 5 vols. to organize activities such as drawing, playing together, with children for their mental guidance, in a special shelter.

3. The international workcamp was organized in Jun. to clean up the ruins of their houses and school by 10 vols. from IIRC, IWO and UNA.

4. Weekend workcamps were organized 3 times till Dec. and finally, NVDA special camp was done in 5-17 Feb. 07. IWO raised 3,000 US\$ by a concert, NICE raised 650 US\$ by a notebook action and IIRC could build 4 water installation for drinking water and 1 kindergarten in the area.



Difficulties and solutions

As it can be seen in the list, there is quite a big difference among members to be active for those common actions and not to be. In average, one member do 2 actions and each action has 4 members joining. We cannot/ don't need to promote actions for the following reasons;

a) Lack of basic interest in the actions

b) Lack of active individual members

(in each member organization) to promote it

But we can try to overcome the following difficulties by the ways written below;

c) Lack of staff time for coordination

- ☺ Create income for administration (e.g., 25% of the surplus made by selling eco-candles were used for administration/ coordination in Japan.) .
- ☺ Appoint a particular staff and make it as a part of her/ his task.

d) Lack of recognition to values/ benefits

- ☺ Explain examples of the benefits in the past by written info. and talks (e.g., Acrylic sponge workshop could help to have meaningful time when vols. could not work by rain, staff could be more motivated to work since it opened her mind while she used to have only routine work.)

e) Lack of information how to participate

- ☺ Secretariat and EC should produce more promotion documents with easy explanation how to join it and send the members!

f) Lack of overall coordination

- ☺ There should be one EC member who should focus on working on it with Secretariat.

g) Lack of human resource

- ☺ Start a special team to promote it in each member organization (IIRC and NICE promote those actions mainly by the power of the teams even though coordination is still needed.).

3) Members activities

- * Number of projects and volunteers are **increasing** in Asia years by years, partly because of NVDA's efforts to have provided a platform of cooperation and some concrete actions to support them.
- * We can introduce only **statistics of some quantitative figures** that is just a part of values of our members activities. More comprehensive statistics and analysis are needed.
- * There is no figure of **VYA** since they became a member in Dec. 2007 and their first project in Aug. 2007 is included in the figures of a co-organizing partner, NICE.

VSTV = Very Short Term (**shorter than 1 week**) voluntary projects (only workcamps)
STV = Short Term (**Between 1 week and 2 months**) voluntary projects (only workcamps)
MTV = Middle term (**Between 2 and 6 months**) voluntary projects including workcamps
LTV = Long term (**longer than 6 months**) voluntary projects including workcamps
Workcamps = Voluntary projects with more than 2 volunteers living together

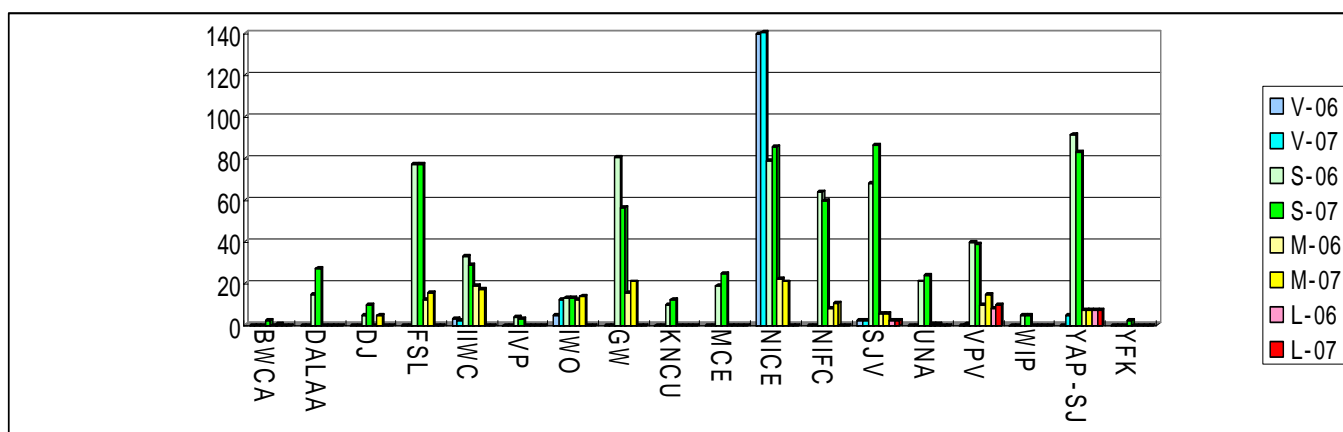
3-1) Projects organized in 2006-2007

Org.	VSTV		STV		MTV		LTV	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
BWCA	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0
DALAA	0	0	15	27	0	0	0	0
DJ	0	0	5	10	0	5	0	0
FSL	0	0	77	77	12	16	0	0
IIRC	3	2	33	29	19	17	0	0
IVP	0	0	4	3	0	0	0	0
IWO	5	12	13	13	12	14	0	0
GW	0	0	80	56	16	21	0	0
KNCU	0	0	10	12	0	0	0	0
MCE	0	0	19	25	0	0	0	0
NICE	139	140	79	85	22	21	0	0
NIFC	0	0	64	60	8	11	0	0
SJV	2	2	68	86	6	6	2	2
UNA	0	0	21	24	1	1	0	0
VPV	0	1	40	39	10	15	8	10
WIP	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0
YAP-SJ	0	5	91	83	7	7	7	7
YFK	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Total	149	162	624	638	113	135	17	19
Days	298	324	9360	9570	10170	12150	4590	5130
Vols.	1926	2093	5141	5762	533	552	85	97
D x V	3852	4186	77115	86430	47970	49680	22950	26190

< IN TOTAL >
1,857 projects (903 in 2006 and 954 in 2007) were organized.

If the average is 2 days for VSTV, 15 days for STV, 90 days for MTV and 270 days for LTV, there were 318,373 (volunteers x day) done by only full time volunteers in the projects.

Local people involved should have been over 10 times more than full time volunteers (over 500,000 in 2 years).



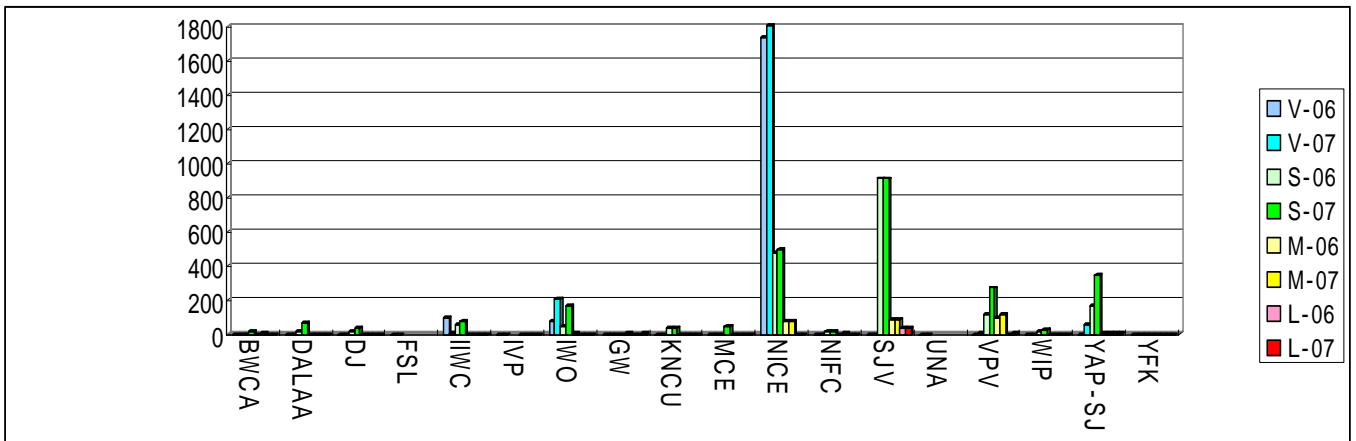
3-2) Volunteers participated

3-2-1) Incoming national vols. (who joined their own projects)

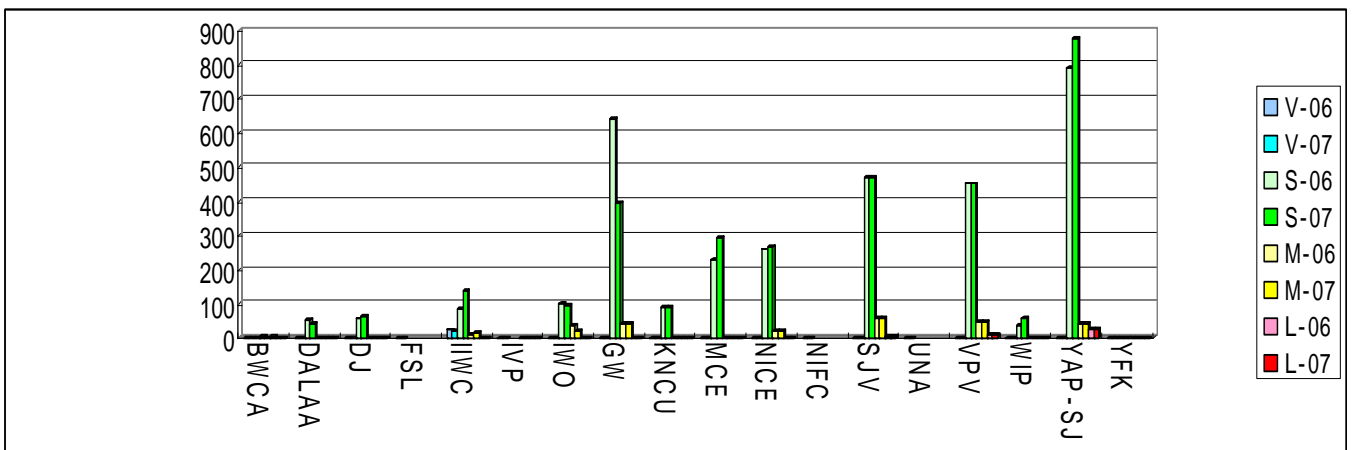
Org.	VSTV		STV		MTV		LTV	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
BWCA	0	0	0	22	0	3	0	0
DALAA	0	0	20	70	0	0	0	0
DJ	0	0	20	40	0	0	0	0
FSL	0	0	80	80	0	0	0	0
IIRC	100	9	60	76	2	0	0	0
IVP	0	0	6	8	0	0	0	0
IWO	75	204	46	163	6	2	0	0
GW	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	3
KNCU	0	0	36	36	0	0	0	0
MCE	0	0	0	49	0	0	0	0
NICE	1728	1800	480	496	75	80	0	0
NIFC	0	0	16	15	2	4	0	0
SJV	0	0	910	910	88	88	36	36
UNA	0	0						
VPV	0	6	120	272	99	121	0	9
WIP	0	0	19	24	0	0	0	0
YAP-SJ	0	53	165	350	10	10	10	10
YFK	0	0	0	?	0	0	0	0
Total	1903	2072	1892	2523	285	308	46	58

< IN TOTAL >

9,087 volunteers (4,126 in 2006 and 4,961 in 2007) joined.



(Up: Incoming national volunteers/ Down: Incoming international volunteers)



3-2-2) Incoming international vols. (hosted from partners in other countries)

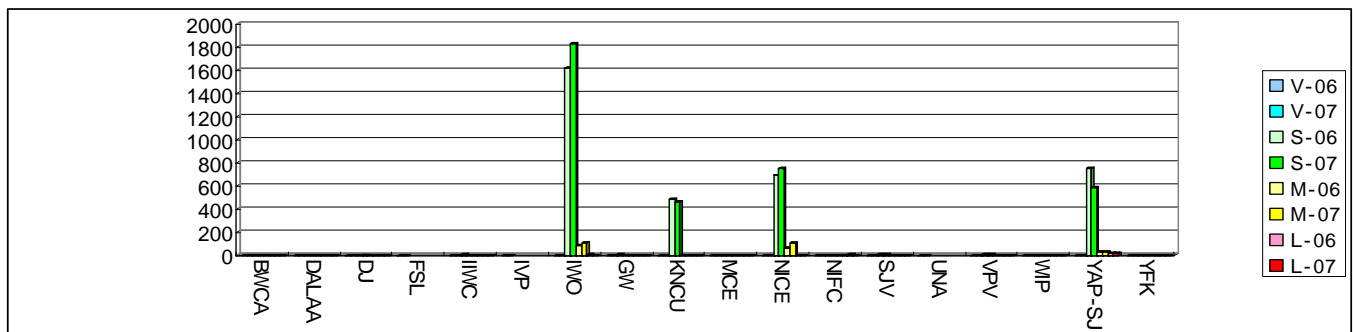
Org.	VSTV		STV		MTV		LTV	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
BWCA	0	0	0	5	0	2	0	0
DALAA	0	0	50	40	0	0	0	0
DJ	0	0	55	65	0	0	0	0
FSL	0	0	450	520	0	0	168	133
IIWC	23	21	85	136	10	17	0	0
IVP	0	0	29	16	0	0	0	0
IWO	0	0	98	94	36	21	0	0
GW	0	0	640	395	40	40	0	0
KNCU	0	0	91	91	0	0	0	0
MCE	0	0	230	294	0	0	0	0
NICE	@	@	258	268	19	21	0	0
NIFC	0	0	73	84	11	9	0	0
SJV	0	0	469	469	58	58	6	6
UNA	0	0						
VPV	0	0	450	450	45	45	8	8
WIP	0	0	35	56	0	0	0	0
YAP-SJ	0	0	788	876	40	40	25	25
YFK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	23	21	3249	3239	248	244	39	39

< IN TOTAL >
7,102 volunteers (3,559 in 2006 and 3,543 in 2007) joined.

3-2-3) Outgoing national vols. (sent to projects organized by the partners abroad)

Org.	VSTV		STV		MTV		LTV	
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
BWCA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DALAA	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
DJ	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0
FSL	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
IIWC	0	0	7	0	1	2	0	0
IVP	0	0	43	19	0	1	0	0
IWO	0	0	1613	1828	90	113	5	0
GW	0	0	10	2	0	0	0	0
KNCU	0	0	480	467	0	0	0	0
MCE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NICE	0	0	690	753	64	103	0	0
NIFC	0	0	5	2	0	0	4	1
SJV	0	0	7	7	2	2	0	0
UNA	0	0						
VPV	0	0	6	6	0	0	2	2
WIP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
YAP-SJ	0	0	750	580	35	35	15	15
YFK	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	3563	3646	192	255	28	18

< IN TOTAL >
7,702 volunteers (3,783 in 2006 and 3,919 in 2007) joined.



4) External relationship

NVDA maintained and developed good external relationship with the sister networks and international agencies, especially **CCIVS**, (global network of i.v.s. NGOs), **ALLIANCE** (European network of i.v.s. NGOs) and **ASEF** (Asia Europe Foundation) as you can see 4-1.

However, there are a lot of potential opportunities and partners we have been missing and NVDA needs to strengthen its function of external relationship more actively, especially with regional bodies of UN agencies, other NGO networks on specific theme, media, and so on.

4-1) International projects/ meetings NVDA presented

Date	Country	Name of event	Position	Organizer	Representative
28/02/06	Belgium	Inter-regional Coordination Meeting	Invited	CCIVS	Puji + 5 M
01-07/03/06	Belgium	Technical Meeting	2 ECM	ALLIANCE	Kai + 9 M
24-28/06/06	Vietnam	NAEV Conference	Invited	ASEF, CCIVS	Jinsu, Puji + ? M
17-23/10/06	Japan	Global Networking Conference	Invited	CCIVS, NICE	Ismi + 5 M
07/10-01/11/06	10 nations	AEYVE 2006	WG	ASEF, CCIVS	Puji + 7 M
02/11/06	Taiwan	Seminar on I.V.S. (1)	Speaker	VYA	Kai
09-15/12/06	Korea	Training for Trainers (1)	Coop.	ASEF, ALLIANCE	Puji + 5 M
05-11/03/07	Turkey	Technical Meeting	2 ECM	ALLIANCE	Kai + 9 M
26-31/05/07	Philippine	Training for Trainers (2)	Invited	ASEF, CCIVS	Puji + ? M
13/06/07	Taiwan	Seminar on I.V.S. (2)	Speaker	VYA	Kai
25-29/06/07	Korea	UNESCO Asian Youth Forum	Invited	KNCU	Ismi + 2 M
09/07/07	Singapore	Seminar on I.V.S. (3)	Speaker	X-Trekkers	Ismi, Kai
09/07/07	Singapore	Visit to ASEF & APEC	Invited	ASEF, APEC	Ismi, Kai
11/09-02/10/07	9 nations	AEYVE 2007	WG	ASEF, CCIVS	Puji + 8 M
01-07/12/07	Estonia	Training for Trainers (3)	Co-org.	ASEF, ALLIANCE	Puji, Yoshi, Jiyhe +4M

Position: 2 ECM = Had 2 EC meeting, WG = Joined Working Group, Coop. = Cooperated, Co-org. = Co-organized, Speaker = Made a speech Representative: M = Number of NVDA member organizations present

Inter-regional Coordination Meeting

(IIWC, IWO, NICE, UNA, YAP)

This ICM aimed to promote understanding and cooperation among regional networks & international NGOs, organized by CCIVS with strong initiative of its (and NVDA's) President (Kai) and cooperation of VIA (branch of SCI) at Het Luchtkasteel community near Tournai.

23 leaders from 17 countries joined on behalf of 10 networks. It was a historical moment of international voluntary service movement and also beneficial for NVDA that could create face-to-face relationship with its "sister" networks in other parts of the world!

Technical Meeting (TM) 2006

(FSL, GW, IIWC, IWO, KNCU, MCE, NICE, UNA, YAP)

TM is organized by ALLIANCE to provide a platform for international voluntary service NGOs to meet and develop partnership with partners in Europe and other parts of the world.

It had 120 participants from 66 NGOs in 37 countries and NVDA had a "2 ECs meeting" with ALLIANCE and presentation in the plenary.

NAEV Conference

(IIWC, IWO, NICE, SJV, VPV, YAP)

It was organized in Hanoi by ASEF and CCIVS, hosted by CYDECO, Vietnam. General Secretary (Puji) was invited as a representative from NVDA while Treasurer (Jinsu) was invited as a Vice President of CCIVS.

Global Networking Conference

(IIWC, IWO, NICE, UNA, YAP)

This was a follow up and more developed meeting of ICM, organized by CCIVS with strong initiative of its (and NVDA's) President (Kai) and hosted by NICE with sponsorship of Japan Foundation. 23 leaders from 11 countries on behalf of 14 networks worked to improve the qualities of projects, to promote global common actions and to join "Global Volunteering Fiesta" where over 200 Japanese youth and some guests from UNV and the embassies joined.

Secretariat (Ismi) represented NVDA and there were a lot of results such as the global guideline of exchanging volunteers.



AEYVE 2006 (GW, IIWC, IWO, NICE, SJV, VPV, YAP)

This Asia Europe Young Volunteers Exchange is organized by CCIVS and ASEF since 2001. 4 of 5 Working Group members were also NVDA members (Kai, Puji, Jinsu and Julien from YAP). 15 staff or active members from 13 NGOs in 11 countries had "job shadowing" (Asian to Europe and vice versa) for two weeks between Preparation and Evaluation Seminars in Paris.

Seminar on I.V.S. (1) (NICE, *VYA)

It was organized by VYA and President (Kai) presented NVDA and i.v.s. projects all over the world to over 120 Taiwanese youth who were very motivated and active.

Training for Trainers = TfT (1) (IIWC, IWO, NICE, SJV, VPV)

It was organized by ASEF, CCIVS and hosted by IWO to exchange practice of youth training among international youth NGOs. G. Secretary (Puji) represented NVDA there.

Technical Meeting (TM) 2007 (DJ, FSL, GW, IIWC, IWO, KNCU, NICE, YAP, UNA)

The aim is same as TM 2006 and NVDA had again 2 ECs meeting and presentation in plenary.

116 participants from 61 NGOs in 35 countries.



TfT (2) (IIWC, IWO, NICE, YAP)

It was mainly organized by ASEF and Philippine Youth Council in cooperation with CCIVS and ICYE. Puji was selected and invited as one of trainers on behalf of NVDA.

Seminar on I.V.S. (2) (NICE, *VYA)

Same as (1), Kai presented NVDA and i.v.s. projects to 80 Taiwanese youth. He also organized a workshop of future project plans in Taiwan where youth actively made various ideas such as protection of animals and teaching English to indigenous people.

UNESCO Asian Youth Forum (IIWC, KNCU)

It was organized by KNCU and Ismi was invited as NVDA representative. 47 participants from 47 universities, NGOs and National Commissions of UNESCO in 22 countries joined to discuss possible cooperation to promote international youth exchange.

Seminar on I.V.S. (3) (NICE, IIWC)

It was organized by XT, NVDA's contract partner. Kai and Ismi presented NVDA and i.v.s. projects to about 30 Singaporean youth.

Visit to ASEF & APEC (NICE, IIWC)

Kai and Ismi visited the offices of ASEF and APEC (Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation) where they fruitfully talked about cooperation.

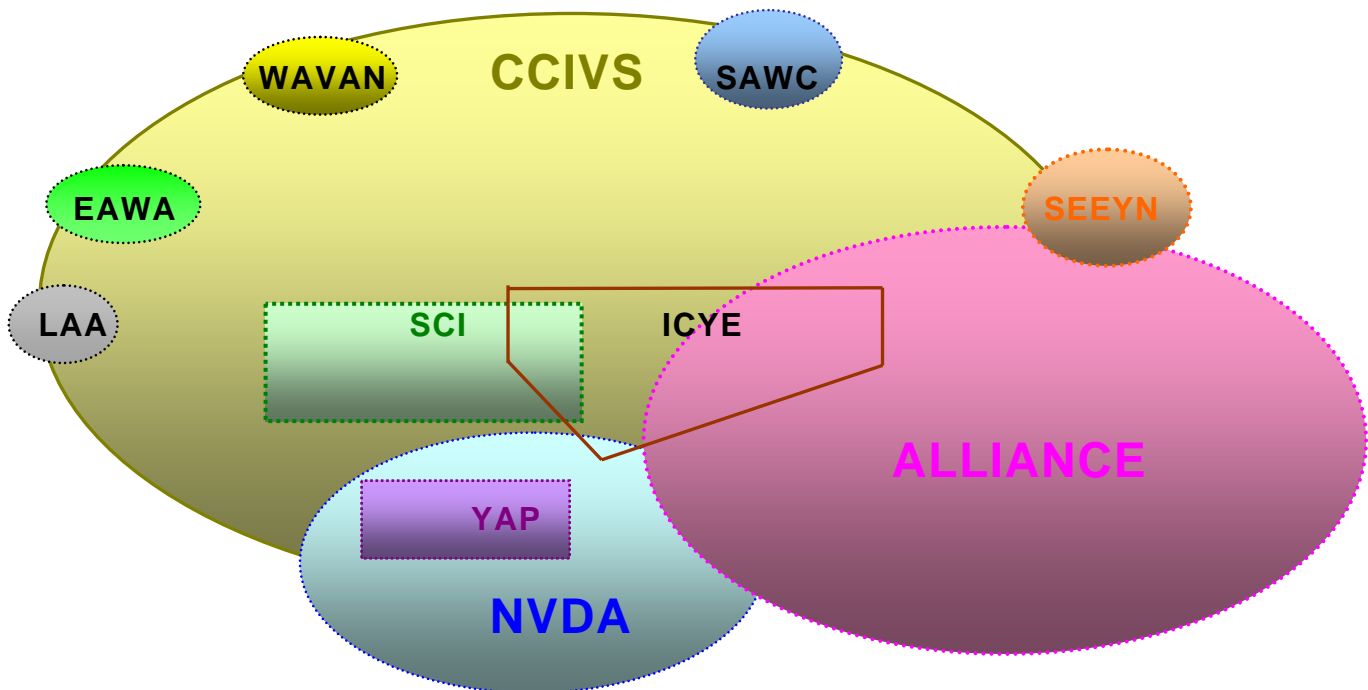
AEYVE 2007 (DJ, GW, IIWC, IWO, NICE, SJV, VPV, YAP)

Almost same as AEYVE 2006. 19 participants from 15 NGOs in 12 countries.

TfT (3) (IIWC, IWO, NICE, UNA)

It was organized by ASEF and ALLINCE, hosted by EST. Puji, Yoshi (NICE) and Jihye (IWO) were invited as trainers. 30 participants from 27 NGOs in 23 countries shared practice of active citizenship and tried street performance.

4-2) Network of i.v.s. NGOs all over the world



- 1) Short description, 2) How to be founded, 3) Number of members and their countries,
- 4) Secretariat and EC, 5) Main activities

NVDA (Network for Voluntary Development in Asia)

- 1) **Asian-Pacific network of international voluntary service NGO**
- 2) Founded in **1997** by 11 NGOs (9 Asian and 2 European)
- 3) **22 member** NGOs in **29 countries** (21 national in 16 countries + 1 international in 13 countries)
- 4) **1 paid/ full time** staff. **5 EC** members. General Secretary is moving.
- 5) * Organizing TNW (Training & Networking workcamp) with General Assembly every 2 years, Annual Meeting every 2 years and sometimes NVDA Special workcamps.
- * Organizing Asian common actions on forests, water, disadvantaged children, etc.
- * Quality improvement by LMTV Seminars, TtT with ASEF, Opening fiancé, evaluation scheme, etc.
- * Publishing guidebooks of international voluntary exchange.
- * Sending volunteers from where there are no workcamp organizations.

CCIVS (Coordinating Committee for International Voluntary Service)

- 1) **Global network of international voluntary service NGOs** cooperating with UNESCO
- 2) Founded in **1948** by UNESCO and some workcamp NGOs like SCI and YAP
- 3) **107 member** NGOs (37 in Europe and 18 in Asia) + 200 branches of Members, in **94 countries**.
- 4) **2 full time** staff plus 1-2 LTVs in UNESCO building, Paris. **8 EC** members.
- 5) * Organizing training/ networking seminars for member NGOs
- * Organizing pilot workcamps in conflict areas or countries where there are no projects
- * Promoting exchange of vols. among member NGOs by Solidarity Fund, etc.
- * A EVE Project with ASEF, Participation Program with UNESCO, etc.
- * Attending international conferences of UN agencies, etc.
- * Publishing guidebooks of how to train leaders, cooking recipe, etc.
- * Organizing global common actions such as World Peace campaign in 2000.

ALLIANCE (of European Voluntary Service Organizations)

- 1) **European based network of international voluntary service NGO**
- 2) Founded in **1982** by 10 (non-SCI/ non-YAP) European NGOs
- 3) **44 member NGOs in 29 countries** (no international NGOs).
- 4) **2 paid/ half time** staff. General Secretary is moving. **6 EC** members
- 5) * Organizing Technical Meeting in Mar., General Assembly/ Conference in Nov., Post Camp Event in Jan. and Training For Trainers/ Study sessions sometimes
 - * Running some WGs for Staff development, Accessibility, etc.
 - * Publishing guidebooks of how to exchange volunteers, etc.

SCI (Service Civil International)

- 1) **Oldest** and one of the biggest workcamp NGOs mainly in Europe and Asia
- 2) Founded in **1920** to start international workcamps in human history
- 3) **30 branches** (21 Euro, 8 Asia, 1 US) in **27 countries** plus 6 Groups/ 4 Contacts
- 4) 50-100 paid staffs including 3-4 of international secretariats in Brussels. Some IEC members.
- 5) * Main activities of branches are organizing international workcamps (+ LMTV).
 - * There are some coordination like inviting Asian, African and Latin American vols.
 - * Some WGs by activists such as research on peace achievement, Balkan cooperation, etc.

YAP (Youth Action for Peace)

- 1) **Second oldest** and one of the biggest workcamp NGOs mainly in Europe
- 2) Founded in **1923** in France and Germany (it was Christian Movement for Peace till 94)
- 3) **12 branches in 12 countries** (Mexico, Palestine + Europe) plus 3+@ Associate groups
- 4) 30-50 paid staffs including 2 (+1 LTV) international sec. in Brussels. 5 SC members.
- 5) * Main activities of branches are organizing international workcamps (+ LMTV).
 - * Organizing training and seminars
 - * Promoting Peace and Development Education

ICYE (International Cultural Youth Exchange)

- 1) One of the biggest international NGOs mainly for **LMTV** exchange internally
- 2) Founded in **1949** for exchange between US and Germany. I“C”YE was “Christian”.
- 3) **35 branches in 35 countries** in all continents
- 4) 50-100 paid staffs including international sec. in Berlin. 4 members in Board of Managers.
- 5) * Main activities of branches are organizing LMTV.
 - * Organizing training and seminars

< Other regional networks of international voluntary service NGOs >

SEEYN: South East European Youth Network

LAA: Latin American Alliance of voluntary service organizations

EAWA: Eastern African Workcamps Association

SAWC: South African Workcamps Cooperation

WAVAN: West African Voluntary Action Network

5) Structure and other works

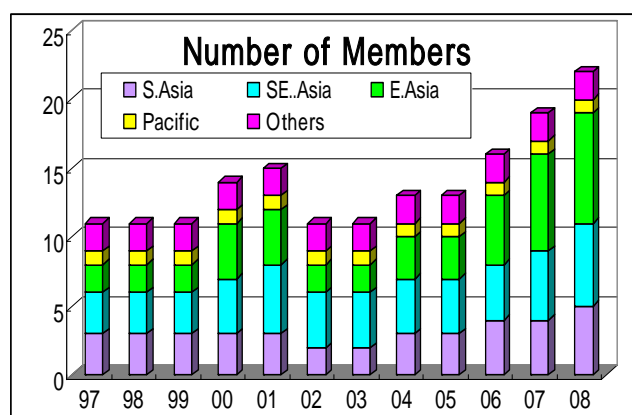
5-1) Membership

5-1-1. Affiliation/ Disaffiliation

6 new members were affiliated in 2006-7; SJV Vietnam, VPV Vietnam, YFK Iran (all Jan. 2006), DALAA Thailand (Jan. 2007), DJ Indonesia (Mar. 2007), VYA Taiwan (Dec. 2007). IVP Australia once lost membership but rejoined.

So, NVDA has 16 full and 3 associate members that is the biggest number in its 10 years history! Then, 3 other new full members were affiliated on 19 Jan. 2008, a day before the 7th General Assembly; JIA China, RUCHI India and EYES Philippines, so 22 members in total.

Year	97-99	00	01	02-03	04-05	06	07	08
Total	11	14	15	11	13	16	19	22



* 4 of 11 founding members (ACYF China, KYDO Cambodia, SCI India and VYF Vietnam were disaffiliated in 2001 because of no communication and no payment of membership fee).

5-1-2. Involvement of the members

As usual for any other organizations, there were quite a big difference of members involvement in the common actions, daily communication and other tasks inside NVDA.

The below list is just one trial to see activeness of NVDA membership for some particular points.

Org.	Attend R.N.P.					Start	Improving qualities			CA	Sta	Link	Action point	Rate	Total point	ML
	6T	SM	SW	AM	7T		AEVTP	EoC	OF							
BWCA	P	-			P		-	Yes		2	Yes		6 / 17	35%	6	2
DALAA	-	-	-		P		P					Yes	3 / 16	19%	3	2
DJ	-	-	-	P	P								2 / 16	13%	2	1
FSL	P	-		P		Yes		Yes		1			5 / 18	28%	5	3
GW				P	P				Yes			Yes	4 / 19	21%	4	4
IIWC	H	P	H	P	P		O, H	Yes	Yes	8	Yes	Yes	18 / 19	95%	26	3
IVP							-			1			1 / 19	5%	1	2
IWO	P	H	P	P	P	Yes			Yes	1	Yes		9 / 19	47%	11	6
KNCU	P		P	P	P			Yes		1			6 / 19	32%	6	6
MCE	P	-			P				Yes	3		-	6 / 17	35%	6	1
NICE	C	P	P	P	C	Yes	O, H, P	Yes	Yes	7	Yes	Yes	18 / 19	95%	26	7
NIFC		-			P		-			2			3 / 17	18%	3	4
SJV	P	P	P		H		H, P		Yes	2		Yes	9 / 19	47%	13	3
UNA				P			O			2		Yes	5 / 19	26%	7	2
VPV	P	P			H		O, H, P		Yes	1			6 / 19	32%	12	3
WIP	P				P					2		Yes	5 / 19	26%	5	2
YAP				P	P		O, H		Yes		Yes	Yes	6 / 19	32%	10	4
YFK	P	-					-					-	1 / 16	6%	1	1
Total	11	5	5	9	14	3	7	5	8	34	5	8	113/326	35%		

* H = Hosted, C = Co-organized, O = Organized, P = Participated

* R.N.P = Regular Networking Project (6T = 6th TNW, SM = Special Meeting, SW = NVDA Special Workcamp, AM = Annual Meeting, 7T = 7th TNW), Start = Started projects in new countries, EoC = use the form of Evaluation of Cooperation, OF = submitted Opening Finance form, CA = Common Actions, Sta = submitted statistics, Link = Made a link from their site to NVDA, ML = no. of e-addresses registered in NVDA Mailing list

* Total point: Added 2 points for hosting/ organizing/ co-organizing R.N.P and AEVTP

* - = No chance to do it because they were not in ASEM countries or because they were not members yet

5-2) Secretariat

* See the **Secretariat Report** for more details.

IIRC (General Secretary) recruited and appointed a new Secretariat, **Ismi NOVIA** who was an active member of IIRC, **since Apr. 2006**.

It was fortunately **effective and strong** that Puji (First full time NVDA Secretariat from Apr. 2004 to Mar. 2006) became a coordinator of IIRC and could instruct/ work with Ismi.



IIRC has offered a **lot of contribution** to the work of NVDA Secretariat such as an office space, a computer, internet connection, a copy machine, stationary and even some volunteers!

Secretariat **worked hard and well** for NVDA together with the EC and other members, especially, Puji and President (Kai).

Her **main task** was;

- a) **Daily communication** (inquiry, membership applications, consultation with the EC, etc.)
- b) **Conducting Sending Volunteers Project** (advertisement, placement, evaluation, etc.)
- c) **Accounting of the NVDA finance**
- d) **Promotion of NVDA Common Actions**
- e) **External presentation**

Some **highlights** of particular events are;

- * Apr. 06: **Started** working in the office
- * Oct.-Nov. 06: **Internship in Japan** with CCIWS International Solidarity Fund mainly for skill development of placement work and development of the infrastructure/ information to send NVDA volunteers. Also, **joined Global Networking Conference** by CCIWS & NICE.
- * Feb. 07: **Ran NVDA Special Workcamp** in Jogjakarta as an organizer and a camp leader.
- * Jun.-Jul. 07: Invited to **UNESCO Asian Youth Forum** by KNCU as a NVDA representative. Then, visited KNCU and IWO and finally visited Singapore to have a **meeting with ASEF, APEC and X-Trekkers** with Kai (President).

5-3) Executive Committee

Three EC meetings were held physically

- * On 06 Mar. 2006 in Belgium (during TM) by Jihye (IWO), Puji (IIRC), Baatar (MCE) and Kai (NICE)
- * On 10 Mar. 2007 in Turkey (during TM) by Jinsu (IWO), Puji (IIRC), Susana (FSL) and Kai (NICE).

Many other necessary topics were discussed and decided by e-EC meetings such as

- * **Approval membership** of DALAA and YVA
- * **Maximum & minimum number of e-addresses** that can be included in the mailing list
- * **Approval of some expense** such as a small part of internship cost of Ismi in Japan, 2006

It has to be pointed that **one EC member** (FSL India) **had serious lack of communication and involvement** by their own internal problems and even dismissal of EC membership was considered. Also, there are quite much difference of being active for their roles or not, among 4 other EC members.

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5-3-1. President

- **KAIZAWA Shinichiro, NICE Japan**



1. Overall management of the organization.

2. Projects

- * Plan, prepare, fundraise and run 7th TNW with other co-organizers.
- * Coordinated NVDA Special workcamp from Japanese side with Miwa (staff of NICE)
- * Plan, prepare and run 4th Annual Meeting.
- * Started a workcamp in Taiwan with VYA in 07.
- * Organized AEVTP project as a main organizer.
- * Made infrastructure and info. tools of sending volunteers project as well as a contract with VYA and co-organizing promotion meetings.

- * Made and promoted Introduction of common actions as well as conducting most of all actions with other members and NVDA team in NICE, such as twice of Sister Orphanage Workcamp (as a camp leader, fundraiser and organizer), Sister Forest NGOs (organizer), Eco-candles and Notebook Action (both advisor), Acrylic Sponge (promoter), etc.

3. External Relationship

- * Presentation, partnership development, facilitation, speech in many international projects and meetings (see the previous pages).

4. Structure

- * Communicate with members (advise, etc.) and tried to activate their involvement in the actions.
- * Promoting new membership before the TNW.
- * Train/ supervise Secretariat including hosting her internship in Japan in 2006.
- * Lead EC communication and discussion.
- * Supervise and even join NVDA team in NICE.
- * Started a NVDA mailing list and maintain partly.
- * Made, revise and update NVDA Website.
- * Made, revise and update NVDA Leaflet.

5. Finance

- * Helped to make financial report and plan.
- * Offered a bank account.
- * Help some parts of accounting such as receiving membership fee through NICE vols.
- * Contributed some to NVDA finance.

5-3-2. General Secretary

- Pujiarti, IIRC Indonesia



General overview.

The position of the General Secretary which was mandated since January 2006 gave me personally a new responsibility as well as opportunities to represent the network in some special events for the international voluntary services events. It was very great honor for me to hold the positions, even it was not really easy as well. Generally speaking, the task of the General Secretary is to maintain the secretariat in accordance with the daily administrative works if the network. There were some events that

especially I organized, attended and or was representing NVDA. Those were:

1. The 1st NAEVY organized by ASEF, CCIWS and CYDECO Vietnam as the facilitator
2. To be part of the preparation team of the AEVVE project 2006-2007 organized by CCIWS and ASEF.
3. To be the part of the working group of AEVTP project organized by ASEF, NVDA and NICE.
4. To be host of the special volunteers for the AEVTP project in the Indonesian workcamp.
5. To host NVDA special workcamp in the relief project in Jogjakarta after the earthquake stroke Indonesia.
6. To be a participant of the Alliance TFT on Intercultural Learning and Non Formal Education organized by ASEF in Korea.
7. To be part of the trainers in the TFT on Intercultural learning organized by ASEF and National Youth Council of the Philippines.
8. To be part of the trainers of TFT on Exploring Dimension of Understanding and participation organized by ASEF, Alliance and NVDA.
9. To be part of the Sister orphanage Workcamp organize on August 2007 in Mongolia.
10. To manage the daily administrative work of the network as well as implemented the working and budget plans during 2 years period.
11. Attending the annual meeting and EC meeting in every meeting possible.
12. Being actively involved in the communication among EC members.

Evaluation

The overall work of the Secretariat, especially managing the daily administrative work like collecting statistics, progress of the activities of the members, promoting common actions and activities, etc really depends on the active participation and involvement of the members. The fact that there is a big question concerning the motivation and interests of each organization to be part of the network regarding to the low involvement and participation, was the main difficulty as well as biggest challenge that we should think about together. It was really hard to conduct the role as the General Secretary and to function the secretariat maximumly because of the problem highlighted above.

It will be very nice though to consider again the initial motivation and interest to be part of the network and try together to improve the situation within NVDA.

5-3-3. Vice President

for recruiting new members

- MYAGMARJAV Enkhbaatar, MCE
Mongolia



No report available.

5-3-4. Vice President

for fundraising

- Rakesh S. Soans, FSL India



No report available.

5-3-5. Treasurer

- YOM Jinsu, IWO Korea



No report available.

5-4) NVDA teams

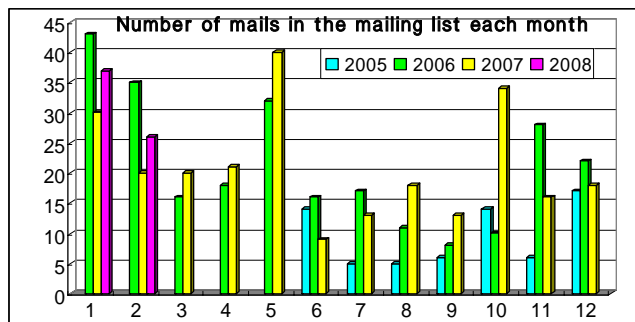
NVDA teams are set up related to the common action of NVDA in **IIRC** and **NICE** which members worked a lot mainly for promotion of Common Actions such as Notebook Action, Eco-Candle and promotion of Acrylic sponges.

Members can set up the NVDA teams by the active involvement of the volunteers or members.

5-5) Communication

Mailing list for the member organization was **started in Jun. 2005** and it has been utilized quite well for sending some important information of each NGO and the whole NVDA as well as exchanging some points of views for NVDA.

The maximum number of the addresses on organization can register was 5 (and 1 in minimum) in the beginning, but has been changed to 8 (and 2 in minimum) since 2007.



5-6) Publication

5-6-1. NVDA Website

Was **re-started** NVDA website in **Mar. 2006** by a lot of efforts of **President** with some technical help of **NICE** (offering server space, etc.). This has made quite big difference for external presentation of NVDA including inquiries. It is updated every few months.

However, it should have **more amount and types of contents** especially from the members.

5-6-2. NVDA Newsletter

There was **no newsletter** published as decided in the 5th General Assembly, Jan. 2006.

However, there is an idea of reviving it for promotion and better communication, but involvement of members to support the secretariat with information or articles to be published is necessary.

5-6-3. NVDA Leaflet

It was **quite frequently updated** and well presented in the seminars, projects, etc.

6) Finance

6-1) Report from Treasurer (modified)

In general, the 2006-07 finance of NVDA is in **better situation** than previous years although the whole budget is not that big.

6-1-1. Membership fee

Last two years, fortunately the all members paid the membership fee and it became 2% of the whole income. It seems that 2% does not seem big part of the finance but it is big part, if we put aside the members' contribution and the project based income go to the project and the specific destination to be used.

6-1-2. Sending volunteers

The income through the sending volunteer scheme brought **big part of the NVDA income** last years. The amount was 1,905 USD in 2006 and 3,875 USD in 2007 (NVDA sent 17 in 2006 and 32 in 2007). The participation fee is 150 USD for the first comer and 120 USD for the coming back volunteers.

6-1-3. Members contribution and Project fund

Members' contribution 15,125 USD was **78%** of the whole budget in 2006. Members' contribution and Project fund, 95,314 USD was **79%** in 2007. It was contributed only for specific purpose to be used. So, it was not the contribution for the general finance of NVDA. Main items were the contribution for TNW/GA and SOW and AEVTP.

6-1-4. Suggestion

Change of the items: Some part of items were **not necessary** to be in the financial table as there was no income and no actions and no necessity. So, '**fundraising**' can be put in '**donation**' and '**members' loan**' is not necessary as NVDA finance is better and no necessity of big loan is foreseen.

6-1-5. Conclusion

The finance of NVDA is getting better and if we can find better management and more income resources, we can make the finance better!

6-2) Financial Results 2006-2007

Income	2002-03	2004-05	2006	2007	Total		Budget
A. Membership fee	1,597	1,700	2,235	300	2,535	2%	3,100
B. Donation	0	100	0	0	0	0%	420
C. Sending volunteers	0	300	1,905	3,875	5,780	4%	18,000
D. Fund raising	0	32	0	0	0	0%	350
E. Bank interest	6	0	24	24	48	0%	0
F. Participation fee	0	0	0	0	0	0%	1,000
G. Members contribution	23,200	21,905	15,125	95,314	110,439	79%	20,000
H. Members loan	0	1,500	0	0	0	0%	0
I. Project grant	0	0	0	21,576	21,576	15%	0
TOTAL	24,803	25,537	19,289	121,089	140,378		42,870
SURPLUS	1,603	132	1,398	3,079	4,477		0

Expense	2002-03	2004-05	2,006	2007	Total		Budget
A. Projects and actions	23,000	20,086	15,000	117,010	132,010	97%	36,350
A1. Regular Networking Projects	23,000	20,086	2,000	1,150	3,150	2%	35,000
A1-1. TNW & GA (hosting)	0	15,000	2,000	0	2,000	1%	15,000
A1-2. Seminars & AM	20,000	2,086	0	450	450	0%	15,000
A1-3. NVDA workcamp	3,000	3,000	0	700	700	1%	5,000
A2. Starting in new countries	0	0	0	0	0	0%	675
A3. Improvement of qualities	0	0	0	101,740	101,740	75%	0
A4. Sending volunteers	0	0	0	120	120	0%	0
A5. Common actions	0	0	13,000	14,000	27,000	20%	675
A5- 1. Sister Orphanage Workcamp	0	0	13,000	14,000	27,000	20%	0
A5-2. Others	0	0	0	0	0	0%	675
B. External relationship	0	0	0	0	0	0%	1,000
C. Structural management	200	5,320	1,391	1,000	2,391	2%	5,520
C1. Secretariat	200	4,668	1,391	1,000	2,391	2%	2,520
C1-1. Salary of Secretariat	200	1,470	960	960	1,920	1%	1,920
C1-2. Communication	0	340	240	40	280	0%	480
C1-3. Copy	0	130	0	0	0	0%	120
C1-4. Office	0	60	0	0	0	0%	0
C1-5. Staff development	0	2,668	191	0	191	0%	0
C2. Executive Committee	0	652	0	0	0	0%	3,000
D. Loan/ debt Payment	0	0	1,500	0	1,500	1%	0
TOTAL	23,200	25,405	17,891	118,010	135,901		42,870

