



Environment & Us – Rotary 360°

Rapla Rotary Club 2021–2025

Empowering Local Youth Through Dialogue

The Trigger

- Growing concern about environmental health and climate change
- Scientific reports and increasing media attention
- Youth movements such as Fridays for Future
- The need for balanced, fact-based discussion

AME PLANEEDIL MAA
U JÄÄDA!

KLIIMA SOOJENEMINE

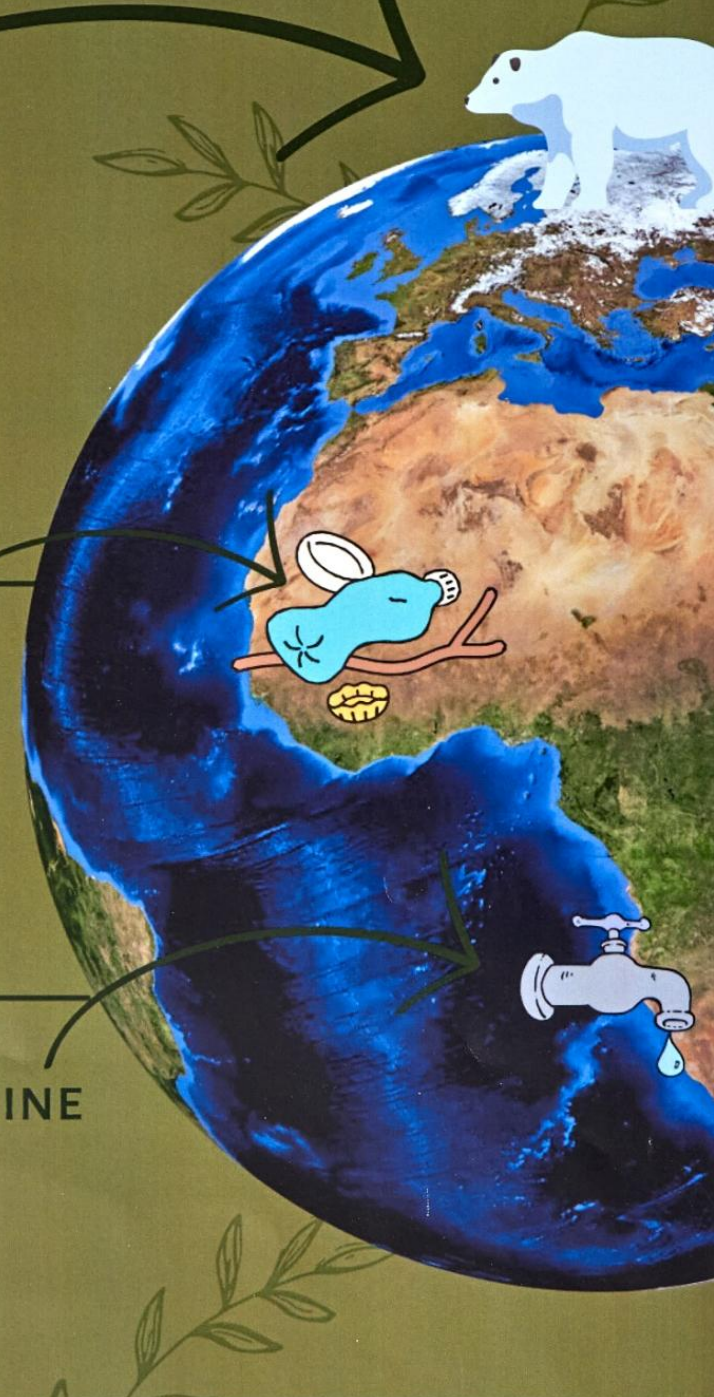
Hoiame kokku, liigume kütust
kasutamata ja ärme lubame
liustike sulamisel maailma üle
ujutada ning meie haruldastel
liikidel välja surra!

LÕODUSE REOSTUMINE

Ega see prügi sorteerimine nii
suur vaev ka ole, võtame
ennast kokku ning teeme
koik, et meie lapsed
prügimägede vahel ei peaks
elama

RESSURSSIDE VÄHENEMINE

Ressursid hakkavad otsa
saama, varsti ei jätku enam
toorainet, et toota meile meie
armastatuid tooteid (telefone,
brändiriideid, vett)



The Challenge

- Heated and emotional debates
- Fanatical or extreme positions
- Slow government decision-making
- Increasing polarization in society



The Rotary Response

- Creating a neutral platform for dialogue
- Providing a 360° perspective
- Promoting a rational and proportionate approach
- Actively involving youth (ages 15–18)



Our 360° Method

- Examining issues from multiple angles
- Integrating economy, science, ethics, and society
- Balancing technology with responsibility
- Listening to youth feedback



Focus by Year

- 2021 – Environment 360°
- 2022 – Confrontations with the Environment
- 2023 – Perspectives from Different Angles
- 2024 – Dark Green vs. Light Green
- 2025 – Environment as the Designer of Our Lives



Youth Creativity and Ideas

- Approximately 30 contributions (2023–2025)
- Essays, paintings, poetry, videos, and drawings
- Artistic visions reflecting environmental responsibility



Dialogue in Action

- Expert speakers and scientists
- Interactive discussions and engagement
- Youth participation through Kahoot sessions
- Recognition and award ceremonies



Supporting Young Authors

- Ten selected works presented to the public
- A charity auction supporting young creators
- Art as a meaningful and responsible gift
- Encouraging long-term environmental awareness



Impact and Long-Term Vision

- Balanced environmental thinking
- Dialogue instead of conflict
- Development of young leaders
- Strengthening civic responsibility





We are getting older.

Let us make the world younger.

Rapla Rotary – District 1420

Creating Responsible Leaders for Tomorrow