

Fête de la Biodiversité in Montpellier



Every year, the city of Montpellier-France celebrates biodiversity through an event called “la fête de la biodiversité”. It takes place at the centre of the town during two days (21st and 22nd of may). The aim of these days is the meeting of local actors for biodiversity and the inhabitants.

These local actors are research centers, associations, instituts and of course, the municipal team. This year, forty partners were present.



Through conferences, workshops for adults and children, exhibitions, we try to demonstrate the role of the city to foster biodiversity.



The city parks garden board and the zoological park have built a ship to be reminiscent of scientific expeditions during the 19th century. Behind this ship, the gardeners have presented mediterranean plants from all the continents.



During these two days, about one thousand primary students and two thousand citizens have visited and participated at this event.



And before this event, a meeting (the 20th of may) with one hundred green areas managers, landscape designers, and scientifics had taken place in Montpellier about “Cities and biodiversity: Local actions”.