**Biodiversity Picnic in Hungary**

The biodiversity Picnic in Hungary was organized by CEEweb. The biodiversity picnic took place on July 3; on a boat circling on the Danube. Among 50 participants there were representatives from local governmental bodies, ministries, NGOs, academic institutions, as well as from the media. Guests were informed about the important role of biodiversity and sustainability plays in our well-being, as well as about local initiatives to preserve our natural heritage.

After getting some insights in relevant biodiversity issues, participants were invited for organic lunch and fair trade coffee. During the informal discourse quests took the opportunity to fill in the Biodiversity Picnic quiz, as well as to send a message about why biodiversity is so essential for our own well-being. The best results were awarded by organic basket and book of biodiversity tales.

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