

LITTLE PHILATELIC WORKSHOP: CROATIAN YOUTH PHILATELY AT BRASILIANA 2013



During the preparation visit to the World Philatelic Exposition BRASILIANA 2013 members of the Mala radionica filatelije (Little Philatelic Workshop) of the Philatelic Club Zagreb come to idea of presentation Croatian youth philately in Rio. So we made a Project “Croatian Youth greets Brazil” during the BRASILIANA 2013 which was supported by Croatian Post.

Our project was gladly accepted by the Organizers of the BRASILIANA 2013 and the Brazilian Post and included:

- Gift for every young exhibitors at exhibition
- Special Prize
- Philatelic Quiz.



last exhibition hall was a separate area for young children where were presented philately posters depicting Croatian stamps interesting young people: pets, shoemaker Hlapić youth literature hero, fungi, amphibians and Don Bosco.

On the first day of the presentation of Croatian children philately was attended by more than 140 children, look and ask us about our stamps at the posters. Introductory by Elizabeth Maud, coordinator of the Brazilian Post for children, explained them that we come from Europe and where it is Croatia. Željka Librić, leader of the Little Philatelic Workshop, welcomed them on behalf of young Croatian philatelists but in the Croatian language, in order to heard little bit of language we spoken. We were very satisfied with the interest of children for Croatian stamps. Every child got stamps bookmarks and various stamps leaflets.



For the second day we prepared a little Quiz about Croatian stamps of flora and fauna, where our small Brazilian



youth small Brazilian stamps collectors, as their teachers and parents again in the Croatian language.

For the presentation of Croatian children philately and Little Philatelic Workshop we received only words of praise of the small Brazilian stamp collectors and their teacher, coordinator of the Brazilian Post Mrs. Elizabeth Maud and Organizers. Thus, the President of the FIP Tay Peng Hian and member of the organizing committee of the World Youth Exhibition MALAYSIA 2014 Chee Tan Hui invited us to attend the exhibition with same.

A special award went to Indonesia for youth exhibit "Postal Stationery Netherlands India 1874 to 1900" which received Kirana Nurul.



friends, and there were over 50, had to identify the animal or plant and enter answers. The text of the quiz was translated into Portuguese. In this way, we wanted to get kids more closely acquainted with Croatian stamps and with our flora and fauna. Their efforts are awarded with stamps and propaganda leaflet of Don Bosco stamp (who is very famous in Brazil), olympic charity stamps and bookmarks. Like the previous day, we welcomed

And three Croatian exhibitors at BRASILIANA 2013 were satisfied with large silver and silver medals in Group A. and silver in Group B. For our young member and exhibitor Maša Lipovac beside medal BRASILIANA 2013 will be great experience in her future philatelic work.



On the end what we can say except that whole our project of presentation Croatian youth philately in Rio was successful.



Željka Librić