

# Форум ЗАРЕДИ ПРОМЯНА

"Someone's sitting in the shade today because someone planted a tree a long time ago." Warren Buffett

## Grapes and Wine Brestovitca village

### EMPOWERED

In 2012 the second edition of "Grapes and Wine" Festival was held in Brestovitca village. The aim of the first edition was to promote Brestovitca and the region as a tourist destination, one of the stops in the "wine route" and one of the regions with best grapes - wine and dessert grape varieties. Within the last edition of the festival, stands with grafted grape vines, souvenirs, shara, sweet sausage and grape jam were arranged. Also, about 600 kg. of dessert grape was sold, and 3 500 kg of wine grape was negotiated for sale. In support of these activities was designed a web site of Brestovitca [www.brestovitsa.net](http://www.brestovitsa.net) it is already operational and allowed a year round negotiation and contracting with local producers.



### CHANGE TO HAPPEN

The first two editions made the people of Brestovitca feel the benefits of the initiative – the negotiated and realized sales of grapes and other grape products. Thus, they want to continue in this direction and enhance the scope and the character of the festival – developing the community supported agriculture with provision of products from the region – raisins, grape jam, vine leaves as well as to develop their local brand. What is needed? Besides, funds for the preparation of the event support (financial or with products) is needed for: open air stage (size 10/8 m), 50 folding chairs and 20 folding tables.