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Sponsorship Agreement between Camptocamp-Association and Fondation Petzl

<u>Camptocamp-Association</u> and Fondation Petzl have signed a sponsorship agreement to update the <u>www.camptocamp.org</u> website. The common goal is to provide better technical and risk management information to the mountaineering community.

The mission of Camptocamp-Association is to facilitate information exchange among mountaineers. By updating www.camptocamp.org, we aim to support mountaineers to better manage risks by providing:

- An incidents and "almost-accidents" database for the study of mountain accidents.
- An online encyclopedia of technical expertise for mountain activities.

With this goal in mind, Camptocamp-Association approached Fondation Petzl to take advantage of its experience in the study of mountain accidents, its technical expertise and its financial support.

The new version of the www.camptocamp.org website is planned for release in 2016.

In agreement with the principles of independence and editorial neutrality linked to its statutes, Camptocamp-Association remains the project owner and so guarantees that www.camptocamp.org will continue to be managed in the best interest of its users.

Camptocamp-Association is a nonprofit organization, entirely managed by volunteers who do not receive any compensation, monetary or in kind. Its only goal is to facilitate the exchange of information among mountaineers, in accordance to the following principles: community spirit, sustainable development, free licenses, independence and editorial neutrality. To this end, Camptocamp-Associaton provides a website, www.camptocamp.org, which has more than 30,000 mountain route descriptions and over 40,000 registered members.

Fondation Petzl promotes actions in favor of sustainable development, both in France and abroad, which prioritize education and prevention of risks linked to "vertical" activities. It supports nonprofit organizations working, particularly, in the three domains of creating awareness about safety, preserving the natural environment, and supporting fundamental research. www.fondation-petzl.org

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