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## Newsletter

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Dear Friends and Donors,

"To the tenth year!"

We would like to thank each and every one of you for almost ten years of solidarity with us and support for the project. For having accompanied us on this journey: our protégés, boys and girls, our co-workers and friends all along. We have also survived two difficult years of the pandemic together.

Shirish and Manoj passed their final exam in the 10th grade in April. After three short weeks of holidays, the new school year begins next week. We have decided to continue to support Shirish and Manoj and stand by their side also outside of the Guttahalli children's home, now in Bangalore in their 11th grade at the PUC (Pre-University College)

Gangotri is now in her 12th grade at the PUC. The other girls, Megha, Anu, Shruti, Madhu and Afyia, continue to attend the junior and middle levels of the Sri Datta Sai International School. The important tenth Graduation year at this school begins next week also for the six boys from our children's home. And then there are also Thomas, Harish and Emmanuel, today in classes 7. and 8. of the Sri Datta Sai International School.







School fees are due by the end of the month. Unfortunately, due to the additional costs and expenses for medicines, renovations, repairing the recent storm damage and, above all, the drastic increase in the prices of food, electricity, gas and petrol, we are still short of almost €4,000 to pay the school fees this spring. We are aware that all of us here in Europe have had to face many financial challenges associated with the pandemic of our own, and yet many of you have helped us enormously during that time. We would like to THANK YOU once again for that!

Today, with the beginning of the new school year, we are making a heartfelt appeal to you, for, if possible, an additional financial support for the current financial outlay after the pandemic.

In June I'm going to Guttahalli myself and will bring the children another laptops that you have donated. For the autumn we are still very interested in further laptop donations, as we continue to replace the devices in Guttahalli in the winter. For these gifts, too, we thank you FROM THE BOTTOM OF OUR HEARTS!

## "Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world!"

(Nelson Mandela)







Shruti and Madhu



Megha and Anu

... and Afyia in the middle





Birthday of Harish











A day in a cinema in March



Recent storm and power line damage early May 2022







After two turbulent Corona years, Manoj and Shirish have passed the final exams after the 10th class! Celebrating the end of the school year in the Aquapark on 15th April 2022















We wish you, your friends and families ALL THE BEST!

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