

Newsletter January 2020



Namaste friends! First of all, the members of the board of H4oN, wish you a very beautiful and meaningful 2020!

In this newsletter

we look back on the past autumn. In 2019, thanks to the work of and by our sponsors, we were given the opportunity to help 547 children with school supplies.

Thank you!! or धन्यवाद !!

We carried out various scholarship projects in Bara, Dhading, Kagati and Listikot. In addition to the scholarships, we were also able to help enormously with the "special projects such as the" school lunch "in Dhading, the feast in Bara and" ecobeekeeping".

As for the projects in Bara, Dhading and the Vajra Academy, the sponsors who were on the spot posted a report on our Face-book page.

Bara



We adopted this village, located on the Indian border, and were able to make a difference for 224 children towards a possibly better future.

This concerns

children of parents who work in the cement and clothing industry; the so-called "untouchables".

Our first objective is making education

possible for the poorest children in Nepal by providing scholarships. But sometimes we notice that extra help is



needed, such as buying a water tank in Bara.

Dhading

Here we were able to help 123 children



with school supplies, clothes and shoes. In the spring of 2019, we came to the shocking discovery in the village of Dhading that the reason for going to school is mainly

that children are given a meal at school! Their parents simply have no money for food. The school is now trying to provide

meals, because learning is difficult on an empty stomach. Thanks to various sponsors,



we were able to buy cookers, plates, cutlery and raw materials in addition to school supplies and clothing, so the children now have one meal on school days.

Emergency call

We had just returned from Nepal when we

received an emergency call. One of the poor children from the start up class had broken his leg in the schoolyard. H4oN was able to reimburse the medical costs for the recovery.





Eco-Beekeeping Nepal

Another special project for which we use our knowledge and experience is the "Eco-

beekeeping" experiment at the Vajra Academy. The Vajra Academy is the first official



ecological school in Nepal. Together with parents, teachers and the director Udit Bhatta, we intend giving a beekeeping course with a local beekeeper. Five hives will be placed, and 25 children will be trained who can eventually sell the extracted honey. In their turn, they can use the proceeds to support a number of other school children.

Want to come along yourself ...?

It is special noticing how involved and enthusiastic you are in giving

schoolchildren the opportunity to receive an education. This year, thanks to your gifts, spontaneous actions, contributions in a material and non-material sense we were able to help more than 500 children

But have you ever thought about going to Nepal yourself? Want to experience nature and culture? Making the difference on the spot by delivering the scholarships yourself? We are happy to inform you about the possibilities. This fall or next year....

In 2020

In 2020, attention will mainly be paid to the village as a whole community and as a result more customization will be delivered within the schools. The focus has shifted from access to education (quantity of children) to the needs of the community in relation to the quality of local education.

There will also be more focus on projects for girls of the highest classes or providing

special regional practical needs such as rain boots instead of school shoes. In particular, students from the



last two school years will be sponsored. This is because they have the highest dropout rate (75%). Anyway, an H4oN scholarship gives them the practical opportunity to finish school.

More information...

If you have any questions or would like some more information on how to sponsor, please let us know. We will be quite happy giving you information on what we do and how you may be able to contribute in a way that suits you. Or check out our website and our face book page. Here you will find the latest news and updates.



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