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School Shoes Project

Bethesda children home is an orphanage located at Lingarajapuram, Bangalore. They approached us with a request to replace the torn shoes of the children in the home with new school shoes. These children are orphans and semi-orphans and they were using their old shoes from previous year. The management of the children home is taking care of their food, cloth, shelter and school-fees and was not in a position to buy new shoes for the children. Without proper shoes, the children would not be allowed to attend their classes. Considering this difficult situation, FAMIN board has decided to support this need by raising funds among our known friends and donors.

Given the importance of the requirement, we have estimated the costs involved by approaching the wholesale dealers of famous brands of shoes and socks. After gathering the necessary information we started to raise funds. With the help of generous donors, we managed to raise funds to provide first-quality school shoes (black) and sports shoes (white) from Bata with 3 pairs of cotton socks from Hilton. We took 3 weeks to purchase the socks, get the legs measurement of all the children, place final order etc. On 9th June the vendors have delivered the ordered items. We arranged the distribution of the shoes and socks on the same day. The details of distributed materials are as follows:

1 pair of black shoes,
1 pair of white shoes,
1 pair of white socks and
2 pairs of blue socks have been provided to 36 children.

1 pair of canvas shoes and
3 pairs of color socks have been provided to 10 children.



During the event, Mr. Jayasimha Reddy, one of our donors delivered a short speech to motivate the children to study better, keep discipline and to have the heart to help others when they grow up. The home leader and the children have conveyed their sincere thanks for this timely help, which would encourage them and help them to focus on their studies.