

AASHIANA NEWSLETTER 2022

Thank you everyone for your support for this charity in 2022. Aashiana continues to try their best for your donations to reach the right people who need it most, either in UK or abroad.

Ashok Puri, Chairman



Aashiana Charity given £1125 to Mata da Mandir, Dudley towards installing a lift to help disabled, elderly, and pregnant women to attend workshops, activities and classes on the 1st and 2nd floors in Jan2022



Aashiana Charity paid £2000 in Feb2022 to Bilga General Hospital Trust UK towards installation of an oxygen plant in Bilga, Punjab, India. This will benefit not only the Bilga village, but to patients in surrounding villages who are miles away from the nearest hospital.





Aashiana donated RO plant and two computers to Geeta Computer Centre and Geeta Ashram Vrindavan, India in March 2022. The Computer Centre has been running for 20 years and provides computer training to students free of cost. The RO plant provides clean, purified water which is beneficial to people who are having Langar everyday at the Geeta Ashram.



8th International Yoga Day at Sant Niranankari Bhawan, Wednesbury, which was started by Indian Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi. Yoga enthusiasts from Midlands and North England took part in this event on 23 June 2022.



Yoga day attendees included:

- Dr Shashank Vikram, Consul General of the Consultant General of India, Birmingham
- Ch. Sukhram Singh Yadav, Member of Parliament, India
- Harminder Singh Bhattia MBE
- Mr & Mrs Puri
- Yoga trainers!

Aashiana Charity celebrated the Platinum Jubilee in June 2022 with the Queen's Representative Lieutenant Dr Sakhawat Hussain. Aashiana donated samosas and spring rolls for this happy occasion and joined the street party!



In August 2022, we donated various food and drink items to Manna House Pantry, Blackheath, for distribution to the people who are in need of a helping hand. In the same month, we took Aashiana members on a tour to Weston-Super-Mare.



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Aashiana Charity

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Dear Chairman, Trustees and Members,
A big thank you!

I am writing on behalf of Bethel Church to thank you for your recent very generous donation to our Manna House Pantry.

Our aim at the Manna House is to provide support to local families who are struggling with poverty, especially during this time where the cost of living is rising so quickly.

For regular updates please follow us on:
Twitter @YLPMannaHouse
Instagram @ylp_mannahouse
or Facebook.

Your continued support for our work in the local community is very much appreciated.

Kind regards,
Anne Shelton
on behalf of Bethel Church



In October 2022, Aashiana donated 5 benches and junior cricket kits to Coombs Wood Cricket Club. Benches will be assembled and installed in Spring 2023.



1000 Sadhus had a langar and were donated a shoulder-bag at Geeta Dham Ashram, Kurukshetra and Panipat, Haryana, in October 2022



1500 blankets were distributed to people in need who live in Vrindavan, Uttar Pradesh, India, in November 2022





Aashiana donated Christmas Hampers to Rowley Regis Disability centre in December 2022, along with £250 towards the food they serve to service users every Wednesday. Hampers were kindly donated by Jas Wouhra, Director of Lioncraft Wholesale Ltd.



Aashiana attended Bilga General Hospital charity function in December 2022 donating £2000 towards medical facility at their hospital in based in a rural village of Punjab, India.



In memory of our Chhote Sahibzade, youngest children of Kalgidhar Dashmesh Pita Guru Gobind Singh Ji, whose martyrdom is marked officially on 26 December 2022 (Veer Baal Shaheedi Diwas), Aashiana members have donated notebooks and pens to 1500 children in Punjab, India



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Aashiana was also represented at the emotional commemoration held at Consulate General of India Birmingham on 27 December 2022

Trustees and Committee members of Aashiana thanks everyone for their donations and continuous support

Support us to support you...

Membership is open to any individual over 18, irrespective of their background to help with the charity's continuous work with charities UK and abroad.

Membership subscriptions

- Adult: £100 per year
- Senior Citizen / Unemployed: £60 per year or direct debit of £5 per month