

CPS Orphanage, Kathmandu, Nepal - Charity No. 1137324

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Autumn Newsletter

Founder/Manager: Bharat KC
House Mother: Anjana (married to Bharat)

The children

Boys: (L-R) Arjun(14), Ram(9), Youkesh(13),
Pawan(16), Chandra(9),
Basanta(13), Laxman(9),
Niranjan(15)



Girls: (L-R) Manisha (10), Kabita(9),
Neha(11), Sujata(14), Pushpa(11)



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We are delighted to report that our application to become a registered charity in the UK has been successful. We will be sending out gift aid forms once we receive notification from the Inland Revenue.

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Children

The children remain very healthy and happy and are all doing really well in their studies. As always they are very grateful to those who kindly donate which enables them to live in a safe and loving environment.

Niranjan (one of the older boys) has just started his +2 education (6 Form College). He took his entry exam a year early and secured a 45% scholarship.

During his summer break he had a part time job delivering milk, the money he earned from this paid for him to go on a computer course.

Below is an email we received from Niranjan:

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Dear madam thank you very much for your mail. I am very happy to say you I have passed the slc exam in second division. Our uncle and aunty are very happy with me. I always remember you in when I am happy in this result. I will do better in college level exam. After two years I hope I WILL FIND BETTER JOB when I complete my Plus two. Madam, I GOT THIS EDUCATION THROUGH your big support and love. thank you very much for building my bright future. Our college will start from next month. I have missed you .

Madam, I will want to stop for now .Your obedient child, Niranjana

Since our last newsletter, **Dhan** who was with us for a year has now been resettled with his Uncle. He assured Bharat that he would continue to pay for his education and provide him with a loving and supportive home.

At time of writing Bharat is co-ordinating the arrival of 2 new children. We will keep you updated!

How the story of CPS began

We are often asked how the Orphanage was started, so here is Bharat's story.....

Bharat lost his father when he was only 6 years old. His father had enrolled him in a private boarding school which was 50 km from his family home. At that time there was no transportation so he became a boarder at school. Two years later his father passed away and his mother could no longer afford his schooling.

His teachers were very fond of him and could see he was a very bright student, so decided to fund his education by contributing out of their own salaries. After 2 years he was top of his class and retained this position every year. He was then awarded a scholarship by the school.

He spent all his childhood with his teachers by living in the college dorms and remains grateful for the opportunities they gave him.

Helping the poor and orphaned was always in his mind because he knew the problems and difficulties that were caused by the loss of his own father. He drew his inspiration from his teachers to start up the orphanage.

He arrived in Kathmandu city to attend +2 (6 Form College). To fund his college fees he tutored junior students in their homes, this also paid for him to rent a room and his food.

On leaving College he got 2 jobs. By working hard and saving money for 3 years, at the age of 21, he founded the CPS Orphanage. He started with 10 children, Ram, Laxman, Sujata, Arjun, Manisha, Miranjan, Pawan and Bastana all of whom are still with him today.

When his savings had run out he would go door to door to collect rice, dhal and money to feed the children and pay the rent. He had NO other income coming in!

This was the situation when we first became involved in 2004.

Since becoming involved, Bharat has married Anjana and they have a 3 year old son called Abison, whom the other children adore!

Below is part of an email from Bharat

Madams, again thank you so much for the great deeds that you have done. You have been key persons of our family CPS and you have always brought happiness to these children. This CPS always runs under your sweet shadow.

Where Your Money Goes

Rent	£122 per month	School Fees	£85 per child per year
Gas	£21 per month	Exercise Books	£20 per child per month
Electricity	£10 per month	School Uniform & shoes	£23 per child per year
Salaries	£45 per month	Internet connection	£10 per month
Water	£30 per month	Medical	£40 per month
Food to feed 18	£62 per week		

You may remember in our last newsletter, the saga of ‘Lucky Spice’ our goat and how he was rescued from sacrifice after we had to abandon the day trip to Manakamana. Since then we have increased our goat population by purchasing 4 lady goats for Lucky Spice. We also have a number of ducks which has eradicated the egg bill.

Our big plan is to make them self-sufficient by breeding goats and selling the milk, meat and kid goats.



The ‘Goat Palace’ – built using money kindly donated by Downing Financial Management Ltd.

Bank Details – for Standing Orders or one off donations

Cambridge Building Society
Account Name: CPS Orphanage
Sort Code: 20-17-22
Account Number: 40338346
Roll/Reference No: 1673091240

Please make cheques payable to: CPS Orphanage. If you decide to contribute via Standing Order, please could you advise us so that we can send you a gift aid form.

For those of you who already kindly donate, please find attached gift aid form. We would be grateful if you could complete and return to: Julia Adams, 2 Rosemary Road, Waterbeach, Cambridge, CB25 9NB

A BIG Thank You

- Bharat and his wife Anjana for their continued dedication, love and care of the children.
- The backbone of our fundraising is due to those who give generously via monthly Standing Order. We are eternally grateful for your commitment.
- Nigel Hall for his very generous donation.
- Jan Hall's friends and colleagues at Viberts for their generous donations
- Julia Adams' Chiropody practice patients continue to give regular cash donations.
- Mr and Mrs Airey who donated an amazing amount of money by asking for donations to the Orphanage instead of gifts for their Golden Wedding Anniversary.
- Shari Khan who asked for donations to the Orphanage instead of gifts for her 50th birthday celebration.
- Teya and Anya Khan for donating their Easter egg money.
- For all those who have purchased jewellery and felt from us.
- Ann Holmes and the Waterbeach Angling Club who had a fishing tournament in memory of Ann's late husband, John.

Many thanks for your wonderful support.

Julia Adams, Karen Chamberlain, Jan Hall and Sarah Whiteside

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Here are some of the emails received from the children. We love getting them and thought you would enjoy reading them.

Dear madam namaste!

I am trying to write an essay about the life in our home at cps.

C.P.S is a lovely home for us . we live happily with five sisters and nine brothers in our family. we have got good food, proper education , health treatment and proper clothing . Our uncle and auni loves and cares us. Didi cooks food for us and washes our clothes. we always remember and miss to madam Julia, madam ,Karen ,madam,Jan , madam Sarah. The year 2009 was very special for us because we got chance to stay and live with madam Julia.,madam Karen , madam Jan, madam Saraha.We celebrated Tihar festival with our madams.

We getting up at 5:30 am in the morning and we brush our teeth and wash our face .at 6am we do Yogas . we get our breakfast at 6:30 am.we have our morning lunch at 9 am .we go to our school at 9:30 am and come back at 4:30 pm.We have our evening break fast at 4:45 pm and the rest of the time is for reading and writing till 6:pm.we go to play foot ball at 6:15 pm to 6 :55pm.we have our sweet dinner at 7:30 pm. We go to bed at 9 pm.

We have Lucky Spice , two ducks and one pet dog. Our life is very easy and we are very happy here. Sometime we sing different songs,we dance and we go to visit in beautiful places.In october 2009, we went with madam Julia , madam Karen ,madam Saraha and madam Jan to visit Tribhuwan Park at Thankot. we danced , sang songs with our madams. we took beaten rice, coke, fanta at that time, Our auntie took us at oldage home in Pasupati and treated the nails and combed the hair of old people. The old people were tired and could not walk properly.we are interested to do social work. Next time we are going to visit the children home at Bhaktapur and we will have interacton with the children like us. we like to plant flowers and work in garden .we like to read newspapers. we have make monthly news letter board at our home. We send emails to madam in UK.we have connected internet at our cps. times We celebrating many festivals like , Dashain, Tihar and Christmas.

Madam, I like to hug you. madam, may I stop to write now. your faithfully YOUKES

Received from Ram after he had an eye infection.....

Namaste and I am fine and my eye are well. Yokesh brother is helping me to write this mail . I am very very happy to read your mail. I always wash my eye with cool water five times a day. Laxman is also fine. all sisters and brothes are fine. I always miss you and to Madam Karen ,madam SarahaAND mADAM jAN. Our pre-test exam is from Tomarrow. Uncle has bought rain coats to me and all my friends. We are very happy . I am reading well . Pushpa didi was sick now she is fine. I want to hug you. . MADAM , we also have to ducks at our home and we have ten eggs .The duck say quack, quack and I like ducks. Madam , namaste and have a good day.

Bye , BYE my dear madam. your obedient child ,Ram Lama.

Dear madam Julia ,namaste and we are fine but Chandra and Laxman are not so fine and uncle is in the hospital with them since three days . chandra has toncilitis , stomache pain and Laxman is being sick by nemonia . Auntie is with us . Our final exam is coming near so we are reading very good . Iwill be in grade seven after this exam .I hoping to get first positoin in my class . I like english and social study very much. We are very happy to live in cps . we always miss you. Bharat uncle has brought two ducks from his village and we enjoy to look after the ducks. we call the ducks Lily and lalit.our uncle and auntie love us and we are ovedient with them . I like chicken and hen also .

MADAM , Iwant to write this much for today . your obedient child youkesh and Basanta

Dear madam Namaste . we all are fine in cps and we also wish you warm regards for your good health. I was sick and uncle took me to hospital now I am fine. I took more rest in home after hospital now Iam totally fine.From tomarrow Our school will be open and from today the maiost patry has left the strike and every shoap , are open . Madam , we always remember you and I miss you . Now i read in grade 9 and next year I will give the board exam so ,I am reading hard. We do yogas . Madam , it is raining today also so, I am praying for sunny day and it will be easy for us to go school and come back home on sunny day. K abita , Manisha, Pushpa, Neha tells stories while sleeping . I switch off the electricity bulbs when we sleep at night in My room. we hug you many many times .

Madam ,i love you . Please madam, I stop for now .

bye ,and more love to my dear madam . your obedient ,Sujata. grade 9

Gift Aid declaration

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Name of charity or CASC _____

Please treat

- The enclosed gift of £ _____ as a Gift Aid donation; OR
- All gifts of money that I make today and in the future as Gift Aid donations; OR
- All gifts of money that I have made in the past 6 years and all future gifts of money that I make from the date of this declaration as Gift Aid donations.

✓ *Please tick the appropriate box*

You must pay an amount of Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax for each tax year (6 April one year to 5 April the next) that is at least equal to the amount of tax that the charity or Community Amateur Sports Club will reclaim on your gifts for that tax year.

Donor's details

Title _____ Initial(s) _____ Surname _____

Home address _____

Postcode _____ Date _____

Signature _____

Please notify the charity or CASC if you:

1. Want to cancel this declaration.
2. Change your name or home address.
3. No longer pay sufficient tax on your income and/or capital gains.

Tax claimed by the charity or CASC

- The charity or CASC will reclaim 28p of tax on every £1 you gave up to 5 April 2008.
- The charity or CASC will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1 you give on or after 6 April 2008.
- The Government will pay to the charity or CASC an additional 3p on every £1 you give between 6 April 2008 and 5 April 2011. This transitional relief for the charity or CASC does not affect your personal tax position.

If you pay income tax at the higher rate, you must include all your Gift Aid donations on your Self Assessment tax return if you want to receive the additional tax relief due to you.