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Pencils for All



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Newsletter

Pencils for All is a small educational charity, which has existed for **two** years! Our mission is to provide basic stationery and other educational resources to both social and educational institutions in the Third World Countries.

The Committee members are:
Iwona Macalka – Chairwoman, Victoria Fernandes – Secretary and Monika Dowejko – Treasurer.

The members of the committee dedicate their own time and skills so that there are no administrative costs at all!

The charity is committed to provide the best service in **helping to educate children**.

Pencils for All in Asia.

In December 2012, Iwona (chairwoman) went for the second time to Bangladesh. During her trip the village celebrated “Shishu Mela” (Children’s Day). We were delighted to be able to sponsor this special occasion attended by 300 children, who each got some school equipment and toys. The John Bosco Hostel gratefully received a computer.

In January 2013 we sent a parcel with educational toys to “Shishu Bavan” Children’s Home in Kalkota in India.



The Salesians and boys from John Bosco Hostel in Lokhikul.

To continue our work we need your help!

If you would like to help you can do so by:

Cheque:

Make cheques payable to: **Pencils for All** and send to: 99 Guinness Trust Buildings, Fulham Palace Road, London W6 8BG

Electronic Transfer in the UK:

Account name: **Pencils for All**
Bank: HSBC Bank
Sort Code: 40-03-21
Account number: 62049287

Electronic Transfer from outside the UK:

Account name: **Pencils for All**
Bank address: HSBC Bank, 21 King’s Mall, King Street, Hammersmith, London W6 OQF, UK.

Account number:
IBACS: GB94MIDL40032162049287
Swift code: MIDLGB2106P

Many Thanks!

Pencils for All in Africa.

In January 2013 we have sent two parcels to Africa. A 10 kg parcel containing much needed stationery went to Fresh Start Academy in Eldoret in Kenya.

Another parcel with books, pencils and crayons went to Social Care Club in Ghana.

Pencils for All in Europe.

In December 2012 we organised and arranged the delivery of the parcels to CARITAS charity based in the Zielonogórsko Gorzowska diocese in Poland.

Current Fundraising.

We are collecting funds to cover the cost of running the Salesian Oratory in Bangladesh, which provides and organises religious and social activities for about 400 children from the village of Lokhikul and the nearby community.