

## Asociația Neemia Prayer Notes October 2022

As mentioned last month, the schools and kindergartens have started their new academic year. We have been able to supply stationery and other school materials to kindergartens, both in Dorohoi and in the surrounding area. Rural kindergartens in particular tend to have smaller classes which attract less funding and items such as paper, card, educational toys and appropriate furniture are all much appreciated.

Parents are expected to contribute to the pupils' necessities. Education is nominally free but an official estimate put the cost of preparing for the new term at 100 pounds per pupil. This will include appropriate clothing, sports kit, exercise books and writing materials, plus a knapsack to carry it all in. Many of the families that we support cannot afford all this, especially if there are several children in the family.

Our guests from Ukraine continue to adjust to life in Dorohoi. Several of them were from areas that have recently been annexed by Russia; for them there seems to be no practical prospect of them being able to return.



### Give thanks ...

1. For stocks of stationery and clothing appropriate for the new term

## Please pray ...

1. For our Ukrainian guests as they learn to live with the loss of their homeland and personal possessions.

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# The Romanian Aid Foundation Prayer Notes October 2022

RoAF is essentially a faith-based organisation that relies on prayer. Below and overleaf we offer some prayer pointers, but please feel free to add your own items as they come to mind. Prayer is our connection with God's ultimate power source and, without prayer support, this work would achieve nothing of lasting value.

The packing sessions at Horley have restarted, albeit at a slightly slower pace as we adjust to the revised packing requirements.

In our early years of taking items to Romania we received practical help from Royal Mail and ParcelForce, in the form of transport and storage facilities; since then we have had a contract which allowed some of our more distant supporters to send us items using the ParcelForce network, free of charge. This contract has now expired and can no longer be used.

### Give thanks ...

- 1. For a good start to the new season of Friday packing at Horley.
- 2. For the many items that ParcelForce has carried on our behalf.

## Please pray ...

- 1. That God will overrule in the plans for the next load to Romania.
- 2. That we will still be able to receive goods from our remote donors.

This month's photos ...



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