



The importance of the Ranga Rao Leprosy Trust impressed those attending the Reception



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The successful work of Scouting and Leprosy through AHM-WOSM-WHO was explained in the speeches.



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The Ranga Rao Leprosy Trust promotes and sponsors the Scouts in several countries to fulfil this responsible task. New cases crop up worldwide again and again. At this time approximately 800 000 new cases have been reported. For this reason the Ranga Rao Leprosy Trust is most necessary and can become a bulwark against the danger of leprosy.

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The Reception brought about interesting ideas and new impulses to foster the work of the RANGA RAO LEPROSY TRUST



The Ranga Rao Leprosy Trust is developing into an effective workable instrument.



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The fight against leprosy with the goal of eliminating it as a public health problem, which means reducing the number of patients to fewer than one per 10,000 people.

Eradication of leprosy is the future aim. This requires calculated planning and special supervision.

Scouts' work combatting leprosy has proved to be very effective.

Recognizing the symptoms of leprosy in its early stages, is of utmost importance, also informing and educating the community about this 5000 year old human problem.

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As stated in paragraph 13 Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between WOSM-WHO-AHM

Max Gruner, Chairman AHM, Germany; hands over a tent to the delegate from Congo, Mr. Gilbert Musumba, Permanent Executive Secretary of Scouts in the Great Lakes Region, one of the MOU countries, as equipment to educate the Scouts on leprosy for the field trip.

Paragraph 13:

Global Development Village (GDV)

The three partners shall endeavour to provide the maximum possible visibility to their partnership and make it an instrument to contribute to the educational efforts of World Scouting in the field of Leprosy awareness. One ideal opportunity would be the 19th World Scout Jamboree to be held in Chile from 27th December, 1988 to 6th January, 1999 and, particularly, the Global Village.

This educational activity located in the centre of the Jamboree, and at the core of the Jamboree's programme, will provide an opportunity for young people to participate in workshops, simultaneous games, demonstration projects, exhibitions and many other activities intended to highlight young peoples' contribution towards their own development.

AHM fulfilled the expectation of WOSM to play an important part in the Global Development Village at this Jamboree.

The World Health Organization sent their official information and exhibition stand for display in the AHM exhibition area. The WHO Exhibition showed the current leprosy situation.

A **Duet Game** was created by AHM; half of it refers to cultural items, the other half to leprosy information and education.

