

*A trip to the orphanage in Rzhev
And
Graduates of the Zelyoniy Orphanage*

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We continue to help the orphans with Special needs. The main problems arise when they leave the boarding and training institutions and no longer have any help, their mental development remains at the Junior level and they are unable to support themselves.



Artem, Sasha and Pasha are graduates from Zelyoniy boarding school, who will be living in a dormitory of the vocational school in Rzhev till June 2017. We held a combined meeting with them and with children from the orphanage in Rzhev.

Our friendly team of volunteers conducted children's musical Christian performance, then we held master classes. The children were very excited to have the opportunity to draw on T-shirts, which we then gave them as a gift.



Our volunteer Liana gave haircuts to the children. Usually their hair is cut with a machine set to "zero", but recently the machine broke down. So all the children were delighted to have a model haircut. Thanks Liana for the good ministry!

Another of our volunteers held a master class to produce cakes and pastries which were a great success and eaten at the end.



Our meeting ended with a gorgeous Pilaf, salads and drinks. Such a dinner is rare for these children, so we are pleased to be able to bring these orphans warmth and love.

We brought shoes, a lot of tea and coffee, some stationery and cloths. We also helped Ksenia whom we met four years ago at the same Rzhev shelter. Ksenia used to live in the shelter, she is now a single mother with a year old daughter called Yana. She has been promised government housing, hopefully in a year. Currently she remains in the apartment of Ksenia's friend. If it were not for this good friend, where would Ksenia and Yana be?



Thanks to our sponsors, we were able to buy Ksenia a high chair for Yana, along with diapers and infant formula.

More photos from our last trip can be viewed in our group:

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As we mentioned in the last news letter, we are looking for sponsorship to start the project to assist the graduates of Zelyoniy orphanage to deal with the issues of disability pensions and housing. This is what they need most.

Our next trip to the children is planned at Christmas.

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We would be grateful for any help.

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