

Weekly Feed Program

Welcome and thank you for your participation in the Hearts In Motion's (HIM) Weekly Feed Program.

If you are sponsoring more than one child, and making recurring monthly payments, it is best to combine your payments into one sum each month. The lower the amount of the payment, the higher percentage is taken by PayPal for processing fees. Thus, by making one larger monthly payment, more of your money goes to the Program and less to PayPal.

All communication must go through the Indiana office of HIM. Any and all communication to the Guatemalan staff via any medium i.e. social media, telephone, e-mail ... will be redirected to the US office for a response.

You may correspond with your child once or twice a year. The letters must be sent to the Indiana Office of HIM via e-mail or regular mail where they will be translated and forwarded on to the child.

Gifts can also be sent to the US HIM office for the child. The gifts are sent to Guatemala when a representative travels there. All gifts must be able to fit in a small shoe size box.

No food may be sent to the child in Guatemala with the exception of hard candy. Although, that is not necessarily recommended. Nevertheless, all hard candy must still be in the original store packaging and unopened.

Birthday and Christmas gifts may be sent to the children in the form of monetary donations to Hearts In Motion. The amount recommended for birthday is \$25-\$50 per child. The Guatemalan Assistant Director of the Sponsorship Programs takes the child to the store to buy what she/he needs according to the amount given.

During Christmas time, food baskets will be purchased and distributed to the children according to the amount received. Monetary Christmas donations for gifts must be received no later than December 5th in order for the children to receive their gifts on or before Christmas day.



Under no circumstances are sponsors to give any monetary gifts directly or indirectly to the sponsored families or the Guatemalan staff. All funds must go through the Indiana office of HIM.

Whenever a sponsor travels to Guatemala, arrangements are made for him/her to visit with the sponsored child.

The children and their families oftentimes participate in the medical/dental clinics and other services that HIM organizes during team mission trips.

Because of your generosity, the children have monthly birthday parties, a Children's Day party, and a Christmas Holiday party.

