

Dear Salesian friends and family,

Appeal from Bosco Volunteer Action



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Bosco Volunteer Action (BOVA) is the volunteer organisation of the Salesians of Don Bosco in the UK, offering opportunities for adults (18+) to learn through action; serving the young and the poor alongside Salesian communities around the world. In all aspects of BOVA's work there is a focus on providing a well-planned educational experience; stimulating, preparing and encouraging a long-term involvement with development issues, faith in action and the Salesian family.

We are extremely pleased with our continued growth:

- In volunteer numbers – currently 2 in El Salvador, 2 in Swaziland and 16 in the application and training process
- In the work of our returned volunteers – including Kat who organised a European-wide solidarity conference about justice and peace issues and Simon who raised nearly £4000 for an orphanage in Bolivia
- In Host Communities – new links made with Salesian communities in Mexico, Swaziland and El Salvador
- In Justice and Peace – including a newsletter for youth leaders and Salesian Family groups at the LiveSimply and 'Drop the debt' events

However Bosco Volunteer Action needs your support! Could you...

.....support us with prayer?

Praying for our volunteers, staff and partner communities around the world. If you would like to pray for specific needs please contact us.

.....support us financially?

Please consider supporting BOVA by becoming a member (£5) or making a donation by completing the below form and returning it with a cheque made out to 'Salesian Youth Ministry' to the above address.

.....promote BOVA

Could you be a 'champion' for BOVA, telling people about the opportunities we offer? Could you promote us, formally or informally, in your home, parish or workplace? If you would like posters, postcards or have an opportunity for a speaker please contact us.

Many thanks for taking the time to read this appeal.

Best wishes

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I am happy to be contacted by email (reduces costs)

Please find enclosed my BOVA membership fee (£5)

I would like to donate an additional