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Winter Newsletter



**We Belong and
Serve**

WELCOME TO OUR WINTER NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the winter newsletter 2023, 'We belong and Serve' and as this season arrives in Jerusalem, even in these challenging days join us in celebrating our continued journey towards excellence, and inclusivity. In these pages, you will discover stories of resilience and wide-ranging impact that warm our hearts and offer hope and light for the days ahead. We begin with an update of how we have endeavored to stay faithful to our mission and to reach families and children even when they are isolated and unable to travel to our centre. Despite the challenges, we remain steadfast, and our message of dignity and access to quality services for all, is needed more than ever, especially for those most vulnerable.

Thank you for your unwavering support this year and for being part of our community particularly during these last weeks.



DISCOVERING WHO WE ARE AND OUR CORE VALUES



OUR MISSION:

The Jerusalem Princess Basma Centre, serving children since 1964, works for the integration and empowerment of CwD and their families in their communities by providing rehabilitation services, inclusive education, through the development and dissemination of best practices, and influencing policy and legislation.



OUR VISION:

All Palestinian children with disabilities (CwD) have access to quality health services and inclusive education, can participate and influence, have hope and opportunities.





OUR VALUES:



Inclusion & Participation

For over 55 years we continue to be the Main National Referral Centre for children with disabilities and core actors in the field of Rehabilitation and Inclusive Education.



Equality

We ensure that the rights of children with disabilities are upheld and their lives valued just like everyone.



Quality

We have been accredited with JCIA, three times in succession and still continue receiving the best results for providing the highest quality of services for Palestinian children with disabilities.



Integrity

We adhere to the highest standards of professionalism, ethics and personal responsibility, worthy of the trust our patients place in us.



Best Use of Resources

JPBC commits to the creative and optimal use of its resources.



Responsiveness

We always dig deep to strengthen planning processes for timely and meaningful collaboration and networking with partners and stakeholders.

INSPIRING MESSAGES

Although the past few months have been very difficult for those living in the Holy Land, the Board and Staff of the Jerusalem Princess Basma Centre remain focused on our mission to serve children with disabilities and their families. In fact, our work with them now is more important than ever because of the extra stress that these families are facing. We thank all of you for your continuing prayers and support during these trying times. They are helping to bring hope to all whom we serve, as well as encouragement to our dedicated staff as they remain totally committed to their important work.

The Most Reverend Hosam E. Naoum
Anglican Archbishop in Jerusalem
Primate and President Bishop
The Province of Jerusalem & the Middle East



As the winter season unfolds, I would like to extend warm Christmas greetings to you all. This special time encourages us to reflect on the essence of giving and compassion. In the spirit of these sentiments, let us unite in supporting the vital services of the Jerusalem Princess Basma Centre's for children with disabilities. Despite the challenges posed by the ongoing conflict in Gaza, together we wish for a future where peace and love thrive, providing a safe haven for all children. Your ongoing support embodies the true spirit of the season and has a profound impact on the lives of those we seek to help.

The General Director of JPBC, Violette Mubarak



EXPANDING HEALTHCARE HORIZONS:

TELEMEDICINE INITIATIVES DURING TIMES OF UNCERTAINTY

Amidst the challenges posed by the ongoing conflict, our commitment to providing essential healthcare remains unwavering. Leveraging the power of telemedicine, we have conducted a remarkable 173 sessions with distinct families since the commencement of the war in Gaza Strip. Additionally, 47 mothers and children have been successfully enrolled in residential programs, further extending our reach and impact. In other exciting news, we are pleased to announce a new Telemedicine Program for Gaza, having made initial contact with 7 Gazan families, currently displaced in the West Bank.. This marks a crucial step in expanding our services and ensuring continued access to healthcare for those in need.



DESPITE THE CHALLENGES,

OUR PROMISE IS ALIVE IN /FOR GAZA



Despite these unforeseen challenges, of the current situation our commitment to improving medical care and rehabilitation for children with disabilities and their families in Gaza remains unwavering. Although the planned opening of our new rehabilitation satellite unit in Al-Ahli

Hospital has been delayed, our determination to provide specialized medical care and rehabilitation services endures, a testament to the perseverance required to realize our vision. We are aware of the urgent and increasing need in Gaza, and remain steadfast in our commitment to reach every child in need. In this way, we can ensure that despite these setbacks, the promise of a better future for Palestinian children with disabilities remains.

To that end, we are continuing our appeal "heart to heart" from Jerusalem to Gaza, aiming to raise 200,000\$ to enrol 100 families in our programs in Gaza in 2024.



THERE IS HOPE

FIRST REFERRAL FROM OUR CLINIC IN GAZA

Meet Mohammad, 4-year-old from Gaza, whose story is a witness to the power of hope and dedication. His remarkable journey began with a challenging start in life.

When Mohammad was born, his family was dealing with the severe illness of one of its members, and his condition went unnoticed for the first five days after birth. As soon as they realized something was not right, they embarked on a tireless journey for answers, visiting numerous doctors and hospitals within the Gaza Strip. However, their hopes were ruined as every medical expert they consulted delivered the same shocking assessment, there was no hope for Mohammad's case.

Despite these discouraging diagnoses, the family sought medical care outside Gaza and considered traveling to Egypt. It was at this crucial stage that the director of our sister hospital, The Arab Ahli Hospital in Gaza, intervened. She informed them about the pending launch of our new satellite clinic at the Ahli Hospital and directed them to meet with our Medical Director, who had recently visited Gaza.

For the first time, Mohammad's family heard the word they had been desperately seeking: hope. They met with Dr. Waddah, and it marked a turning point in their journey. Mohammad was referred to the Basma Centre, which is located in Jerusalem, where he stayed for three weeks. Accompanying him on this journey was his devoted grandmother, who quickly found comfort in the warmth and care she received. She remarked, "I feel like you are my family here; you take care of Mohammad and me. Everybody here is so caring."

As for Mohammad's progress, his grandmother shared her joy, saying, "His parents and I are in a better place now. We witness his development, even though we were once told he would never improve. He can eat now, he opens his mouth correctly, he interacts with us, and he understands what we say. The tension in his legs and hands is decreasing every day."



In that time and place, staff at the JPBC provided hope for this family, a precious commodity. We know that after residential treatment in our center, and at the start of the war, Mohammad and his grandmother were receiving further treatment at a sister hospital on the Mount of Olives and are both safe. Our hope is that one day, we will see Mohammed and his grandmother in our satellite unit in Gaza to resume his treatment back in his own community.

JERUSALEM PRINCESS BASMA CENTRE WELCOMES

THE ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY JUSTIN WELBY AND ARCHBISHOP HOSAM NAOUM

Jerusalem- 21st October 2023

The Jerusalem Princess Basma Centre received a distinguished delegation from the Episcopal Dioceses of Jerusalem, headed by the Archbishop of Canterbury Justin Welby and Archbishop Hosam Naoum. Their visit to the Basma Centre was a significant component of Archbishop Justin's solidarity visit to Jerusalem.

During the visit, the General Director of the Basma Centre guided the esteemed guests through the facility, offering insights into the new departments and services that have recently been introduced to enhance the support offered by the Centre.



Archbishop Justin Welby took the opportunity to express his support for the Basma Centre and emphasized the critical nature of its continued services.

Archbishop Hosam Naoum, in his remarks, highlighted the vital role that the Basma Centre plays in sustaining rehabilitation services for Palestinian children with disabilities. He stressed the importance of ensuring that these services are available to children in need throughout the region.

The General Director of the Basma Centre, Violette Mubarak, shared her perspective on the significance of the Centre's work, particularly in the context of the recent conflict. She revealed that, following the war, the need for intervention will become even more critical. She stated that over half a million children in Gaza now require psychosocial support in addition to a comprehensive rehabilitation package.

SPOTLIGHT:

CHRISTMAS DURING THE WAR MESSAGES FROM CHILDREN “HEART TO HEART”

Capturing the pure essence of empathy and solidarity, our newsletter features a heartwarming drawing created by a student in our Inclusive School, conveying a message of hope and support for their peers.



“I have the right to live in freedom and peace”

Nuran Jarbou – second grader at our Inclusive School

COMPREHENSIVE REHABILITATION

WITH INTEGRATED HEARING ASSESSMENT FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

A supportive environment for children with disabilities

Since she was six months old, Farah has attended the Jerusalem Princess Basma Centre, where she has blossomed under our care. Now, at the age of five, she is showing confidence and impressive skills such as walking and running, filling the Centre with joy and happiness. Farah's mother is grateful for the center's nurturing environment.



Improved accuracy and consistency

Miral Sarras, one of the Speech and Language therapists at the Basma Centre, emphasizes the importance of offering speech therapy and hearing assessment as complementary services. She believes that separating these two important components can compromise the accuracy and consistency of results. "By offering both services under one roof, Basma Centre ensures a seamless and holistic approach to supporting children with disabilities. This integration allows for a deeper understanding of the child's needs and facilitates effective communication between the professionals involved in their care."



Streamlining hearing assessment services

Children with Down syndrome often need regular hearing tests to monitor their auditory health. Previously, Farah and her family had to go to another center in the West Bank for these tests. However, the Basma Centre recently introduced a hearing testing service that allows families like Farah to benefit from a convenient and comprehensive experience. This development has proved to be a significant relief for Farah's mother who has valued the opportunity to have the assessment carried out by Farah's Speech and Language therapist. The integration of these services not only saves time, but also ensures more accurate results.



PROMOTE DIVERSITY:

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF DISABILITY

On International Day of Disability, we proudly celebrated the diverse abilities and potential of the children and families we serve. This year's activities focused on promoting empowerment and inclusion, highlighting the remarkable abilities of every child and family. Our dedicated team organized a range of engaging activities, from recreational activities to group therapy sessions, creating an enriching environment that encouraged self-discovery and mutual support. With this celebration, we wanted to not only recognize the unique strengths of each individual, but also foster a spirit of unity and resilience within our community.



REPORTING ON THE TRAINING

FOR THE PARTNER CENTERS

Ithna and Yatta Municipal centers

The Basma Centre identified two existing CBRO partners specializing in autism, based on the medical and local knowledge of the outreach team. Experts in Psychology and Applied Behavior Analysis were recruited to lead the program for these centers who benefited from their multidisciplinary expertise.

Training was conducted at our partner centers in Hebron, at the Ithna Municipal Centre and the Yatta Municipal Center. The training included two essential components with the main objective of enhancing expertise in the field of autism and Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA). An experienced clinical and educational psychologist led the clinical training, which was conducted over two days and focused on the assessment of children at the Yatta and Ithna centers. During these sessions, the therapists actively observed the assessment of eight children in each center and were involved in the assessment process themselves. This training included observation of assessments so that staff had the

opportunity to observe and learn from assessment sessions, which usually lasted about two hours.



16 children were assessed at the two centers. In addition, the training also covered ABA, an essential aspect of autism intervention. An ABA specialist provided theoretical knowledge in a joint session attended by both centers. Further training will be offered at both centers in the near future.

Feedback

"As Director of the Ithna Municipal Centre, I am pleased to highlight the success of our recent training sessions on autism and behavior analysis. The interactive nature of these sessions encouraged open dialog and resulted in an extremely positive and effective learning experience for our team. The training not only enhanced our existing skills, but also introduced valuable tools for efficient documentation and early intervention.

Working with Basma Centre has significantly enriched our services for children with disabilities and enabled our team to play a key role in meeting the community's need for essential services. Looking ahead, I see exciting opportunities for future training to further promote the administrative aspects and continue our growth in this field."

**Mr. Omar abu Eram,
Director of Ithna
Municipal Centre**



"As a Speech and Language therapist at Yatta Municipal Center, I have gained wonderful insights through this training. Many aspects related to autism were previously unknown to me, such as the details of diagnosis, social and visual interaction, and the potential for behavior modification. It opened my eyes to realize that we can actively work to improve a child's behavior instead of just accepting them as they are. I may not be able to diagnose, but I am now better prepared to make informed recommendations.



The trainer's methodology, based on his extensive experience, was really valuable. I look forward to more training opportunities like this, especially if they include practical applications and real case studies."

Mais, Speech and Language Therapist at Yatta Municipal Center

DIRECTOR OF THE JERUSALEM

PRINCESS BASMA CENTRE PRESENTS COMMITMENT TO INCLUSION AT THE COMPASS ROSE ANNUAL MEETING

The Jerusalem Princess Basma Centre, works under the umbrella of the Anglican Church of Jerusalem and the Middle East, and participated in the Compass Rose annual meeting, which took place in London from October 10-12, 2023. The Centre's General Director, Violette Mubarak, represented the organization in a compelling presentation highlighting its commitment towards its mission of inclusivity



Mrs Mubarak presented the work of the Basma Centre , and emphasized the organization's commitment to collaborate with the Anglican Compass Rose society.

During the presentation, she articulated the Basma Centre's vision for inclusion and shed light on the organization's initiatives that aim to empower children with disabilities and their families and promote a more inclusive society. She outlined the center's achievements and highlighted the current challenges facing both the organization and the families it serves.

EMPOWERING TOMORROW'S HEALERS:

THE RESIDENCY PROGRAM AT THE JERUSALEM PRINCESS BASMA CENTRE

The Jerusalem Princess Basma Centre is proud to host a unique residency program that enlists dedicated recent graduates from Palestinian universities to promote excellence in pediatrics. This initiative is a testament to our mission to create a supportive environment for children with disabilities.

Each year, we open our doors to an average of six resident doctors who participate in our special training program. These passionate individuals bring their expertise and commitment to enhancing the lives of children with disabilities.

Under the guidance of our Medical Director, these physicians learn on the job and provide critical medical services to children with disabilities. This intensive experience not only enriches their medical knowledge, but also provides a deep understanding of the unique needs and challenges of children with disabilities.

The impact of our assistance program goes beyond the medical field. The families entrusted to us are grateful for the extra support and expertise these doctors bring. Their presence not only raises the level of medical care, but also contributes to the sense of community and collaboration that characterizes the Basma Centre.

“Together, we are shaping a future where every child, regardless of ability, receives the exceptional care they deserve. As a resident pediatrician, I am used to dealing with diagnostic work, medications, and some surgical interventions for children with diseases of neurologic conditions. At this Centre, I benefited from new experience with rehabilitation and new methods of treatment, and now I believe these to be just as effective and vital as traditional methods.”



“It is promising to have such a comprehensive program in which a team of highly qualified therapists works hand in hand to create a better life for those children with special needs. In this Centre, it does not matter how big the step is, as it is always forward, towards enabling our patients to enjoy a different life .”

Dr.Ibaa Saidi

GALLERY OF VISITORS: SHARING MOMENTS FROM THEIR VISIT



12th January 2023
Christ Episcopal Church San
Antonio, Texas USA



16th January 2023
Trinity Episcopal Church, Arizona



19th January 2023
St. George's College, Jerusalem



6th February 2023
Connecticut, St.Lukes Chruch, USA



7th February 2023
St. David Episcopal Church,
Diolese of Pennsylvania



20th February 2023
St. Georges College, Jerusalem



9th March 2023
St. Marks Cathedral, Seattle WA and
St. Michaels Episcopal Church
Issaquah, WA



16th March 2023
The Diocese Pennsylvania, USA



22nd March 2023
The Diocese of Ottawa, Canada



27th March 2023
The Diocese of Pennsylvania, USA



20th April 2023
The Diocese of Western,
North Carolina



8th May 2023
St. Cecilia's Church. Texas, USA



13th June 2023
St. George's College, Women
in the Bible



19th June 2023
Trinity Wall Street, New York
Church



8th May 2023
Anglican Church of Canada



11th May 2023
A group led by Bishop Terry Dance,
the Diocese of Huron, Canada



13th July 2023
St. George's College, Jerusalem



26th July 2023
St. George's College, Jerusalem



16th May 2023
A group from Hong Kong led by
Father Lee and Rev,
Canon John Peterson



30th May 2023
St. George's College, Jerusalem



7th September 2023
St. Paul's Rock Creek, Washington



13th September 2023
St. George's College, Jerusalem

BLOSSOMING BONDS:

A TALE OF FRIENDSHIP AND TRIUMPH AT BASMA CENTRE

Meet Yazan and Rital, two remarkable children facing unique challenges - Yazan diagnosed with Autism and Rital with Cerebral Palsy. Their paths crossed at the Farah Center in Nablus- West Bank, leading them to the Basma Centre, where their transformative journey began.



For six years, both families, connected by shared experiences, received Comprehensive Rehabilitation packages tailored to the children's needs. The Mother and Family Empowerment Program provided vital support. Despite a four-year hiatus, their determination brought them back to Basma Centre, where a two-week stay proved transformative.



Rital's mother praised the Home Therapy Plan, a lifeline supporting Rital's progress at home and other centers. Yazan, initially lacking communication skills, underwent rehabilitation, enabling him to integrate into a regular school with a dedicated shadow teacher.

What started as individual challenges evolved into a story of friendship. Once strangers, Yazan and Rital became friends, supporting each other's development. Their success exemplifies Basma Centre's commitment to comprehensive services, fostering environments where children with disabilities thrive.

The mothers highlighted the sense of community at Basma Centre, emphasizing the importance of mutual understanding. Yazan and Rital's journey, a tale of resilience and dedication, showcases the transformative

power of support and friendship. Through Basma Centre, their lives and countless others have been forever changed, painting a picture of hope for families facing similar extraordinary journeys.



MIRA'S REMARKABLE JOURNEY

OVERCOMING CHALLENGES AND INSPIRING CHANGE

In the heart of Nablus, the journey of an 11-year-old girl named Mira, illustrates strength of the spirit and the power of determination. Her story is one of resilience and the unwavering belief that with the right support, anything is possible.

Over a decade ago, Mira found herself at a crossroads. Born with a resolute spirit, she has been receiving rehabilitation services at the Jerusalem Princess

Basma Centre for more than ten years. Her first meeting with the Medical Director was a meeting that led her to the doors of the Basma Centre. From the moment she arrived, Mira's life took a transformative turn.

Within the comprehensive package of rehabilitation services that she received, Mira's journey was about more than just physical healing. The Mother and Family Empowerment Program (MFEP), a cornerstone of the Basma Centre's provision, became a guiding light for her and her mother and family members. The program empowered them both, and shaped Mira's future.



Yet, despite her remarkable progress and success, Mira faced an unexpected challenge. The doors of local schools remained closed to her, which ignored her intellect and determination. Mira took matters into her own hands. In a powerful meeting with the school principal, she asked the principal to judge her on her abilities, not her limitations. Her words were evidence to her unwavering self-belief.

Mira's determination prevailed. Acing the school entrance exam with an advanced level of mastery, Mira secured her place in the 1st grade. Her journey at school was marked by intimacy and inclusivity. "At school, everybody helps me. Nobody bothers me," she smiles. Mira's sociability and warmth made her friends with everyone.





CONTINUATION OF MIRA'S STORY

"Never give up. Support your children tirelessly, regardless of the obstacles."

Mira's Mother



Today, Mira continues to face challenges. She is in 5th grade now, and her 28th admission to the Basma Centre signifies a journey of continuous growth. With each visit, the dedicated team at the Basma Centre works tirelessly to enhance her mobility and fine motor skills. Mira's spirit shines through in her accomplishments. Her mother attests to her daughter's remarkable progress, highlighting her independence and her ability to conquer everyday tasks.

The Basma Centre has not only been a place of support but also a motivation for comprehensive growth. Mira's mother shares, "The Basma Centre has been a source of holistic rehabilitation. With each admission, we witness an increase in their services and quality." From audiology assessments to physiotherapy, the Basma Centre has become a Centre of transformation under one roof.

Mira's mother looks to the future with hope, confident in her daughter's abilities to make a lasting impact on the community. Her advice to others facing similar challenges resonates with the strength of her spirit: **"Never give up. Support your children tirelessly, regardless of the obstacles."**

MILESTONE MOMENT:

INAUGURATION OF JPBC'S RENOVATED INCLUSIVE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

**Jerusalem,
22 August 2023**



Under the esteemed patronage of Archbishop Hosam Naoum, the Jerusalem Princess Basma Centre celebrated a significant milestone with the inauguration of a new department at its Inclusive School in Jerusalem. Made possible by the generous funding from Agence Française de Développement (AFD) and supported by NGO Development Center (NDC), the event marked a testament to progress and inclusivity.



Archbishop Naoum highlighted the collaborative effort, emphasizing the interdependence of Jerusalem's institutions in providing vital services to the marginalized. The Basma Centre's mission aligns with the Church's commitment to offering quality healthcare and education.

Deputy Director of AFD, Philippe Maurel, praised the Basma Centre's role in building Palestinian civil society, particularly the inspiring model of the Princess Basma Inclusive School. Ghassan Kassabreh, General Director of NDC, emphasized the achievement as a symbol of Palestinian-French partnership, resilience, and a commitment to preserving the dignity and identity of Jerusalemites.

Violette Mubarak, JPBC General Director, expressed gratitude for the project's transformative impact on the Inclusive School, enhancing safety and well-being. Trophies were awarded to partners for their outstanding efforts in enabling JPBC to extend high-quality services to students with disabilities.

Through its school, JPBC provides specialized Comprehensive Rehabilitation and Inclusive Education for local Palestinian children with disabilities.



A PLAYGROUND TRANSFORMED:

FOSTERING INCLUSIVITY AT THE JERUSALEM PRINCESS BASMA CENTRE

We are thrilled to share the exciting news of the completion of our newly renovated playground, a project made possible through the generous support of American Schools and Hospitals Abroad (ASHA). This revitalized space goes beyond providing a safe environment for break-time activities and sports classes; it signifies a major stride in our unwavering commitment to inclusivity.

A Safe Haven for Play:

The upgraded playground is designed not only to ensure the safety of our children during physical activities and sports but also to create an engaging space where every child, regardless of ability, can thrive and enjoy playtime. The vibrant atmosphere is a testament to our dedication to providing a supportive environment for all.



Elevating Inclusivity:

In tandem with the playground transformation, a game-changing addition will shortly take place at the Basma Centre with the arrival of an elevator to link all four floors of our facility. This development is a crucial milestone in our journey toward



inclusivity. The elevator, designed with accessibility in mind, will facilitate seamless movement for students with physical disabilities, opening up new possibilities, by allowing them to actively participate in all aspects of school life alongside their peers.

Unity and Equality in Action:

The elevator is more than just a physical connection; it symbolizes a bridge to unity and equality. Students with and without disabilities will be able to move freely between floors, fostering a sense of community and shared experiences. This integration aligns with our inclusive policy, ensuring that all students have equal access to our facilities and an equitable chance to thrive and enjoy their time together.

In celebration of these transformative projects, we extend our deepest gratitude to ASHA for their generous support. Together, we are creating an environment where every child can learn, play, and grow, regardless of their abilities.



EMPOWERING INCLUSION AND GENDER EQUALITY:

A TRANSFORMATIVE TRAINING SESSION AT THE JERUSALEM PRINCESS BASMA INCLUSIVE SCHOOL

At the beginning of a new term, training was conducted for, 60 teachers and support staff, at the Jerusalem Princess Basma Inclusive School to examine and evaluate our educational practices on inclusion and gender equality to ensure equal access for all students.

There were presentations by the School Principal highlighting the importance of these concepts in education and society, followed by discussions and collaborative activities looking at the school environment and infrastructure, the curriculum and barriers and solutions.

The teachers were asked to reflect on current values and practices in the school and how they might promote or hinder inclusion and gender equality. In a school where one third of all students have a disability and integration is key, this is of profound significance to ensure that all staff, new in post and those steeped in our vision, work together to ensure equal access for everyone.



Staff were also invited to consider how the ASHA project, 'Accessibility and Safe Recreation for Children with disabilities' will support our work.

Engaging discussions followed, and educators embraced inclusivity and gender equality as guiding principles.

There was consensus that the renovation of the new playground will directly contribute to this by enabling students with mobility disabilities to participate alongside their peers during physical activities and breaks. Two key findings were the importance of continuous professional development on these issues and the need to improve and create more inclusive spaces to facilitate integration and development for all students.

This training exemplifies the school's unwavering commitment to nurturing inclusivity and equality. The findings of this training will be gathered together to inform school policies and practices in creating an environment where all students can thrive.

INCLUSIVE CELEBRATION MARKS PALESTINIAN

TRADITION DAY AT THE JERUSALEM PRINCESS BASMA SCHOOL

The Jerusalem Princess Basma Inclusive School celebrated Palestinian Heritage Day today focusing on unity and inclusion. Students from different classes, including both students with and without disabilities, actively participated in the celebrations. The event included training on the traditional Palestinian Dabkeh dance, symbolic of the students' cultural richness. In addition, the students prepared and enjoyed a traditional Palestinian breakfast together, fostering teamwork and cultural appreciation. Art activities provided a platform for creative expression. The celebration was a powerful reminder of the strength of diversity and fostered a sense of community among students, faculty, and staff. The inclusive nature of the event highlighted the school's commitment to creating an environment where every student feels valued and included.



Join Us in Shaping a Brighter Future for Children with Disabilities



As we reflect on our impactful journey at the Jerusalem Princess Basma Centre, we invite you to be a part of our mission. Together, we can make a

difference in the lives of Palestinian children with disabilities.

To join hands with us in empowering children with disabilities,

contact us at info@basma-centre.org

or call +972-2-6283058.

Together, let's create a future where every child, regardless of ability, has hope and opportunities. Your involvement makes a meaningful difference. Thank you for choosing to belong to our Princess Basma Family as we seek to

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