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“LIVING TOGETHER” SUMMER CAMP

Human Supporters Association organized a summer camp in Nablus that brought together fifty children aged 8 to 12 years old from the three main religions: Christians, Muslims and Samaritans. Led by Samaritan, Muslim and Christian volunteers, the children took part in different activities such as sports, art craft, Dabkeh dance, music, singing and theater.

In the afternoon, everyone was joining in the playground for a big game where the teams were competing against each other in different activities.

This camp is considered a great opportunity for the children to mix between each other where their religion or background is not a matter. At the end of the camp, all their achievements are showcased to their families in a closing ceremony, where they present the dance they choreographed, the play they wrote and the Dabkeh performance they rehearsed.



HUMAN RIGHTS THEATER PROJECT:

In July, the children have split up in groups according to the final plays they're performing. They have started to stage them and now all know their roles by heart. Their weekly rehearsals enabled them to get a good sense of what they need to achieve before performing it. So now the Human Right Theater project is almost ready to be presented to the community.



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“Young Leaders” Training Program:

In July, HSA started the implementation of a 2-month training program that targets 20 youth between the ages of 18 and 23 years, coming from different backgrounds. It offers them the chance to get a professional training on various topics such as communication skills, leadership skills, time management, how to work within a team, project planning, presentation skills, and debating and listening skills.





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FRENCH CLASSES:

This month, two levels of French classes have been run thanks to two French volunteers. There have been two classes per day: one for beginners and other intermediate levels. Students are taught to read, write, listen and speak French. And at the same time, the French volunteers learn some Arabic vocabulary as an exchange.



INTERNATIONAL DELEGATIONS:

Many international delegations have visited Human Supporters during July; some of them were Italian, American and Spanish. As usual we offered them a tour in the old city of Nablus, and we introduced them to what the old city suffered since the invasion in 2002 until the present. Interested in our work and activities, we gave them a tour of Nablus and the old City introducing



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them to the context we work in so that they could understand the purpose of our activities. Discussions and exchanges are very enriching for our association as it gives new perspectives on Human Supporters' projects.

