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## *JANUARY 2023 NEWSLETTER*

### *THE THOUGHT OF THE MONTH*

**INDIAN PROVERBE to maintain morale.**  
"If you see everything in grey, move the elephant..."

### *A WORD FROM THE PRESIDENT*

Each year the traditional question:  
The Treaty of Le Touquet?  
This treaty is bilateral: France - England.  
What do you think?

Personally, England's exit from Europe  
Took me back to the 60s  
The checks were carried out in France by the French authorities.  
Then during the crossing by the British authorities  
And finally, again during the landing on English soil.  
Then the "illegals" or those considered as such  
they were immediately turned back on the boat to find French soil.

Often in the 1960s, sometimes arrived in Calais by special trains  
Hundreds of Jamaicans and Pakistanis.  
An English transporter was then chartered.  
She took these people on board in great precariousness.  
The London hotel and restaurant industry welcomed them with kindness!

Collective memory is deficient,  
And dangerously selective...  
Society is slow to progress

*Jean-Claude Lenoir.*

## EVENTS OF THE MONTH

### IT'S WINTER...

It's cold and wet, a winter well away from home...



12 January, Calais



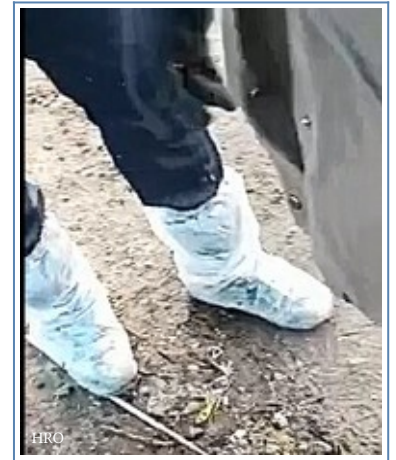
12 January, Dunkerque

It is a weather where everyone first needs to protect themselves from the rain, even if it is with a simple garbage bag.

But it was also very cold, with a wind that cuts in two and negative temperatures. The puddles froze.



Here is the state of a volunteer's equipment at the end of a marauding... And that of the police during a dismantling...



And that of an exile who has no way to do his laundry or take a daily shower, how is he?



## THE DEMANTELING OF CAMPS CONTINUE.

The forces of order are always in number:

**In Calais** it is always on average every other day. On 8<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> January there was a lack of this infernal rhythm, but there were dismantlings two days in a row on 4 and 5 January.



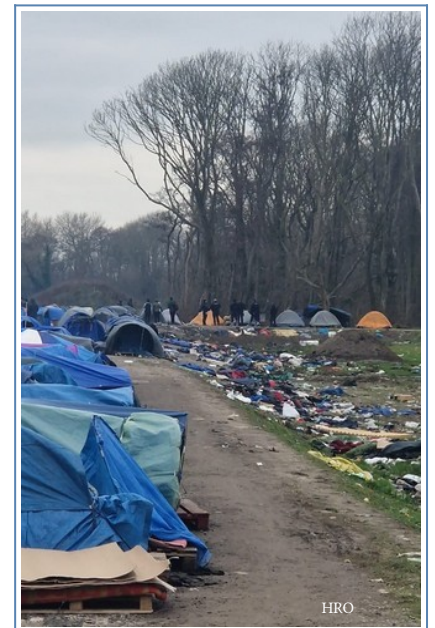
Nothing on January 31, yet six CRS vans were ready, but a policeman told the HRO that they were there for the demonstration. This is a first: even at the height of the movement of “yellow vests” there was no relaxation in the rhythm of the evacuations.



The ground is so wet that the underside of the bridges is one of the few preserved places. But the tents are removed from there as elsewhere.

On January 12, the HRO sees the CRS take the guys out of their tent with their belongings despite the rain and wind.

As always, the tents are moved when the Police arrive..



... to be reinstalled right after

In one of their videos of the day (12<sup>th</sup> January) an HRO member is heard telling the riot police: "Actually they will just leave and resettle; it makes no sense." Unsurprisingly, the CRS do not respond.

The remaining belongings, those of absentees, are considered abandoned and are removed.

Law enforcement is too often threatening.

On 27 January at 8.40 a.m., a peaceful dialogue can be heard in an HRO video between a young man and the Deputy Commissioner of Calais. We'll see if the message got through...



- Can you tell your colleagues... Why do they put their gas like that, in the form of intimidation? Last time, you didn't do it like that...

- I will tell their officer.

- I am responsible for the device, but they answer their officer first.

- Because suddenly, it can be perceived as a form of intimidation.

- You can see that no one is being bullied. If the police were impressive, it would have been known a long time ago.



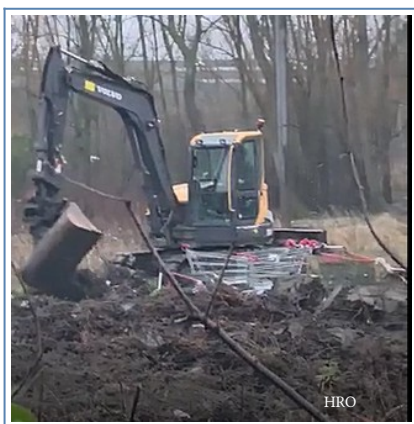
In addition to the dismantling, there are obstacles to the assistance provided by associations. In Calais on January 19, rue de Judée, one of the water tanks of Calais Food Collective was removed and rocks were added to prevent the access of vehicles.

**In Dunkirk**, the aim seems to be to definitively empty the dregs inhabited for a year in Loon-Plage and to concentrate the population on the new place at Mardyck, where the exiles had been encouraged to settle on 7 December by the relocation of the water tanks of Roots. But the camp spills over into Total's land There were three evacuations in January: on the 4th, 12th and 26th.



We read in the CR distribution of Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> by Geneviève: "There was not enough wind and rain during the night, it is 12 or 15 CRS buses that sounded the alarm clock and dismantling ... of our migrant friends!

Yes, but around 1pm (shortly after Salam's team) there arrived a large van of "Help 4 Dunkirk" which distributed two blankets to many of them, always in a light rain ... and they then rushed to Salam's truck for the stock of garbage bags on board and to put their blankets a little dry...! And let's not talk about the shoes claimed and the areas where they "camp", flooded, seen on our way coming ... »  
 Only one AFEJI bus is there to provide shelter. On the 26th there are only about thirty people who leave.



Dismantling near Dunkirk is regularly accompanied by deforestation.

But it is, in any case, a desolate ground that we discover after an evacuation ...



### OPENING OF THE COLD WEATHER PLAN.

It was so cold that on our two cities the sub-prefectures triggered the opening of shelters for the night: **In Calais**, it was first decided from 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> January, first with one night and then from the 20<sup>th</sup> to the morning of 24<sup>th</sup> January, then until 25<sup>th</sup>. The opening resumes after a night's break (Why? Was it really hotter, or even less cold than the others?) from the evening of the 26th to the morning of the 30th.

**In Dunkirk** the gymnasium of Fort Louis was opened on January 16<sup>th</sup> for three nights, and until the 24<sup>th</sup> also from the 18<sup>th</sup> then until the 25<sup>th</sup>, finally until the morning of the 30<sup>th</sup>. Only families will be welcomed, it was written on the 18<sup>th</sup>, but in the end all were accepted.  
 Still some failures in operation: the buses that are responsible for taking people to the gymnasium for the night do not leave from the camp site to which they were pushed back on December 7<sup>th</sup>, but from the old site, far from the new. Compulsory depot is important and discouraging, especially for those with young children.



Even the small bridge set up as a shortcut in December...

... was destroyed during the evacuation of January 4<sup>th</sup>...

... and a pipe (of what ?) was destroyed at the same time.

The gymnasium is however, visibly quite welcoming: from night to night there are more volunteers (we have gone from forty the first night to a number approaching a hundred, Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> ).

What is difficult to understand is that there were dismantling in the morning during these periods of shelter for the night... The closure of the premises for the day is announced at 9:30 a.m. in Calais, at 9 a.m. in Dunkirk.

But in Calais, on the 20th the convoy was spotted by the HRO on the sites at 8:11 a.m. on January 27 at 8:27 a.m. On Dunkirk, on the 26th the evacuation convoy arrived on the terrain at 8:39 a.m.

As always, the belongings of the those who are not there are considered abandoned and picked up by the cleaning company that accompanies the Police. ...

It was noted that in Dunkirk the evacuation did not concern the most recent camp (the one that overflows in Mardyck on the lands of Total). But nothing said in the information transmitted by the Carrefour des Solidarités that sheltering was reserved for them...

We remind you that the bitter cold would make it essential to shelter 24 hours a day, but if it is proposed for the night, at least people can enjoy it until the last minute. They must not leave their shelter in a hurry, before it closes, to watch over their equipment before it is removed.

"But it's only one night! (or two, for that matter)", we will of course be objected to...

It is more than enough to break trust in the authorities, especially if it is already non-existent or very, very fragile...

We begin to dream that the cancellation of the evacuation of January 22<sup>nd</sup> is the result of a burst of humanity. It would be the first time in Calais...

#### **DISTRIBUTIONS :**

On Dunkirk, the place of distribution planned (and we are grateful to them) by the Port Autonome is still too small and muddy. The distributions, ours the first, are on a wide and tarmacked space on which it is easy to install and ask for a clean "line".



Denise Cassignat

But we know that the place belongs to Total. We count the days of tolerance and are very careful to clean the waste to annoy as little as possible.



We are used to seeing families, large, on the side of Dunkirk. On January 10<sup>th</sup>, Marie wrote to us in P.S. of a report: "The little Afghan girls had a beautiful smile, charming eyes. Little girls who deserved more than to live in a tent and in the mud. »

We distribute what we can like coats, clothes, boots... and some tents in the evening for those who arrive and have nothing.

We see Indians coming, big guys with a turban and a silver bracelet... This is new on both sites. They don't eat meat. We get into the habit of preparing and offering a vegetarian tin. A moment of relaxation for us, it feels good even if the atmosphere was very serene, when one of them tells us very seriously: "Yes vegetarian, but with chicken! »

## THE SMALL BOATS.

At the coldest moment, these families have almost all gone to shelter, in CAES, for a few days, to keep the children warm ... There were almost none left at the distributions.

But before the weekend of 21<sup>st</sup> / 22<sup>nd</sup> January we saw them back in numbers: the wind had calmed down a little, the smugglers had announced that the crossings were resuming. Indeed, that weekend and during the beginning of the following week, we had announcements of passages, but also saw many people return after a failure ...

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup>, Marie sends us this testimony: "This morning my husband met about fifty people loaded with blankets and bags at the height of the wood of Leffrinckoucket, very quiet ... ». It's a "back to square one... " she adds.

1,745 successful passages in December according to the Home Office. Not far from 1,200 announced on January 30<sup>th</sup> (despite the storms) by the British Ministry of Defense, according to the site "GB Britain's news Channel" including 189 Sunday 29<sup>th</sup>. These figures do not take into account those who arrive discreetly.

The police are trying to prevent them from leaving by all means: on January 1<sup>st</sup>, volunteers from Salam in Calais see on the road to Waldam (by the sea, between Calais and Gravelines) four large groups of exiles, sitting on the ground, with police vans in front of them. It makes no sense to prevent people from settling and at the same time prevent them from leaving places without water and toilet points... The work of associations is to help them survive, in the first sense, not to die. It is not to help them in passing but not to prevent them from doing so...

Some arrive with the image of a reception center that we also dream of: on January 6<sup>th</sup>, the Calais team sees a group of Algerians, undoubtedly adults, well dressed, with impeccable shoes, who were looking for the "hotel" of the camp. What an image of the France they send back to us...

Another, rue des Huttes, on January 18<sup>th</sup>, was looking for the boat to England. "Finished Boats?" he asked angrily.

The shelters requested are sometimes absurd: on January 9<sup>th</sup>, still rue des Huttes in Calais, a young Iranian woman is sent on a different bus from that of her brothers (therefore to a different destination). They are adults, they do not meet the definition of a "family".

But what a terrible idea is that of these people sitting on an inflatable in the middle of a freezing sea, and it is no more acceptable for adults than for children...

The news of the suicide of the young Sudanese on January 3 (see already the December newsletter) remains present in all our heads...

For you  
We don't know your name  
But we've seen you often  
Alone in distribution  
Your gaze extinguished and closed  
Standing filled with loneliness  
Often we were worried about you... For your future  
A future destroyed by inhumane living conditions.  
How sad to know this gesture of despair...  
That sad end of you...  
We think of you, this stranger,  
Death in Calais... Again and again.

*Ferri Matheeuwsen, Calais, 3 January 2023.*

## **THE COURTS HAVE NOT SPARED US THIS MONTH.**

**The prefect appealed against the annulment of the decrees banning the distribution of free food and drink in certain streets of Calais:**

We receive on January 21 the following message from the PSM: "We come back to you to inform you that, as we could imagine, the prefect of Pas-de-Calais has appealed against the judgment of October 12, 2022 rendered by the administrative court of Lille. »

**The Town Hall of Calais wins in summary Useful measures the evacuation of the George V, Faidherbe and Mollien bridges as well as the neighbouring quays: the information is taped on the spot.**

This judgment is taken against occupants of the public domain without right or title. It takes into account (it reads...) the "requirements attached to respect for one's dignity and private and family life" and will therefore be accompanied by care in reception centres (we unfortunately know the inadequacy of this care). It is based, among other things, on the fact that there is "no drinking water, no electricity, no sewage and sanitary waste disposal system". (NB We do not disagree but know that the places likely to receive the exiles after their evacuation will be just as devoid of them).



## **HOWEVER, THE AMBIANCE IS SOMETIMES AT THE PARTY:**

On January 11, in a Spanish inn, the Grande-Synthe team pulled the kings.



**LET'S FINISH WITH THE WISHES OF WILMA, arrived by mail.**

Another year begins. I should say "Happy New Year, good health". I wish you those things, of course. But the word that comes to mind is "Sorry". A word that contains notions of regret, sadness, desire to console and need for consolation.

*Claire Millot.*



IMMIGRATION ACT,  
Trades in tension.



Drawing taken from the Facebook page of NC, cartoonist.

PENSIONS ACT.  
A word from a volunteer.

The vitality of associations would not be what it is without the presence of retirees.

This is certainly the case in Salam.

I know some retirees whose activity is episodic for some, omnipresent for others. Thank you to all those, to all those.

For example, to these eight elders of Thursday in Calais, who, in addition to the "distribution" of the morning, allow, we hope, another elders to breathe a few moments.

And so long live retirement at 60 to help associations, especially since its financing is quite possible, if only by taking 2% of the fortune of the very, very, very rich.

**André de Merlimont** (who comes every Thursday to Calais accompanied by retired colleagues from Le Touquet.)

## PEOPLE FLEEING WAR

*One of our volunteers came across this information on the internet...*

### YOUNG UKRAINIANS ON THEIR WAY TO DUNKIRK

Twenty teenagers from the Ukrainian city of Boutcha are expected in Dunkirk from January 31<sup>st</sup> as part of an exchange program initiated by Patrice Vergriete and Anatolii Fedoruk, mayor of Butcha. During their stay they will participate in many activities in different places of our city and will meet high school students from the Erasmus lycé eJean Bart class as well as students of other nationalities as part of the European program (Sweden, Italy, Ireland and Poland).

The arrival of these 20 young Ukrainians is made possible thanks to the help of Europe Prykhystok (word meaning "shelter" in Ukrainian), an association that supports people fleeing the war, in close collaboration with the Urban Community of Dunkirk.

Dunkirk hopes to share its experience of resilience with this hard-hit city and forge strong cultural ties and exchanges for the future. Boutcha could thus join the network of memory cities that Dunkirk animates.

**It's perfect... Well done! We are really happy for them...**

**BUT PEOPLE FLEEING WAR?**

**There have been some on the territory of the CUD (Syrians, Afghans, Sudanese...).**

**When will we get the same warm welcome?**

## TRIBUTE TO JEANNE



Janou has left us...  
(see last month's newsletter).

We resume here the tributes that followed one after another on our Facebook page (SALAM Nord/Pas-de-Calais):

### Pat Highlander Danton

Jeanne a woman in solidarity with the most disadvantaged, a lady and practically more.... she dedicated her life to others, loved refugees, Abouba as the Sudanese used to say... I remember Jules Ferry once as usual, Jeanne was talking with the boys and she fell, some Sudanese jumped the barrier to help her, when they lost their heads Jeanne dissuaded them from fighting, we lost someone important... rest in peace, your place is with God

### Liliane Palluet

What a magnificent life she led with her immense humanism! She rests in peace and will continue to live in the hearts of all those who knew her!

### Maria G. Vitali-Volant

A great loss of a righteous soul

### Elisa Benoit

She was a little granny of thunder, I knew her in Jean-Pierre's time when we went to do the work and distribution on Saturdays.... If paradise exists she has its place for sure, sincere condolences!

### Yamtou Salam

Great respect to this person of great humanity because it takes much to be near what needs it, I met her a few times but she was for me an example of commitment. Condolences to her family and the big family of SALAM Nord/Pas-de-Calais that she rests in peace

### Annie Raboteau

First my gym teacher, my neighbor when I was little, and then in Salam. It was someone very generous, she will go directly to heaven, thoughts for her family.

### Asso MINE De RIEN ·

Jeanne, an incredible person, full of humanity, at the service of all! We interviewed her in 2013 for our documentary "Invisibles, les volontaires de Calais". Our condolences to her family and members of the SALAM association.

**THANK YOU**

### THANK YOU TO THE VOLUNTEERS.

**This month, I start by giving the attention to the one who, one Thursday evening, sent me a salvo of enthusiastic texts:**

-Thank you Claire for adding what I noticed again yesterday namely that Geneviève and Ghislaine know how to take care of cleaning when I was able to advance Wednesday in the preparation of vegetables ... and when Denise, Marie and Agnès are busy sorting clothes... Yes, there really are "pearls" in Salam...

Signature: A volunteer amazed.

.... And I will add that Annie\* does not only know English... But she made the end of the market to maximize the fruit selection... and she made her "baptism" to the dishes of the bowls (which is not the "dinette"...)

Signature: An anonymous one.

- To the first message, I will gladly add that Cécile M.\*\*has found successors.

-PS to add... vegetables prepared in advance make cleaning impossible in normal times, I am talking about Ghislaine and Geneviève who do not stop.

- And I don't see everything. It's up to you to complete ...

\*Annie is an English teacher; she volunteers on Wednesday afternoons with some Salam volunteers.

\*\*A few years ago, Cécile supplied the Grande-Synthe team with fruits and vegetables, haggling unsold products at the end of the market, with a professional talent.

## SO, LET'S COMPLETE IT!

**Thank you to those who are there every week**



**to prepare,**



**distribute,**



**wash the dishes,**



**pick up the surplus at Emmaus on Saturday...**



**A special thank you to Sunny who alone ensured the preparation of the meal on Saturday, January 7th, and this is not the first time... and certainly not the last...**

**Thank you to those who, at each distribution, took turns to collect the waste, in order to keep the place clean, sometimes even beyond the gates, on the space that belongs to Total.**

**Thank you to those who are reside far away, and who return regularly to be with us:**



Soline from Dordogne and those from the East: Bernard de la Meuse, Sandra de la Moselle accompanied this time by Sabrina. Our friends from the East divided their time between Calais and Dunkirk.



**THANK YOU TO THOSE, KNOWN OR UNKNOWN, WHO GAVE US GIFTS FOR OUR EXILED FRIENDS.**

Bart, Philippe's friend, who brought on January 3rd a wooden truck that he made and provided happiness to many..



Thanks to Anouk, volunteering for a day, with us during a Saturday distribution to make up the children.

- Guy, on January 7, brought bags full of clothes he had collected.
- Our friends from the East, Bernard de la Meuse, Sandra and Sabrina de la Moselle, present the week of January 9, had their vehicles full of donations that they shared, like their time, between Calais and Dunkirk. It was the result of collections in their regions.
- Sébastien arrived on January 21 with his trunk full of children's belongings.
- Nabil, on January 25th, offered us 120 kg of sugar!
- Mahmoud dropped off men's sweaters and pants on Thursday, January 26. He promised to come back and help us.
- Ladies from Hazebrouck passed by with donations, following a death, on January 27. They intend to come back.
- Loyal donors, who go through Mondial Relay, have not forgotten us: Sandrine on one side and Oliver on the other have spoiled us.

**THANK YOU TO THE MERCHANTS WHO GAVE US ROYAL GIFTS:**

- Pastry chefs from Steenvoorde gave us several cases of logs on 3rd and 13th January.  
Thanks also to Anne-Marie who made, without hesitation, took to the road for deliveries.

-Levis Calais gave us, on January 5, a box of Levis jeans, intended to be distributed to migrants.



- Marc, the owner of the Pulpo, a restaurant on the beach of Malo that must close three months during the work on the dyke, gave Jacky, on January 12, a set of foods and spices



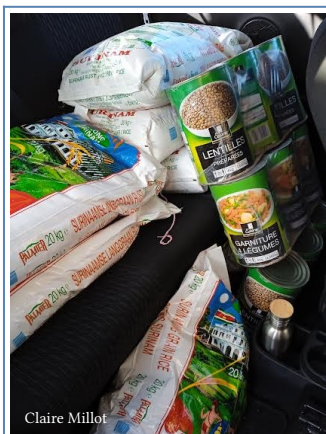
- Nelly and her 91-year-old mother Simone in Auxon les Vesoul hand-knitted snoods and sleeves that Elisabeth received at her home on 27th January.

### **THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO HELPED US ON BEHALF OF A COMPANY OR AN ASSOCIATION THAT IS A FRIEND OR IN THE PROCESS OF BECOMING ONE...**

-IBM bakers, based near the Channel with their ovens, provided the bread for Salam's breakfasts for much of January.

- AUDOTRI has on several occasions, at our two sites, provided us with blankets and clothes to distribute in the camps.

- A representative of the United Protestant Church of Artois and Thiérache brought us, on 7th January, the product of collections made in their churches.



- O's Refugee Aid Team, the association of our English friend Onjali, renewed its now monthly donation of food on 9th January.

The Secours Populaire/Copains du Monde has once again dared its gifts to the locals of Calais. Thank you email from 10th January: "So... Today it was clementines, oranges, Breton cakes and chocolate platters... everything you need to add a little sweetness to the sobriety of the breakfast distributed by Salam on the camps of Calais..."

Thank-you Christian, thank you Caro, thank-you to the whole team of Les Copains du monde.

Thank you for always thinking of us.

Thank-you for the Salam team and for those who devour in the morning... »

And at the last minute, on the evening of January 31st, I learned that a batch of yogurts, cakes and chocolate plates had arrived again the same day at our local in Calais.

Thank you, friends.

"It's not much but it's hard and we won't let you go," Caroline replied by email.

We know that!



Our loyal allies at FTS gave us large, airtight boxes to store pasta away from insects and mice.



Jean-Luc and Véronique Bardel, from Adventices Jardins, renewed their donation of vegetables through Jacky on 13th January.



- The local unit of the Red Cross of Saint-Omer donated ten survival blankets for the children of the camp on 28th January.

- The association Salicorne from Berck donated in January 65 kg of organic oranges from Sicily through the Lille association of "Givrés d'oranges"..

**AND FINALLY THANK YOU TO ALL THOSE WHO MADE US FINANCIAL DONATIONS,** without which we would not be able to maintain the vans, put diesel in the tanks, pay for the water and electricity used at our premises, replace the gas cylinders... Thank you to all those (close friends and strangers) who slipped us a ticket, sent a cheque, made a transfer directly or by Helloassos.

A special thank you to Marie, very present with us at the time of the Jules Ferry Center, who writes to us: "In the meantime, on April 1st I am doing a small concert here whose profit will be for Salam and to challenge the hearts of the Dieppois."

**THANK YOU TO BETHLEHEM, TO ABDELKADER AND TO THE ASSOCIATION RENAISSANCE, TO FLANDRES TERRE SOLIDAIRE, TO THE PROTESTANT MUTUAL AID, TO THE AUBERGE DES MIGRANTS which shares with us the ton of bananas offered by Dunfresh once a week, To EMMAUS which gives us surpluses every week, for Calais as for Grande-Synthe, to the Ressourcerie of Montreuil sur mer ("twice") and to the Secours Catholique de Berck who provide each month clothes brought to Calais by André de Merlimont, to the JARDINS DE COCAGNE, to the COMORIAN DAMES, to the RESTAURANT DU CAP in Escalles, to the bakeries opposite the Noordover, "La mie du pain" and "Au bon pain d'ancienne" of Coudekerque. Week after week, they are there to help us. Thanks to HRO and Olivier Schittek who allow us to publish their photos.**

**THANK YOU to the diocesan association of Lille** which, through the parish of Grande-Synthe, has been graciously making available the premises of the Salle Guérin, for about fifteen years.

**THANK YOU to Michel who ensures the layout of this newsletter, without fail, for years, to Antoine who manages the Facebook Page, also without fail, since 2017. to Chris who translates this newsletter from French to English.**

*Claire Millot.*

### **OUR NEEDS IN VOLUNTEERS**

#### **Dunkirk:**

We need people on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from the beginning of the peeling chore (8 am) to the end of the dishes (between 2 and 4 pm). In between, we distribute the meal.

Call Michèle (06 74 27 43 39). From outside France 00 33 6 74 27 43 39

#### **Calais:**

Salam continues the distribution of enhanced breakfasts every morning with tea and coffee. But we are sorely lacking volunteers, especially volunteers with driver's licenses: Meeting at 8 am at the local, 13 rue des Fontinettes.

Call Yolaine at 06.83.16.31.61. From outside France 00 33 6 83 16 31 61

### **CALL FOR DONATIONS**

#### **MONEY NEEDS.**

Without state subsidies and with a very significant reduction in subsidies from local and regional authorities, we still need money to make the work of the association last: Maintenance of premises and vans, fuel, purchase of food that is missing...

Visit the association's website: [www.associationsalam.org](http://www.associationsalam.org)  
Section : "Support us"

Go through HELLOASSO:  
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*A big thank you to all our generous donors!*

### **TENTS AND TARPAULINS!**

From dismantling to dismantling, the tents are removed at both sites and we are unable to replace them. Many people sleep with nothing on them, in all weathers.

But we hesitate to suggest you buy some: the life expectancy of a tent is a few days...

On the other hand, tarpaulins, pieces of 3m by 3m (or 2.50 m by 3), cost much less and allow an honest man to spend a night in the shelter.

### **Otherwise, the most pressing needs on both sites:**

BLANKETS (DUVETS, SLEEPING BAGS).

hygiene products (shampoo, shower gel, deodorant, sunscreen, etc.), especially razors, towels,

**men's clothing** from XS to XL: underpants, thermal leggings and thermal sweaters, socks, jogging pants, jeans, shorts, t-shirts,

SHOES for men: trainers or light hiking shoes ( European sizes 40 to 46), sandals, caps.

backpacks,

lamps and batteries,

water packs,

bags (small backpacks, garbage bags, freezer bags, tote bags and plastic bags)

### **Food for Calais:**

Milk

tea and sugar, instant soluble coffee,

cans of sardines and cans of tuna,

cream of cheese,

dried fruits,

Power banks

To drop off your donations, RDV 13 rue des Fontinettes, and call 06 83 16 31 61.

### **And for Grande-Synthe:**

Especially canned vegetables of all kinds (we have been receiving much less fresh for some time), bags of pulses, spices,

Drop off your donations in the Salle Guérin, rue Alphonse Daudet, behind St Jacques Church on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

## **CALL FOR CONTRIBUTIONS**

You can take your membership for 2023.

The membership form is attached to this mailing.

If you are not yet a member, do not hesitate to join us.

Whether you are an active volunteer or not, becoming a member gives the association the strength to the Union ! We were already more than 250 members in 2022, help us to exceed this threshold.

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- Apporter une aide humanitaire aux migrants (soins, hygiène, nourriture, vêtements...)
- Accompagner les migrants dans leur demande d'asile
- Informer et sensibiliser l'opinion publique sur la situation des migrants du littoral Côte d'Opale
- Combattre toutes les formes de racisme et de discrimination
- Agir dans les pays en difficulté
- Soutenir juridiquement les membres de l'association

Merci de remplir le bulletin ci-dessous et de le renvoyer à l'adresse suivante :

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J'adhère à l'association en versant la somme de 10 €.

(5 € pour les étudiants et demandeurs d'emploi , adhésion valable jusqu'au 31/12/2023)

Date et signature :

Je fais un don\* à l'association Salam en versant la somme de : \_\_\_\_\_

*\*Par chèque à l'ordre de l'association Salam. Un reçu fiscal vous sera adressé*

Je souhaite recevoir davantage d'informations sur l'association Salam.