

BRENNA ENGLE FOUNDATION JUNE 2010 NEWSLETTER

Dear Friends and Family:

Commit to the Lord whatever you do and your plans will succeed" (Proverbs: 16:3)

Just 2 days ago, we got the following note from regarding Yura. Please continue to pray for him as it sounds like progress is slow and he may have to have more surgery this summer:

FROM VALA:

"I went with Yura to hospital and here is the news:

The bones didn't grow together. It has been long enough for any bones to at least to start to grow together, but it didn't happen. Doctor says that we will wait 1 more month. During one month we should give him all kinds of vitamins and calcium for the bones Also, the doctor said to give him fish and holodec.

The wound itself has improved because of sodium chloride dressings we were putting on it If in a month there will be no changes Yura will need surgery again in July or August. They will take piece of the bone and put it in the end of the broken bone. Maybe this method will help.

He needs to walk only with one crutch for now.

Vala "

Here is a photo of the last day of school of the children with house mother, Vala:

If you remember for last month, Kola was chosen to "raise the flag" on the last day of school due to his "excellent behavior". Here is a photo of him.

Also, housemother Oxsana with the 3 girls:

Since school is out, Vala sent us the following note:

"We have had day camp at the church. There were kids from Brenna's home and they were very happy to be there, especially Yura. Half day he was walking and half day he was just laying. He keeps saying that he wants to run and play like other kids. It's hard to hear that and he gets upset when I don't let him play with kids where they running or playing with the ball.

Kola was helping a lot with the games during the camp. He is becoming very responsible. The children have summer vacation so they are very happy about it. In the morning we are reading Bible and are praying . We pray for you.

May God bless you. We love you and many kisses.
Vala! "

BRENNA'S BASEMENT UPDATE:

We continue to invite our contacts to home to provide clothes and needed household items. A good friend of ours who is an attorney is now discussing the issues with town officials. Although we received an overwhelming response from those willing to help with a supporting a zoning appeal, we decided not to pursue a "Special Use Permit", since the fees of over \$1000 were not waived by the Town. Thanks to those of you who offered to attend in support and especially to those of you who wrote support letters! What a blessing. Continue to refer us to those in need for clothing and household items.

"The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in him and I am helped." (Psalm 28 :7)

Love Rich and Donna

