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TOP NEWS



THE CURA UMBRELLA CONCEPT

As we continue to receive an increasing number of individual requests for assistance, we decided to create the Cura Umbrella Concept. This initiative will encompass several smaller projects designed to provide direct assistance to children with disabilities and/or those in need across Switzerland.

The first two individual projects have already been successfully accomplished and the third one is in process:

- **Financing a wheelchair for the Children's Oncology department at the Lucerne Cantonal Hospital, ensuring greater mobility and comfort for the children going home after undergoing treatment.**
- **Sponsoring a skiing day for 2 children with special needs, offering a unique opportunity for outdoor adventure and inclusion in a supportive environment.**
- **Horse therapy once a week for 3 months, for 2 children with special needs. (To be continued if required)**



WHEN ART MEETS ALTITUDE

“Great things are done when men and mountains meet.” This timeless quote came to life in February 2025, when renowned Hamptons-based artist Julia Scheuer unveiled her stunning first Mountain Series at the Flowershop in Gstaad. Her evocative work captured the spirit of the mountains and gave back to them: 40% of the proceeds are being donated to support our new Cura Umbrella Concept.

A heartfelt thank you to Julia for supporting our mission and proving that art can be a powerful force for good. **Don’t miss the beautiful article written by one of our young Cura volunteers in GstaadLife:**

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INSPIRING THE NEXT GENERATION

At the suggestion of one of our supporters, Cura has begun engaging with local schools to educate students about charitable giving, inclusion, and the impact of our work. In January, we visited a local private school where we introduced our projects and explored ways students can give back. Together, we set meaningful fundraising goals.

By involving young people in this way, Cura is not only raising awareness but also empowering the next generation to make a difference. We look forward to continuing these inspiring school visits throughout the year.

ACCOMPLISHED PROJECTS



FREEDOM TO SKI II

November 2024 – March 2025

In 2020, Cura Children’s Foundation funded and donated the first Tandem’Flex Ski to the Capdenho Association, facilitating access to skiing for about 250 children with disabilities per year.

Caroline's (Co-founder) beloved father, Bernhard Baumann was a passionate skier. In his memory, and thanks to generous donations made in his honor, the Foundation has now raised CHF 10,700 to purchase a second Tandem'Flex Ski.

This heartfelt initiative will allow even more children facing physical or mental challenges to enjoy an unforgettable ski day in the Swiss Alps.

Thank you so much!

SPECIAL PROJECTS





ONGOING FUNDRAISING PROJECT BY JFK SCHOOL IN SAANEN

Through Cura, the JFK School is actively raising funds throughout the 2024–2025 school year to renew the play and training structures in the Allschwil "Puppy Garden." The upgraded equipment will support the puppies' development in balance, coordination, and confidence - vital skills for their future as assistance dogs.

Due to the generosity of donors, the JFK School will also contribute to the 2.5-year training program for two puppies, Purple and Percy, further supporting their journey to becoming fully trained.

LOCAL NEWS



- Churros were the star of this year's Cura Christmas stand, and our Glühwein sold out, clear signs of a successful event! A heartfelt thank-you to all our dedicated Cura elves.
- Lion, who lives with cerebral palsy, was our very first ski buddy on the Tandem'Flex Ski. This year marked his fourth experience with us. His joy and excitement, clearly expressed through his beaming smiles and delighted shouts are a testament to how much he love the thrill and speed of the adventure.
- We extend our sincere thanks to GstaadLife, GstaadLife Online, and Anzeiger von Saanen for their generous coverage of our work over the past six months.

Thank you all for your incredible support—none of this would be possible without you.

We always welcome your ideas and suggestions. Feel free to reach out via email or visit our website.



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