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Greetings!

Curry dinner and presentation

On Saturday 13th June we are holding a special curry dinner in the historic Tithe Barn, York. The dinner will be two courses with a choice of veg and non veg Indian curries. The vegetarian option will be prepared by Anil Sahu and Diptiman Singh using authentic Indian spices they have brought over from India. This will be followed by a selection of puddings and finished off with coffee. Wine, beer and soft drinks will be available from a pay bar. The ticket price is £15 but as the venue can only



seat 80 people, if you would like to attend please book asap.



Anil, CEO of Project Mala, India, and Diptiman, IT and website development expert, will also demonstrate the new Mala App which will allow current sponsors to access their personal login to view their sponsored children on a mobile phone without having to go to our

We believe that we are the first charity to offer this facility, where sponsors will be able to see school reports, photos and a profile for each child, as well as features to include seeing your children's

attendance.

Also at the dinner will be Satyam, who is the latest and fourth Mala student invited to spend a year at Foremarke Hall (Repton's Preparatory School) in England. He will tell sponsors how he is coping with studying in a foreign language and living in the UK.

I attach Satyam's first report for you to see how he has done and you will be able to ask him questions about his experiences. Satyam is the son of one of Mala's first children to study in our schools. Sadly for his father, Mala did not have the facility in those days to study beyond primary level.





The Tithe Barn is often referred to as "Rupert's Barn" because, on the eve of the battle of Marston Moor on 2nd July 1644 during the English Civil War, Prince Rupert, a nephew of Charles 1st and a leading Royalist General, is said to have stationed his troops in the barn overnight after having crossed the river nearby.

If you know anyone who you think might be interested in this newsletter, please forward it on.

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