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NEWSLETTER

JULY – DECEMBER 2010

BRINGING AWARENESS OF THE REALITY OF COW AND BULLS

JULY 2010

PARTICIPATION AT THE ANIMAL PROTECTION DAY

On Saturday July 31st 2010, the 21.st 'Animals Rights Day' took place at the Marienplatz in Munich and we were so



fortunate to take part with an info tent. We distributed flyers



different promotion material. It was a lovely day and we made many contacts and met nice people.

with the support of many friends and sold T-shirts, Calendars, Postcards and other

AUGUST – OCTOBER 2010

CARE OF GAURANGI



Some months ago Syam helped a milk farmer in the area, and there we met a milk cow with a very bad opened wound on her back leg. He spoke to the farmer and we started to take care of her. With the help of our good friend Wenda from England (who always give us advice, per telephone, regarding medication for the sick animals) we started to treat the sick cow. Her health improved and her wound healed in few weeks. We were very happy of the results and planned to buy the cow from the farmer. Due to her recovery, the farmer put her again with the other milk cows and we thought she would be fine. However, for pure

curiosity Syam went everyday to check on her to suddenly found out that she did not eat anymore, because the other cows did not let her approach the feeding place. She lost her good condition very fast and we decided to take her out of the stable. It took us 40 minutes to accomplish 20 meters. Syam support her on the back and I guided her on the halter. She was in very bad condition and with the help of the veterinary; we started to treat her with infusions and minerals to nourish her. After 5 days she stood up by



herself and started to eat big portions like in the past. There was good hay and some cereals and vegetables. However, a new problem came up, an open

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wound on her hip bone appeared, after a good treatment and daily change of bandage, the wound closed in 3 weeks and on October 10th it was finally healed. Oh, the farmer gave us the cow as present, because he was impressed of our care and we brought her on October 3rd to our stable, where she was friendly welcomed by our love ones. By the way, we gave her the name Gaurangi.



Gaurangi was only 6,5 years old and nevertheless her hard life a very friendly cow, who was very thankful and full of love to everyone who gave her some attention.

Let her be in our hearts for long time.

Our Gaurangi was a very nice cow, and on October 12th we met at the stable with our friends Istvan, Arundhati and Rasa and we nicely brushed and fed all the cows and oxen. It was a very pleasing atmosphere.

But on the next day overtook us a shock. Gaurangi had left us, her body was cold and hard. She laid very peacefully and her eyes were still open. The Vet said she had died from a heart weakness during the night. We are sure that she went to the land of the eternal happiness and peace.



P.S. The veterinary told us that it often happens that a misused milk cow dyes from a weak heart, because they are not meant to produce 8,000 or more liters milk per year.



Siroumani



JULY 22ND 2007

Bhima



Bhumi



SEPTEMBER 12TH 2008

Raghu



AUGUST 9TH 2005



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NOVEMBER 5TH 2008

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS FROM OUR LOVE ONES

NOVEMBER 2010

BIRTH OF SRIDHAR JOSE



On Monday November 1st at 5:15 a.m. our first son Sridhar Jose Becher was born. He was 55 cm long and weight 3.8kg at the day of his birth. Both mother and child were exhausted after 3 days of labor.



After 2 months Sridhar is 58 cm long and weights 5,2 kg, a real little lump of sweetness.



We specially thank our midwife Ina, without her we could not have made it...

VISIT OF H.G. BALABHADRA PRABHU

In December arrived a long time expected guest of honor: HG Balabhadra Prabhu from USA. Over the last 20 years he has been engaged on cow protection and agriculture at ISKCON (The international society for Krishna Consciousness). Due to health reasons last year he couldn't come but this year work out and no matter the high snow, we could do a couple of training exercises with Bhima.



Probably you will ask yourself how it fits together cow protection and training the oxen? Well, that functions very good, because the oxen are very big and strong animals and one should be always very careful when is in close contact with them, although one knows and trust each other well.



In order to make this contact as safe as possible, one has to teach them some commando, so that safety for the animal and us is assured. One teaches the dogs also to hear when they are called, isn't it.

There was also a nice program at our house where we invited local animal protectors and Balabhadra Prabhu gave a very inspiring lecture on the topic "Cow protection and Krishna Consciousness".



Obviously, the topic blood milk came into discussion, and we were encouraged to preach about this and to clarify the situation of the milk cows to the people. Because most of the people do not know what is behind this business.

Yasoda

Virya

Bhima



LOOKING FOR SONS

**CURRENT PROJECTS &
SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:**

- **New home for Happy Kuh**
- **Help us spread the word...**

Hello dear friends and cow protectors,

As you all know we are looking for a new home. A new, bigger and most important safer home for our cows and oxen and for us.

What are we looking for?

A small house with lots of land and if possible a stable and a barn. The land should be at least 4 Hectares and not separate (which means that the whole land must be all enclosed), because we need the land to provide enough food for the animals in summer and winter. It should have a maximum of 15 to 20 hectares, because bigger areas will surpass our working capacity. Of course the land should be predominantly pastures, with some trees and hedges, some forest is also ok.

What are we looking for?

We have evaluated the situation and found out that is not so relevant where the new home is located, the important thing is that the animals have a safe home, and when the we find some land on the North West, we would be ready to move there. Of course a place in Bayern is the easiest and most comfortable solution, because the move would be less complex and will cost less money as to move to other regions. For this reason when somebody hear something or know somebody or have an idea, please let us know.

We are ready to take the next step for the expansion of the project and to take new challenges for the welfare of the animals.

Thanks in advance for your time and effort to read this.

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HELP US SPREAD THE WORD ON COW PROTECTION

By purchasing any of the following items you will not only get a nice present for your loved ones but also help us to tell more people not only about the project but the importance of cow protection. To order a gift please contact your Happy Kuh Team:

Sebastian and Mariela

Article	Price
Happy Kuh Calendar	10 Euro
Postcards	1,20 Euro
Self-made Greeting Cards	2,50 Euro
Pictures in frame (different size)	3,50 - 9,90 Euro
T-shirts	12 Euro

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