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24/12/2023 – Christmas Presents for Children



ATA committee members Philip Lloyd, Tim Morgan and Levent Ozerdag brought some festive cheer to the children at the Çağlayan Children's Home in Lefkoşa, when they gave them Christmas Presents that the children could happily play together with, plus all those that had been collected for the ATA by North Cyprus Charity Bingo players based at the Roadhouse, Alsancak.

In addition to the ATA's presents, the bingo players ensured that every one of the care home's residents had at least two wonderful Christmas gifts to open on Christmas Day.

Filiz Cetin a supervisor at the home said 'when Philip walked through the front

door with an armful of presents, I thought how very kind, but when Tim and Levent walked through the doorway with similar armfuls, quickly followed by their family members also laden with presents my jaw dropped in amazement.'

Back and forth to their cars they went time after time to deliver even more presents, prompting Filiz to break into tears and emotionally say *'On behalf of every child in the home, you have shown a kindness which will be remembered forever. Thank You, Thank You so much!'*

The ATA's committee would like to thank the North Cyprus Charity Bingo players for the support they have given to the ATA in providing a little happiness to those less fortunate!

Due to the security situation at the home, unfortunately the presents could not be given by Philip, Tim or Levent directly to the children.

