

ACEDE ouest Association: “Accueil enfants d’Ethiopie Ouest”



“Accueil Enfants d’Ethiopie Ouest” has been created in February 2006, in order to support the actions of ACEDE NGO in Addis Abeba.

ACEDE NGO’s objective is to help young mothers without resources and their children who live in Addis Abeba.

General activities:

“Accueil enfants d’Ethiopie ouest” is looking for funds to back up NGO projects in Ethiopia. The association organizes different kind of events (sales of handicraft made by the Ethiopian mothers, shows to introduce the projects in addis abeba, presentations in schools). The association acts mostly in Calvados and West of France.

ACEDE NGO projects: Welcome Infants from Ethiopia

The local NGO has been created in December 2003. Bernadette HAILE FIDA, French woman who is resident in Ethiopia, is the founder of this NGO.

The actions:

- To sponsor mothers and children for a maximum of two years and during this time, to give them the opportunity to follow a training (in embroidery, weaving, sewing), and to welcome their children during their training time.

Our objective is to insert those women in Ethiopian society, and to help them to become self sufficient (for the budget, the children education, and the daily organization).



The main goal is to make the mothers independent, autonomous and this is the reason why the sponsorship program is limited to two years. The women have the possibility of following classes to eliminate illiteracy, or mathematics, or English lessons at the same time as their training.

- To sponsor orphans or abandoned children who are older: children who are looked after by their close family or by their family’s friends. To help them to live in decent conditions, to get access to school, and to give a contribution to the families for the accommodation and food cost.

One day at the NGO:



The sponsored mothers receive 25 euros per month for their housing and their food. They get together by 2 or 3 to find accommodation nearby the NGO and thus to share the rent.

The mothers arrive at the NGO at 8 o’clock in the morning, everyday, except during the week end.

Not having water at home, they are washing themselves and their clothes and do their laundry in the NGO premises.

They have 6 hours of training per day. The training is done by 2 teachers. They learn embroidery (table clothes), sewing, and weaving (scarf). Those trainings will help them to get a textile know how and to find a job in the future.

The mothers are not paid during the training time. However a bank account is opened for each mother by the organization and the money they have earned by producing will be returned to them at the end of the sponsorship program.

It will allow them to buy their own equipment, and get a small amount of money when sponsorship is over.

The children:

The children less than 3 years are going to the nursery, and those over 3 years old are going to the kindergarten. Both structures are in the same premises away from the training place of the mothers.

The children care is properly adapted with the help of qualified staff and the children can fully enjoy the playground before returning to their mother at the end of the afternoon.

The children old enough to go to school attend class in nearby schools.

Short and long term needs:

To continue those projects, ACEDE ouest, propose:

- A sponsorship program for mothers and children: sponsors are giving 25 euros per month, for 12 months, 18 months, or 24 months.
- The sponsorship allows the mother to follow her training and to live a decent life with her child during that period
- A support for all the NGO projects every month (for 12 months, 18 months, or 24 months)
- A punctual donation, donation which is going to help us to improve the mothers and children care.

Each of your donation benefits from a tax reduction of 66% of the donation amount within the limit of 20% of the taxable income.

Do not forget: a monthly sponsorship donation of 15€ will actually cost you only 5.10€ per month (a one off donation of 100€ will only cost you 34€ after deduction). ACEDE will send you a fiscal receipt upon receipt of your donation.

ACEDE association undertakes to send you reports of sponsored families twice a year. An annual bulletin from ACEDE will be sent in order to give some information about the projects to the sponsors and donors.



Sponsorship program

I would like to sponsor a child and his mother.

I agree to give a donation of 25 euros per month during:

- 12 months
- 18 months
- 24 months

I would like to sponsor general NGO projects.

I agree to give a donation of euros per month during:

- 12 months
- 18 months
- 24 months

I would like to adhere to the association ACEDE Ouest.

I agree to give a donation of 15 euros (for one year).

I make a donation of €.

Payment:

By cheque:

To “Association ACEDE Ouest - Accueil Enfants d’Ethiopie Ouest”, and to be sent to:

ACEDE Ouest - Anne Decouvelaere

5, rue du Bout de Banville - 14470 Revers - FRANCE

By bank transfer:

Our bank details are:

Name of the bank: **Caisse d’Epargne de Basse Normandie**

100, avenue Henry Chéron - 14000 Caen

Account: **Association ACEDE Ouest**

Number: **0805 003 1111** - Key : **95**

Bank code: **11425** - Counter code: **00200**

For people who are living abroad (outside France), thanks to give this reference:

IBAN : FR76 1142 5002 0008 0500 3111 195 - BIC : CEPARFP142

Your details

Name: - Surname:

Address:

Zip code: - Town:

Phone number:

Email :

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Mothers’s words

Yeabsera , mother of Abenezzer-Daguem:

“When I have been admitted at the NGO, I didn’t have any job, hope, and I was living under the church care. I was occasionally working for individuals (dish washing and washing up). I was afraid of the future for me and my child. As soon as I arrived at the NGO, I knew I was not left alone anymore. We had got, my child and I, a shelter, some food, some clothes, and the possibility to wash ourselves.

I am following a training which will help me to become self-sufficient and that helps me to regain hope. My child is learning a lot at the kindergarten and has friends with whom he plays. He also learns to obey, and to live with others. I believe in the future.

The NGO personal is taking care of us, advising us, and listening to us. I wish that others women will get the chance to enter in this NGO and to get training”.



Abeba, mother of Salome:

“ACEDE NGO got me out of the difficult situation I was in before being admitted. More than the food and the clothes I can get now, it brought me knowledge and an education I didn’t get the chance to receive before. For my child, there are no words which are strong enough to express what I feel. Nothing is missing: clothes, food, games, people who take care of her when I am working, friends.

My daughter is really happy and for me, nothing should change”.



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“Welcome infants of Ethiopia”

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To support young mothers without resources and their children, in order to help them to live in decent conditions.

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