



Helping the Homeless in Central London
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Dear *Robin*

Thank you for your kind donation of

£650 plus!

towards the work of the Soup Kitchen.

Our autumn session is going well – busy, but rewarding as ever. We were sad to lose our SK Manager of more than 3 years, Jake, at the start of the month but are very happy with how our new Manager Maria, and Assistant Manager Renzo are settling in. They are coping very well with the continued growth in our guest numbers and thanks to supporters like you, we are still managing to keep up with the additional costs that we are experiencing.

You may be aware that over the next year, the government are introducing changes to the welfare system, so that claimants receive all their benefits in just one payment called 'Universal Credit'. There will be strict financial sanctions for claimants who do not cooperate fully with the new system, and we expect that we will have to help more individuals who will end up with too little money for food, so your ongoing support will be important to us.

The final stages of work on our new cabin are also progressing well, and we are really starting to see the benefit of this warmer and more welcoming space. It is particularly important that our guests have a place like this where they feel relaxed and safe so that they can ask for any additional help that they may need from us.

With many thanks and best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Miranda

Miranda Suit, Director

*Another great
event - thank
you so much!*