



REQUEST FOR SUPPORT – WINTER COATS URGENTLY NEEDED FOR REFUGEES

#Coats4Calais

Can you help provide a refugee with a coat this winter?

Care4Calais is a humanitarian charity providing urgently needed aid to the many refugees currently residing in Northern France. Just because the Calais 'Jungle' was dismantled last year, it doesn't mean the refugee crisis on our doorstep has disappeared. With conditions worse than ever, and winter approaching fast, there's never been a more critical time to help.

Thousands of refugees are sleeping rough in and around Northern France, and a worrying number of them are unaccompanied, highly vulnerable and frightened minors. Care4Calais estimates that today the figures are -

- 750 in Calais
- 250 in Dunkirk
- 400 in Brussels
- 1,500 in Paris
- 400 in Metz

That's over 3,000 people living in the worst conditions we have seen so far. No sanitation, no clean water, no shelter. Poor physical and mental health is at an all-time high. Should this really be happening so close to our shores?

This winter our goal is to provide each and every one of these refugees with a warm winter coat. To do this we URGENTLY need your help. What can you do?

We're launching #Coats4Calais on 1st December so we need to act fast!

1) We need community leaders and celebrities to spearhead the campaign by supplying us with an image of themselves holding up a coat they are willing to donate

– please send images to sarahs@theclintonpartnership.com ASAP and by 30th Nov at the latest

2) Post this image on social media on 1st December (or soon after) with a message such as:

"Show you @Care4Calais by donating a coat to a refugee this winter. Here's my #Coat4Calais"

3) Contact us for details of our nearest donation point, or we will arrange collection of your coat. Please contact Sarah on 07765 110438 or sarahs@theclintonpartnership.com

- If you can't give a coat, simply visit www.care4calais.org to make a donation

THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

For further information please contact Sarah Sawrey-Cookson on sarahs@theclintonpartnership.com / 07765 110438.

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