

Lions increase club's donation to Nepal fund

FARNHAM Lions has donated £1,500 to the Nepalese disaster fund in support of those caught up in the devastating earthquakes last month.

At the recent Indian Spectacular held by the Lions to raise money to build a medical centre at a children's home in Kerala, India, a group of Nepalese singers were part on the entertainment.

Only a couple of days before, their country suffered its second large earthquake in a matter of weeks, bringing more misery to its people.

A spontaneous collection was made and £1,205 was collected from the 400

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guests at the event.

At the Lions' business meeting last week, the club voted to increase this donation by a further £300 from club funds.

The £1,500 was paid to Lions Clubs International for immediate onward transmission to their club in Katmandu to help with the relief fund.

Farnham Lions' president Keith Harris said: "This was our small contribution to a massive requirement for this small poor country to help them in their moment of plight."