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**CHRISTMAS APPEAL ON BEHALF OF TEAMS4U**

On behalf of Teams 4U, we are asking WI members to send in their handmade knitted hats, mittens, and gloves to County office from NOW until Wednesday 16 October 2024. This is to support the charity in their appeal for children in Romania, Ukraine, Bosnia & Belarus to be given as a gift in time for Christmas. Children’s difficult lives and circumstances are blessed by these gifts more than we can imagine. The lorries will be leaving Britain shortly after the deadline and we need to get them to the distributor, so please be aware of the closing date!

**Please ensure that gloves are securely tied together as a pair. NB: No other clothing, knitted or otherwise can be accepted due to Border Controls and transport costs.**

Age ranges: 2-4 years, 5-9 years, 10 and above (particularly mittens for boys over 10).

Patterns are available on 365 SharePoint in WI Information/WI Meetings/WI Activities/Teams4U, or from County Office on request.

For further information on the Shoe Box Appeal, please visit the website teams4u.com/shoebox-appeal.

On behalf of Teams4U, a big “thank you” to all who knit and all who support them.