



FOUNDATION TOTAÍ UPDATE

APRIL – JUNE 2022

The Departmental Health Service (SEDES) carried out the annual evaluation of our institution, with FT attaining the renewal of authorization as a health center with a very high score, and receiving congratulations from SEDES officials, as one of the few health centers in our city that complies with all biosafety and quality protocols. This is so important, especially as covid is still very much present with us in Trinidad and in our country as a whole.



In order to improve our infrastructure, the workers have started painting and gardening in their free time. We want to highlight the attitude and commitment of all our staff and thank them for their dedication and hard work.



SPORTS

With a lot of effort and sacrifice, our children in the 7 and 15-year-old categories achieved 3rd place in the municipal 5-a-side football championship. We thank the coaches and parents for all the support received and we congratulate our athletes for their achievement. Simon and San continue to train with the children four days a week, and around 35 children attend. San shares short devotions with the children at some of the training sessions, and as a result of the work done in both the sports and community areas, around 12 children regularly attend El Jireh church on Sunday mornings.



We celebrated the 'Day of the Child', by spending quality time with the children, having fun, playing games and competing in quizzes and contests. We want our classes and activities to remind each child that they are special and valued by God.

COMMUNITY



We continue to support our children in their online school classes through our interactive virtual classroom, with modern tablets and internet. The parents of our children have expressed their gratitude, since it has been very helpful, especially for those families who do not have a mobile device or internet access. The children start their community classes with some active praise and worship songs, and Carla teaches weekly Bible lessons to the group. The children also learn sign language, crafts and chess.



We thank our volunteer Abel Araújo, who, in a very committed and enthusiastic way, is teaching chess lessons to our children one day a week in the community class. The children are enjoying

learning a new skill, and this type of activity has been found to improve children's attention span and concentration, which in turn supports their ability to focus on their schoolwork



PRAYER and THANKSGIVING

- Pray for the agreement with SEDES to accredit our speech therapy service.
- Pray for the signing of an agreement with the Andean Medical Mission Foundation, to provide ophthalmology services to people with limited resources in our facilities.
- Pray for the health of our staff who are unwell due to colds, dengue and Covid-19.
- Give thanks for the visit of Rachel Peebles, her son Isaac, and Niamh McIvor to our city – we thank God that he blessed their time with us at FT, and the work they were involved in, supporting the ministry here.
- Give thanks for the young people from the sports and community área, who have started coming along to church on Sundays. Pray that God will work in their lives.