

With the Guardian Charity Appeal drawing to a close, we just want to say thank you to everyone who donated and supported us. There has been a revolution of generosity in recent months, and it is lovely to start 2016 seeing that the Refugee Crisis hasn't been swept under the carpet, but is still very much in the minds of the public. [Here is a thank-you](#), from us, the Guardian and the other five charities. [Here you can see how we and the others plan to spend the money](#), and [here is an article all about why people donated so generously](#) in order to raise over £2.5 million pounds to support those seeking sanctuary across the world.

We look forward to receiving some very welcome funds from this appeal and to be in touch about ways we may be able to offer small seed type grants to local initiatives, so please watch this space.