



Hospital Diospi Suyana



Dr. Klaus John in the TV studio

A mission hospital for the Quechua Indians of Peru

Focus on Diospi Suyana

Dear friends,

On September 2nd, a three page article about Diospi Suyana appeared in "Somos", Peru's most popular weekly magazine. Journalist Doris Bayly wrote: "If faith can move mountains, then in the case of the John family it has also shaken wallets and

moved people's hearts and the authorities. This faith has overcome a hopeless bureaucracy, deep skepticism and doors slammed shut. It has found a way through blocked roads, dismantled mathematical arguments and made a way for catholic and protestant Christians to work together!" She is right, and we give God the glory for it.

Sincerely, Martina & Klaus-Dieter John

The Long Trek from Southern Germany to Curahuasi

On July 29th the first container arrived on the hospital site. All of the equipment for the hospital repair shop had been put together by the Kaltenbach Co and their partners. Among the many volunteers who perspired together to unload 10.3 tons of the finest wares was the mayor of the district. The next day Jean-Pierre Schlageter and Jonathan Lenz of Kaltenbach arrived to spend a month directing assembly of the equipment.



Equipment weighing several tons threatens to tip. Together we can manage it. The two trainees from Kaltenbach in the white helmets, bottom right. ▶

The Shell is Almost Complete

The last buildings, the operating rooms, are being finished off at present then work will commence on the roofs and interior

construction. Up to October 3rd, US\$ 1.8 million has been paid to the building company Construtec. Since we will not go into

debt, the receipt of financial gifts determines the pace of construction. Every dollar takes us a step further.



How the Hospital Equipment Comes Together

During his tour of Germany in August/September Dr. John visited a series of companies, which was to pay off. Aesculap Co. played a charity Golf Cup with over 100 participants in favor of Diospi Suyana.



▲ Aesculap: Charity Golf Cup for Diospi Suyana and equipment for operating rooms

▲ With Dr. Storz: Entrepreneur of the Year 2004, equipment for operating rooms and endoscopy

▲ Schöilly: Equipment for operating rooms

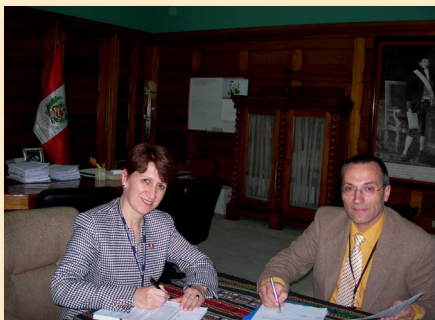
▲ Deister Electronics: security technology for the hospital

▲ Association of Friends of the Indios: Two Unimog all-terrain trucks

▲ Schmitz & Sons: Four operating tables and other furniture for emergency room and consulting rooms

Something New

On July 25th, Peru's Minister of Health, Dr. Pilar Mazzetti, signed a cooperation agreement with Diospi Suyana. This is the first time that the Peruvian Government has signed a contract with a privately funded hospital.



Now All Peru Knows

With the report in the Peruvian magazine "Somos", Diospi Suyana hit the limelight. The headline says it all: "Angels in the Andes: German doctors build modern hospital for the poor!"



In Germany, Hösch & Partners, the financial magazine, recently published a report. Over 100 articles have appeared in the press in total.



The Engelhards Are Here

Since August they have been part of the team – the Engelhards. Dr. Oliver Engelhard is an internist and his wife Birgit a nurse. We extend a warm welcome to South America to them and their three children.



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Petronela and her children

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Backs to the Wall

Every invoice from the construction company turns into a thriller. How and where will we scrape the money together? Which work should we start on, which materials should we buy later. Our most faithful supporters are school children, students, housewives and pensioners. We often stand with our backs to the wall and pray to God for the finances we need. We purposely do not appeal for funds. The hospital that is being built is to help people like Petronela. This Indio woman suffers severe pain and has four children to care for. She has put her hope in Diospi Suyana.