

Set 4 Student 2
PODARI ZHIZN

Foundation History and Functions	<p>Podari Zhizn (2006), was founded by 2 actresses, Dina Korzun and Chulpan Khamatova. Russia's most recognizable childhood cancer treatment organization and independent charity foundation, has helped 40,000 children and young adults.</p> <p>It established connections with leading medical facilities in Russia and abroad. In 2011 the Federal Center for Pediatric Onco-Hematology, treating 1,000 patients annually, received state-of-the-art equipment from Podari Zhizn. The charity arranges visits of foreign specialists to Russian centres to perform surgical operations, providing education programmes for Russian doctors.</p> <p>Gift of Life (2011, UK), and Podari.Life Inc (2015, US) - its charity branches gave hundreds of Russian children successful treatment. These organisations get support from the Russian-speaking community and were founded by enthusiasts - volunteers from Podari Zhizn. In 2012, the founders of Podari Zhizn received a special prize For Humanism by the Russian Academy of Cinema Arts and Science.</p>	
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to raise money for treatment and rehabilitation, • to help oncology and hematology hospital treatment, • to raise public awareness of pediatric oncological problems, • to promote voluntary unpaid blood donor movement, 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to provide social and psychological aid to ill children, • to improve conditions of oncological patients, • to develop work of volunteer groups at pediatric centers, • to lobby changes in taxation for anticancer drug access.
Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The annual World Children's Winners Games to help children get back to normal life. • Numerous cultural charitable events in London, attracting prominent philanthropists, entrepreneurs and renowned individuals from the worlds of art, culture, film, music and dance (with Uliana Lopatkina, Sergei Polunin, Vladimir Spivakov, the London Philharmonic Orchestra, Stephen Fry and many more). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regular events to gain financial support and donations in Moscow featuring many Russian celebrities. • The annual Russian Old New Year's Eve Gala - the main fundraiser.
Reasons to Join	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to enhance awareness of existing problems in child healthcare • to become a blood donor volunteer from the age of 18 • to participate in activities to render assistance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to increase social empathy in different ways • to develop responsibility for others • to stimulate desire to participate in events