



Support Network for ONGs & Indigenous Peoples
October-November-December 2021

We made it to the end of the year!

By the end of the year, the pandemic had wreaked havoc on many projects Junax collaborates with in Chiapas. Nevertheless, the house was alive. Junax perseveres thanks to ex-volunteers' help, as well as the kind donations from people all over the world. We are sure that a rebirth of solidarity work in Chiapas is about to happen and you have made it possible. We build Junax together, no matter where you are now. We want to take a moment to tell you once again: **thank you very much for your support!**



The work at Junax does not stop. Our collective life, the arrival of volunteers and the support to the communities have awaken from the lethargy produced by the pandemic. Slowly but surely, we are working again with urban, rural, peasant and indigenous organizations from our solidarity network.

In October, Garazi and Laia arrived from the Basque Country and Catalonia. They collaborated with our partner project **Tierra Roja**, an organization working on literacy, academic reinforcement and other training activities for children, youngsters and adults in San Cristobal de las Casas. Thanks to their support, **families suffering from poor living standards and social vulnerability have access to a space for development and learning, where community participation and collective development is promoted. A few weeks later, our volunteer Luis, a teacher from the State of Mexico, also joined Tierra Roja, supporting this organization until the end of the year.**



Elsa, Guillermo and their children arrived to Junax in November. They have been part of our community several times since 2014. As many times before, they supported **Textile and Craft Projects** developed by indigenous women in Chiapas. **Their collective effort seeks to strengthen the economy of vulnerable communities and help them sell their products at a fair price.** It benefits women by empower them socially and economically.

Diego and Braulio provided maintenance, technical support, house management and observation in Human Rights topics. Their support was invaluable for everyone in Junax, particularly to those starting their volunteering work next year.

Alexis, Cristina, Chiara and Mario, coordinated **the Global Giving donation campaign, #GivingTuesday.** Once again, we witnessed how many people around the world is willing to support our cause. With this effort, the Junax community built solidarity among organizations.

At Junax we were very happy to host people from different Chiapas municipalities and communities. They come to San Cristobal to carry out proceedings on **Human Rights Affairs**.

We know there is hope and a lot of work to do in 2021!



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