

## Sponsorship-May14-2018-Dobhi (Kulu Manali), Mumbai & Our Village

We commemorated Siddharth's birthday once again with a bittersweet ceremony in Dobhi, a village by the river Beas, in Kullu district, Himachal. The place is host to the YHAI (Youth Hostel Association of India) nature study and trekking camp for under 15 kids. We had undertaken to support in part the participation of handicapped/tribal kids. Saroj and I travelled to Dobhi to participate in this event. This year Saroj handed over a cheque of Rs. 25000/ in support of the participation of the kids to Shafi Panditji, National President YHAI and Maonj Joshiji, Chairman Adventure Promotion Committee. On the same day a special lunch with several vegetables and jalebis was hosted for the children who attend the government primary school at our village in Dharahara, Amnour Block, Bihar. Earlier on May 9 Saroj distributed food and fruits to children who come to attend a free school run by an NGO Asha Kiran in Andheri, Mumbai.

We thank the YHAI, the volunteers and service staff at Dobhi, all relatives, friends of Siddharth, well wishers, and the young kids at Dobhi who made it possible. We and Siddharth's many friends all hope to repeat this modest gesture which would have been very close to Siddharth's heart year after year for a long long time. [See also Anecdote Section – Anecdote-May14-2018-Dobhi(Manali)-Vijay]

### SHAURYA AT ANDHERI – MAY 9 2018



### DHOBI (MANALI) – MAY 14 2018



### Jalebis in our Village School (Bihar)



