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## HANDING OVER OF CHEQUES

*Steinfort, April 3, 2024 – The Steinfort Christmas Market, a local institution steeped in tradition and solidarity, once again demonstrated its commitment to the community at the donation ceremony held recently at the Al Schmelz cultural centre.*

Each year, a portion of the proceeds from this market is dedicated to supporting charitable organisations working for the well-being of the most vulnerable in Luxembourg. The 22nd edition of the Christmas Market last December was a great success thanks to the active participation of our exhibitors, local associations and loyal visitors.

Yesterday evening, during a small ceremony, the Steinfort municipal council, in collaboration with the Entente des sociétés, presented checks worth 2,500 euros each to two exemplary organisations. The first, the Canne Blanche asbl association, works to improve the lives of people who are blind or severely visually impaired. The second, the Autism Foundation, provides valuable support to people affected by autism.

In his speech, the Mayor of Steinfort, Sammy Wagner, thanked all those who contributed to the success of this prestigious Christmas market, which is known far beyond the borders of Luxembourg. He emphasised the importance of the solidarity and generosity that characterise the spirit of Steinfort.

This annual gathering would not be complete without the announcement of the next edition of the Christmas Market. The date has already been scheduled for the 2nd and 3rd weekends of December 2024 in the picturesque park between the town hall and Villa Collart, when the magic of Christmas will once again be present.

The cheque presentation was followed by the traditional glass of honour.

**About Steinfort municipality: a very dynamic municipality with a high quality of life at all levels**

Composed by the villages of Steinfort, Kleinbettingen, Hagen and Grass, the municipality of Steinfort has developed into one of the most modern living and working centers in the west of the Grand Duchy. The total area of the municipality covers up to 12.2 km2. Currently, the municipality counts around 6,000 citizens coming from about 90 different nationalities. Thanks to the numerous shops, associations, events and a wide range of leisure activities, Steinfort is a very lively municipality offering many ways to relax, e.g. by following one of the many hiking trails recalling the cultural heritage of the municipality or by taking a ride on one of the cycle tracks. Steinfort is located in the canton of Capellen and is in the immediate vicinity of the A6 motorway to the Belgian border and to Luxembourg City. The municipality is also committed to a good environmental quality in order to guarantee the health, well-being and quality of life of all its citizens. More info at www.steinfort.lu - #mirsistengefort

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