



The deep rooted conflict between the nuclear powers India and Pakistan affects the lives of millions, is a cause of migration and is a global threat.

An unparalleled cross-border pilot programme takes children and NGOs on a joint journey for Peace & Change!



Our Journey

2012-2015: Kick For Tolerance Founder, Clifton Rajesh Grover, travels to Pakistan and India identifying courageous NGOs to partner for a unique Pan-Punjab Peace & Youth-Initiative. Kick For Tolerance e.V. is founded in 2013 as a non-profit entity in Munich (Germany), taking on coordinating and funding roles.

2016-2019: With support of the German Foreign Office and the Robert Bosch Stiftung, KFT is launched in rural neighbourhood communities on both sides of the Punjabi border. More than 200 girls and boys, their families, schools and communities from both sides of the border are on a joint journey for development & peace in the region.

2020-2021: For several month KFT paused due to Covid. The field teams engaged in emergency relief actions to support our partner communities. With financial support of the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development, as well as the Rotary Club Dillingen, KFT was restarted in 2021. Programmatic sessions were partially digitized, mutual cross-border sessions were introduced as well as a Global Citizenship Education Curriculum (GCED) for the older age group (15+ yrs).

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How we work

We use „Streetfootball for Tolerance“ - an experiential learning tool - to create safe spaces for girls and boys to play and develop.

We conduct Sports For Development and Global Citizenship Education sessions in cross-border formats, promoting first hand experiences, mutual values and identities.

Our programme graduates break the circle of enemy images and become agents for Peace and Change.

We seek the collaboration with actors across borders and sectors to develop an impactful and sustainable approach that will change the lives of generations.

Impact

We reach out to more than 200 girls and boys, their families, schools and communities in rural Pakistan and India.

The programme proves to holistically strengthen psychosocial and physical resources, establishes cross-border networks and empowers its participants become to part of a change.

We build trust and skill sets at the local level of actors to start involving in cross-border Peace and Education projects.



Kick For Tolerance 2022+ Entering into a new phase with your SUPPORT!

- First time take participants from both sides to physically meet, play and work together.
- Launch a Youth & Peace Calendar as a cross-border project with stories, thoughts, pictures and paintings from youth from both sides.
- Send a video message of Peace and Unity to the FIFA World Cup 2022.
- Making female role models more visible, strengthening livelihood opportunities in society and sport.
- Scale the reach of the programme, making it more visible, increase the partner base.