



## PRESS RELEASE

THE ZARA INDIAN RESTAURANT in Great Shelford raised over £1200 in its recent charity dinner in aid of the people of Kerala in Southern India who were badly affected by the recent monsoon rains and floods.

The dinner, held on Monday 15 October, was a sell-out, and the excellent award-winning food which was served on the occasion was thoroughly enjoyed by everybody. The fund was helped by a raffle held on the evening, which distributed some first-class prizes.

The theatre, television, radio, and film actress Heather Craney (who is shortly to appear in BBC2's drama *Mother Father Son*) was also present, and she proposed a vote of thanks to Pasha Kasim and his staff for arranging the dinner and to all those present for supporting the cause.

On Tuesday 6 November Pasha presented a cheque for £1242.05 to the acting Indian High Commissioner, His Excellency Charanjeet Singh, at the India High Commission in London. He was accompanied by Charles Nightingale and Keith Craney, who had helped him arrange the very successful event.

*The attached picture shows (left to right) Mr Singh, Pasha Kasim, Charles Nightingale, and Keith Craney presenting the cheque.*

*NOTE: you hold a picture of Heather Craney in your library.*