

Support for the physically disabled 2,000 Euros for the Wetzlar "Young Care" Home



Berhard Pauly, former Steel Bar Sales and Stockholding department manager, drew the attention of Buderus Edelstahl to the "Young Care" programme of the Mansion House in Wetzlar Casino that cares for young physically disabled adults. The donation of € 2,000 was used for a unique "art trip" to Lake Constance.

Buderus Edelstahl consistently supports social projects that not infrequently fulfil long cherished dreams. "It's a great feeling to give people some extraordinary pleasure they did not even dare to dream of before", says Eva-Marie Wagner, social worker at "Young Care". But before the journey could start, there were some obstacles to overcome. Many difficult questions had to be considered, such as, "Will the six residents who require constant care manage such a long trip, will their state of health permit it, can adequate care be ensured for such a long period, even if the project is financed by generous donations like that of Buderus Edelstahl?"

The Mansion House "Young Care" team took up the challenge, and found the right solutions. The care coordinator and all six carers promised their full support – and the

"art trip" project was launched. The group went to Lake Constance from 26 to 30 October 2008. "Under the leadership of the artist 'Fritz', we saw things that would never otherwise have occurred to us in our situation. We took a boat trip to Constance.

And finally we were able to draw something with our modest resources, to the best of our ability. All that would not have been possible without the support of Buderus Edelstahl", acknowledges Eva-Marie Wagner.

"For Buderus Edelstahl it is a matter of course to accept its social responsibility, and act on it in numerous ways", say the Directors Karl-Peter Johann and Jens Mohr.

