

Game For A Change- An Initiative By Four Class 12 Students

Four class 12 students - Sabeer Bhullar, Aarush Shah, Ansh Mehta, and Ishaan Wahi have come together to do their bit in fighting this lethal wave of COVID-19. The initiative was born during one of their FIFA gaming sessions. Since all of us are at home, we're always thinking of creative ways to entertain ourselves. Seeing the dire situation around us, we were also looking to find ways to contribute however we could.

We thought about organising a virtual FIFA tournament where people can pay a minimum of Rs.500 to register themselves. So all of us came together to play some matches in the safety of our homes and raise money for resources. All proceeds from this tournament were donated directly to the Hemkunt Foundation for immediate COVID relief. There are millions of people looking for oxygen cylinders and medicines, and while we are not equipped to provide those, we do want to collectively donate to the right hands.

We've started small as we weren't anticipating so many people showing interest, but we're working on a plan to organise this tournament at a larger scale where more people can combine their love for gaming with helping society. We've collected Rs. 36,000 until now, and we foresee collecting a bigger amount in the future from further tournaments. No amount of donations are enough to help India's devastating covid situation right now, but we want to do all we can to even slightly improve the situation.