

Minibus for Associação Social e Cultural de Almancil

The International Rotary Club of Almancil has presented a cheque for €13,500 to ASCA (Associação Social e Cultural de Almancil) which, together with a donation of €5,000 from Loulé Rotary Club, will fund the purchase of a new Minibus. ASCA will use the bus to collect elderly people from their homes and bring them to its Centre as well as taking them on outings. ASCA, among many other activities, provides meals and health care for the elderly, as well as being a social club where they can spend the day and meet friends. They are offered health treatment, physiotherapy, an opportunity to pursue hobbies, or simply to sit, meet friends or watch television. ASCA also provides facilities for children with speech and language difficulties, as well as a library and other activities for local residents. It also uses its kitchens to supply 600 school meals every day during term time.

The photograph shows Peter Hinze, President of the International Rotary Club of Almancil with a photograph of the intended minibus and Sr Hermes Luís de Brito Alberto, President of ASCA, with the €13,500 cheque.



It appeared in both the Resident and The Portugal News.