

# THE MIHDI JOON FUND

**Beginning with One,  
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**BRC #547**

**Spring 2006**

## **Fund Developments**

The Mihdi Joon Fund continues to evolve as efforts are underway to put on its first seminar in Bermuda on the benefits of Oriental medicine as a complement to traditional Western medicine in our society.

In the United States alone, individuals currently spend over \$30 billion dollars on complementary and alternative medicine (CAM). The out-of-pocket expenditure trend is on the increase according to the Journal of the American Medical Association (JAMA).

The MJF, as a result of Mihdi's progress, is preparing to present periodic programs on this developing phenomenon in medicine.

## **Mission Statement**

The Mihdi Joon Fund is a registered Bermuda charity #547 designed to provide the funding necessary to pay for the treatment and expenses for Mihdi Q. Brock. It shall further work to promote a greater understanding of the benefits of Oriental medicine and how it complements traditional Western medicine.

As well, The Mihdi Joon Fund is designed to assist those seeking to use Oriental medicine for the treatment of illnesses and diseases for which they cannot afford to pay. This foundation is seeking to create an endowment fund that will manifest these goals.

## **A Progress Report on Mihdi Brock**

Inspiration is seeing that Mihdi has gained about three pounds in weight and 5 inches in height over the last year. This growth is a good sign; his inability to grow and thrive was always alarming in previous years. That failure to thrive has been a concern since birth.

Tae Kwon Do has been an important influence in Mihdi's life over the last year. Dr. Wu cited a Russian medical study kicking with was one of the prescribed Tae him. Mihdi is and is working and forms with he hasn't previously. was in his last grading, and has only intensified since then. Those in attendance at this testing were surprised when he was given a board to break. He followed through with great intent and ease. Since then he has been running to class without any need for encouragement or being taken by the hand.



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Recently the manuscript of the photographic story of Mihdi's journey, and the mission to save his life has been completed. Through its pages, Mihdi's dedication to the process in which he has been involved is clearly shown. A dictionary definition for the word "dedication" is "the act of binding oneself to a course of action." A synonym is devotion: "the giving or application of one's time, attention, or self entirely to a particular activity, pursuit, cause, or person." In reviewing these words, we recognize that Mihdi has committed himself entirely, in desire, time, and attention to this way of thinking and action. His devotion to this particular process or treatment protocol is seen in many ways, especially in how he runs down the hall to Dr. Wu's office. He is excited about how he can drink his herbs in seconds now compared to many minutes or hours a little while ago.

Academically, Mihdi is also beginning to improve as he is now having more success with his spelling tests, and he

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is doing his math with a lot more ease; a less little coaching is needed these days. He has a long way to go in this area, as with all of the other areas. As he is operating at a low first grade level although approaching the end of grade three, special tutoring is needed. There is much work ahead of us and funds are needed to pay for this with \$50.00 an hour being the going rate for a special education teacher to work with him outside of school.

All in all, Mihdi continues to make remarkable progress, nevertheless there is much work to be done, and he still requires our support for several years into the future.



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