



The Cambodia Education Fund

Our Annual Newsletter - December 2018



Holiday Giving: Sponsor a Scholar



Give the gift of education. We've created [a list of our scholars](#) in need and now you can make a specific donation to support one of them for a semester or full year. Check out the list, see what scholar or donation amount is right for you and make a pledge via [Paypal!](#)

Of course you can also make a donation of any size to the CEF. Consider how our funding impacts some of the organizations we work with...

- \$20 can send a student to school for an entire month
- \$50 supplies almost 200 children with the monthly needs of uniforms, books, pens, etc.
- \$100 feeds 100 students breakfast for a month

Make a donation on our [PayPal Page](#)

2018 Year in Review

Trivia in KL, Malaysia



Visits to ABCs and Rice



Trivia on Jeju, SK



MKE Pedal Trivia

Tammy visits Lucaya International School Freeport, Bahamas



Growth and Sustainability

Scholars and Dollars

In 2014, our first official year of The Cambodia Education Fund, we were able to support three scholars: one student in high school, one student in university, and one student in a vocational program. All of these programs were funded with less than \$2,500. Today, as 2018 comes to a close, we currently have twelve students enrolled in educational programs. 2018 brought many changes to the Cambodia Education Fund. Three of our board members relocated to new international teaching jobs and two other board members became parents. This hindered our typical level of fundraising, therefore this was the first year we did not take on any new scholars. Nonetheless, we are proud of our efforts to sustain the 12 scholarships we started our year with. In 2019, we look forward to bringing on 2-3 new scholars! As we continue to grow and support more students, we appreciate your continued support. Here is a breakdown of our fundraisers and expenditures in 2018.

<i>Fundraising Revenue</i>	
<i>Event/Community</i>	<i>Year-to-date Amount Raised (USD)</i>
<i>Kuala Lumpur Charity Trivia</i>	<i>\$3,346</i>
<i>Bahama's Student CAS Project</i>	<i>\$2,375</i>
<i>Jeju Island Trivia</i>	<i>\$604</i>
<i>Milwaukee Pedal Trivia</i>	<i>\$545</i>
<i>Kuala Lumpur Individual Donations</i>	<i>\$1,350</i>
<i>Quito Trivia</i>	<i>\$288</i>
<i>Peace Tree Yoga (Wisconsin)</i>	<i>\$297</i>
<i>PayPal Giving Fund</i>	<i>\$206</i>
<i>YEAR END TOTAL</i>	<i>\$9,011</i>

<i>Expenditures (Donations)</i>	
<i>Donation</i>	<i>Amount (USD)</i>
<i>University Scholarships</i>	<i>\$2,341</i>
<i>Secondary (High School) Scholarships</i>	<i>\$1,950</i>
<i>ABCs and Rice Grants (Public School Tuition, Uniforms, Back to School Supplies)</i>	<i>\$4,375</i>
<i>YEAR END TOTAL</i>	<i>\$8,666</i>

Student Spotlight

A Message from our Medical Student – Kolbot



"New things always happen to your life and all those things can let you know what person you really are, like me now I am 20 years old and about 2 years into university that I already done. Surely my university life is very busy but I so enjoy it very much. There are a lot of happy and hard things but I still stand and fight with it."

Of course I personally learnt a lot from moving away from my family this 2 years. Yes sure I can know living alone and do some foods by myself. I can make my own decision of how to organize my time, how to lead a team. Undoubtedly, a partner is the person that you must have. For me I have 2 of the best of partners. One is the head of class and one is the assistant with the whole class. Also my friends, they are very kind, friendly and sharing with each other. I can play and enjoy discussing with them. Sometimes it is to difficult for me because the lesson is in French language but I try my best, especially when the teachers have good experiences and good explanation. These 2 years it seems like a new life for me if I look back when I was in high school. I am so enjoying this life, this university, this living.

Fortunately, I am very excited and feeling thankful to my sponsor that always caring about my study, my school payment, my living, book, uniform... I promise that I will study to become a good doctor and use my ability to saving people life in the right way and helping poor people. Thank you!"

Veasna: A Driven Young Woman

During our trip to Siem Reap, we were able to connect with a few of our scholars. We were thrilled to meet, Veasna, a young woman in her third year of studying. She plans to become a teacher. Watch her interview [here](#).



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Thank you for Subscribing

The board at The Cambodia Education Fund wants to extend a hearty 'thank you' to all of our wonderful supporters. You've made the CEF community shine, and we want to keep that going!