



UNIT: EDUCATION UNIT, INTERNAL PROGRAM

PROGRAM: KINDERGARTEN AND AFTER SCHOOL TUITION

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IN CHARGE OF REPORTING: GNEM TOUCH

I. MONTHLY REPORT SUMMARY:

A. MAIN HIGHLIGHTS:

- This month we had the opportunity to welcome **28 Singapore Airlines' 5Cs (Cabin Crew Club for Community Care)** members to provide 400 packages (Note Books, Pencils, Pens and Toothpaste) for 400 children from Blum House, KM6 House, Compassion House, and Alexandra House Center. Moreover they **donated four wall fans** for installation; one at Blum House, two at Alexandra House, and one at Alexandra House Center.
- Our 26 children at Central Office Center enjoyed a **trip with external volunteers to the Water Park** and then back to have lunch at Ta Tieng Restaurant.
- **One external volunteer and two local volunteers co-ordinated 68 English students to see a movie and an exhibition at Bophana Center.** The objective of this was to show them the value of education and reflect on social issues around abuse, trafficking and exploitation.
- Cooperated with an external volunteer to prepare a **Project Plan for Jan to March, 2013 and prepare a Procedure for Kindergarten and an After School Tuition Program.**
- We had the opportunity to welcome and work with the **One 2 One Organization** to provide personal hygiene and teeth cleaning training to 65 children from Alexandra House and the Central Office Center. They provided toothpaste for each of our 100 children. Additionally, they have given the opportunity for our organisation to send 10 children to check and extract teeth at the Happy Tree Orphanage every Monday as part of the **One 2 One program.**
- **We evaluated English Students** graduating in the Gogo Loves English Book, Level 2 at Blum House Center. In addition we sent five students from the Compassion House Center to learn English at Youth Empowering Cambodia.
- Our teachers in the internal program had the opportunity to **share and learn teaching methods for paedology and child positive discipline approaches.** Additionally, we **opened the computer class with 36 young teenagers** at the Family/ Alexandra House Centre.



B. MAIN CHALLENGES:

- **We need state schoolbooks for 250 students** (Khmer Reading-Writing Books, Mathematic Books and Society-Science Books). This will cost approximately **US\$1500** for the new academic year and we believe it is extremely necessary for the students learning.
- **Alexandra/ Family House Center:** The Riverkids Foundation needs funding in order to **fix the stage roof that we use to provide after-school tuition. This will cost approximately US\$270.**
- **We are waiting for the delivery of the DVD Player and TV** for our children at Family/ Alexandra House Center. We are also waiting for the DVD Player for our children at the Central Office. Finally we need DVDs of cartoons and stories for our children at each site.
- There were ten young teenagers in Smartypants and High School Programs who did not have enough time to join the Computer Program because they needed extra classes at their state school. So we **plan to recruit new ten English Students to join this program.**

C. NEXT'S MONTH PLAN:

- Worker Teams to assist local volunteers to **recruit 25 kindergarten kids**, for the Compassion House Centre.
- Work with the Childcare Coordinator to update the kindergarten's English Curriculum.
- Buy and copy the Gogo Loves Levels 3 and 4 for English Students at Blum House Center.
- Coordinate and send 54 Grade School and Kindergarten Students from Alexandra House Center to see a movie at Bophana Center.
- Coordinate and send 30 Grade School Students at the Family House and Central Office to Happy Tree Orphanage to check and extract teeth.

II. MONTHLY PROGRAM UPDATE:

CENTER'S NAME	HIGHLIGHT	CHALLENGE	NEXT'S MONTH PLAN
1.Alexandra House Center	There are normally 54 children (26 girls) attending , of which 48 are Grade School (23 girls) and six Kindergarten (three girls)	Need funding in order to fix the roof house of the stage - approximate cost US\$270.	Coordinate 30 children to check and extract teeth at Happy Tree.
	One female child returned.	Waiting for a DVD Player and TV from Singapore.	Coordinate 54 children to see a movie and exhibition at Bophana Centre.



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	Opened new computer class with 38 young teenagers.	There was one female child who quit last month. Social Workers are struggling to communicate with the families.	Plan to recruit new 10 students from English to the Computer Program.
	Continued teaching the Khmer Reading-Writing Book, Mathematic Book and Society-Science Book.	Eight children were absent for more than three days. Social Workers are struggling to visit and reinforce to their parents the importance of sending their children to our program.	Continue teaching of Khmer Reading-Writing Book, Mathematics Book and Society-Science Book.
2.Blum House Center	Update: There are 80 English Students of which 46 are girls.	10 English Student absent more than three days. Social Workers are struggling to communicate with the families.	Continue teaching of Gogo Loves Book, Level 2 and 3.
	20 English Students were informed by SW about the program and attended again.	We need Cartoon DVDs in English Language.	Continue to train new local volunteer English Teacher.
	Finished teaching Gogo Loves Book, Level 2.	Teaching different ability level students.	Copy new Gogo Love Book, Level 3 and 4 to English Students.
3.Compassion House Center	Registered five Grade School Students to Youth Empowering Cambodia with note books, pens and student book.	Two children quit per month. Social Workers are struggling to communicate with the families.	Cooperate with SW to recruit 25 kindergarten kids to kindergarten program
	Update: There are 43 Grade School students, of which 21 are girls. Continued teaching in of Khmer Reading-Writing Book, Mathematic Book and Society-Science Book	There were 5 kid who were absent for a whole moth. Our teachers try to re-convince them to attend our program.	Continue teaching of Khmer Reading-Writing Book, Mathematic Book and Society-Science Book



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	There was one vulnerable child registered to our Grade School Program	There was one male child who asked for the permission to attend only the state school.	Co-ordinate with teachers to help prepare lesson plans.
4. Central Office Center	Update: There are 58 Grade School Students, of which 27 are girls	We need a full time teacher assistant	Co-ordinate with teachers to help prepare lesson plans.
	Four Grade School Children who returned to our program because SW went to visit and reinforce to them the importance of the program.	We need US\$30 for a DVD Player.	Continue to coach and coordinate with teachers to fill in the follow up forms.
	Continued teaching Khmer Reading-Writing Book, Mathematics Book and Society-Science Book.	15 Grade School Students absent more than three days. Social Workers are struggling to communicate with the families.	Continue teaching Khmer Reading-Writing Book, Mathematics Book and Society-Science Books.
5.KM6 House Center	Continued teaching the Khmer Reading-Writing Books, Mathematics Books and Society-Science Books.	One female kindergarten child moved house. Social Workers are struggling to communicate with the families.	Continue teaching the Khmer Reading-Writing Books, Mathematic Books and Society-Science Books.
	There are 48 children, of which 24 are girls, 25 Grade School children, of which 12 are girls, 23 Kindergarten children, of which 12 are girls.	Eight children absent more than three days for different reasons. SW struggling to visit and find the real issues and to help them.	Continue to coach and coordinate with the teacher to fill in the follow up form.
	Teacher: CS organized and shared the method of teaching and lesson plan preparation tools.	We need a Cartoon and Educational stories DVD.	Continue coaching and encouraging teachers to provide lesson plans.
6.External-Football	40 young teenagers participated in this month's football sessions.	The class was closed for one session.	Continue teaching four football sessions.



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7.Internal Choir Song	There were 35 children who participated in learning how to sing songs.	Need an assistant to help coordinate the children	Continue teaching 3 sessions of how to sing songs
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