# HEARTPRINT ANNUAL REPORT

#### **JAN-DEC 2018**





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Another huge year for Heartprint thanks to our amazing supporters. It seems this year many donors saw the need for bicycles. Working with three different schools means a large number of bikes are needed for students to be able to get to school. With all three schools supplying us with a list of families on the poverty list we set out to make sure every family had at least one member with a bike.

The year also included a lot of building; housing continued to be a focus as well as ensuring sanitation and water were supplied to each family that received a new home. Thankfully Montage Commercial Interiors came on board this year as a major sponsor ensuring all of the building boy's wages were covered. The building extended past houses this year with the new addition of the Multi Purpose centre and playground at Heartprint House.The build crew continually learning new skills.

Sadly towards the end of the year we lost Mr Rong, who left to pursue other avenues. We did gain Thom earlier in the year though which meant there was minimal interruption to building.

It wasn't all work and no play this year though, we did fit in a staff holiday to the beach and the sponsored English students and their siblings got to experience a day at the waterpark.

All in all, another great year for Heartprint.

The Heartprint Board.



# OUR TEAM

Sim Thann Tep Srey Near Sim Thom Chea Rong

Riannan De La Torre Wendy O'Brien Samantha O'Brien



#### **ABOUT US**

Emerging from a compassionate action or thought, a Heartprint is that which leaves a positive impression upon your heart. As an Australian based charity dedicated to raising funds and offering ground support in Cambodia, our goal is to leave an impression on the hearts of impoverished Cambodians.

Through supporting the relief of poverty, we also support the obtaining of education and the breaking of child abandonment practices. Through fundraisers and donations, we are able to provide housing, education support and work opportunities to allow all Cambodians to have hope, dignity and the opportunity for a brighter future



**OUR MISSION** 

Our mission is to eradicate the poverty cycle by providing education and support, allowing families selfsustainability to be able to provide for themselves.

# **DUR PHILOSOPHY**

Heartprint believes -The circle of poverty can be stopped by providing education and support

That everyone has the right and power to take control of their own life

Equal rights for all human beings

Provide housing for those below the poverty line

Aid in the set up and continuation of selfsustainability

**OUR GOALS** 

Assist in education, helping to break the poverty cycle

Provide sanitation and clean water helping to prevent the spread of disease

# 2018 AT A GLANCE

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12 HOUSES

#### 9 TOILETS

3 WELLS



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#### **91 BICYCLES**

#### 20 SPONSORED STUDENTS

# COMMUNITY Builds

#### Building for our own

One of the highlights builds of this year was definitely building a house for one (well, actually two) of our own. Thom and Noy, two of the Heartprint Khmer staff team were treated with a beautiful brick home, thanks to so many donors coming on board and the whole Heartprint staff volunteering their time to help build.

Alongside this beautiful home, we built another 11 houses for the year. Majority of them thanks to volunteer groups returning to help out once again and a few new volunteers jumping on board. For the donated houses that weren't attached to volunteer groups, the Heartprint Build Crew was more than happy to step up and get the job done alone.

For any family not lucky enough to have a toilet or well already we provided those as well and thanks to Dave McNulty our slabman they all received a concrete slab underneath, expanding their living space.

We would be remiss to forget our big sponsors for the year Montage Commercial Interiors who came on board sponsoring the build boys' salaries, allowing us to keep everyone in a job for yet another year.







#### HEART OF GOLD

This amazing club, continued to show what combined community effort can do. Members continued to give out baby baskets to expectant mums, help pay the rent and the running costs associated with a community center and put 20 kids through a year of English school.

When Yay Tot had a stroke we were able to get her the medical help she needed as well as continue to support her Da and the kids with food support.

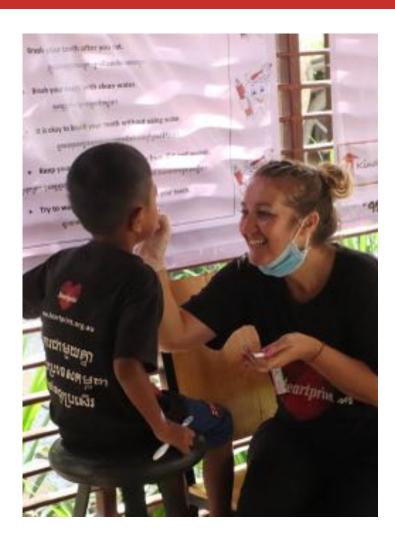
The highlight would have been the toilet built for the Chan Sa Orn family and their young daughters who were more excited about their toilet than the new home.

### DENTAL HYGIENE

Four huge days of dental hygiene thanks to Kindredhouse, Ultradent and of course the Heartprint crew.

As well as lessons on handwashing and dental hygiene we provided 968 fluoride treatments to kids at Heartprint House, Hun Sen Roluos Primary and Secondary schools and Sambour Primary school.







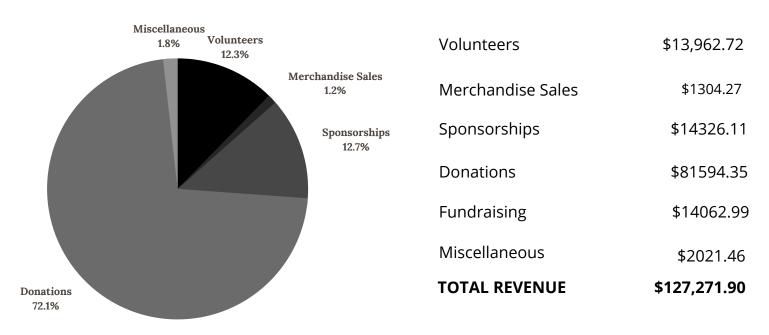
#### Water Park Visit

As a reward to our hardworking sponsored English school students we took them on a visit to the newly opened waterpark.

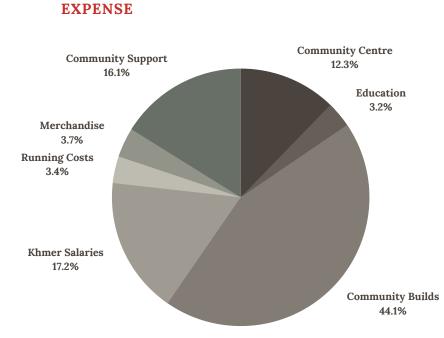
What an amazing way to celebrate a great school year. The kids as always did Heartprint proud, always on their best behaviour. We finished off the day with pizza in the park. A lot of very sleepy faces on the way home, including the adults.







# OUR YEAR IN FIGURES



Community Centre	\$13,480.97
Education	\$3,550.05
Community Support	\$17,740.39
Khmer Salaries	\$18,875.16
Running Costs	\$3,709.20
Community Builds	\$48,511.35
Fundraisers	\$0
Merchandise	\$4,089.74

**TOTAL EXPENSE** 



"No-one has ever become poor by giving" Anne Frank

\$109,956.86



## **Heartprint House**

We added two new additions to the Community Support Centre this year.

Heartprint Hub is a multi purpose centre that will house our office, store room and space for computer classes. The large verandah has been designed to serve as an outdoor undercover play area as well as a space for our regular Sunday night movie nights for the local children.

The second addition was a new playground (well secondhand). Local kids had never seen a playground like this before and the big smiles on their faces told us they absolutely loved it. We may have even had a few adults taking a turn as well.





#### **Christmas Giving**

continued to grow this year. With 104 donors on board, we were able to hand out 235 Christmas gifts. 200 of these handed out at Heartprint House where we had food, games and celebrations. For the remaining 35 that we're unable to make it into the centre we took to the road to make sure noone missed out.

This year's gifts included bags, reusable Heartprint drink bottles, school and hygiene supplies and a toy of course. For the younger members of our community not yet at school they received a bouncy toy or a bike as well as a hygiene pack.



#### HEARTPRINT HOLIDAY

After discovering that majority of the staff had never left Siem Reap, some of the Heartprint board decided to give up their own Christmas presents and take the staff on an adventure.

We set out on a three night, road trip to the beach. We visited, beaches, mountains, rivers, and the different towns of Kep, Kampot and Sihanoukville.

Not only was it a great way for the staff to explore and spend time with their families, it was great bonding experience for the team also.



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