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Heartfelt Thanks

to all our donors and charity members who once again enabled us to support meaningful and sustainable projects in the Sangkhlaburi region over the past year. Many families, children, students, and even animals, suffering from poverty benefited from our help once again. Our work and administration is voluntary, and every cent donated goes toward a meaningful project.

Special thanks go to the Canton of Schaffhausen in Switzerland, which once again supported us this year with a grant of 10,000 Swiss Francs (400,000 THB) from the Swiss lottery funds. In accordance with our application, this grant went



to the local One Sky Foundation for its valuable help for needy families and children in this region.

We received 19,400 Swiss Francs (approx. 780,000 THB) in donations in the past fiscal year (August 1, 2024 to July 31, 2025), of which CHF 10,000 (400,000 THB) was contributed by the Canton of Schaffhausen for One Sky Foundation.

OUR PROJECTS 2024 / 2025

- 1. ONE SKY FOUNDATION / GRANT FROM THE CANTON OF SCHAFFHAUSEN
- 2. WEAVING FOR WOMEN
- 3. SANGKHLABURI ANIMAL SANCTUARY
- 4. SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDENTS

1. ONE SKY FOUNDATION

GRANT FROM THE CANTON OF SCHAFFHAUSEN

A big thank you to the Canton of Schaffhausen, Switzerland, for the repeated donation of CHF 10,000 (400'000 THB) from the Swiss Lottery Winnings Fund, which we forwarded to our partner organization, the local One Sky Foundation, for the purpose of supporting disadvantaged families and children in Sangkhlaburi.



Through my local presence, I am in a close and trustworthy contact with the One Sky Foundation and regularly follow their activities.

We have reported in detail on the activities of the One Sky Foundation in previous years and in our annual reports.

Further and detailed information about the One Sky Foundation can be found on their website http://www.oneskyfoundation.org

A report by the One Sky Foundation on the use of the grant from the Canton of Schaffhausen can be found on our website 2025 Report One Sky





The team in Sangkhlaburi currently consists of 15 full-time local social workers and several interns from the region, all of whom are very familiar with the problems faced by the many stateless residents and ethnic minorities in this region.





Outreach work in remote areas can sometimes be difficult, especially during the rainy season



Sometimes it's more convenient to use the pickup truck donated by the Japanese Embassy, Bangkok

2. WEAVING FOR WOMEN

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Weaving for Women was founded in 1995 by Ms. Daisy Dwe to help stateless families and single mothers of different ethnicities in the area to earn their own income so that they can contribute to their own livelihoods. The project is now run by her daughter, Mrs. Nimar Dwe, who took over from her mother in 2015.

We supported Nimar's project and her social commitment to the needy in Sangkhlaburi again this year with a contribution of 2,200 Swiss Francs (84,000 THB).

With our contribution, Nimar not only provides help to the families of the weavers, but also to other needy families in the Sangkhlaburi region with basic foodstuffs such as rice, cooking oil, eggs and long-life canned goods.



Nimar and her mother Daisy, the founder of Weaving for Women





























3. SANGKHLABURI ANIMAL SANCTUARY

Sangkhlaburi Animal Sanctuary celebrated its fourth anniversary on May 1, 2025.

The donation-based animal sanctuary makes an important contribution to the entire Sangkhlaburi community, helping to keep everyone safe, with sterilization and rabies vaccination of pets and stray dogs at its own and only reliable veterinary clinic in the area.

Operating a veterinary clinic in the region is very valuable as the nearest and closest veterinary clinic is in the provincial capital of Kanchanaburi, which is a 4-hour drive.

The Sangkhlaburi Animal Sanctuary also conducts outreach programs in temples, schools and remote settlements in the region. Sterilizations, vaccinations and the treatment of injured or sick animals are free of charge for the local community and are funded by donations.

We supported this important work again this year with a contribution of 4,300 Swiss Francs, (170,000 THB) which was earmarked for this project at the request of some donors.











An important part of the sanctuary's work is also outreach activities. These include transporting medical equipment from their own clinic to remote villages, settlements, or even temples, conducting sterilization camps, and caring for injured animals. Every animal also receives a rabies and parvo vaccination.









The sanctuary team would like to express its sincere gratitude to all donors and to all the vets and volunteers from around the world for their contribution.







4. SCHOLARSHIPS FOR STUDENTS

This year we are supporting three young students from Sangkhlaburi in their fourth and final year of study. We supported Chayanit with 1,620 Swiss Francs, Asa with 1,300 Swiss Francs and Prakaifah, who we accepted into the scholarship program in her final year of study, with 660 Swiss Francs. This amount includes the annual tuition fees for the university and accommodation at the place of study.

Chayanit





Chayanit is now 23 years old and started her fourth and final year at Boromarajonani College of Nursing in Ratchaburi in June.

During her childhood, Chayanit grew up partly in a local institution in Sangkhlaburi and partly in a foster family.

With our scholarship contribution, we can relieve the financial burden on her foster family..

Asa



Asa from Sangkhlaburi, (picture center in black shirt), now 23 years old, is also in her final year at Rajabhat University in Kanchanaburi, where she is studying Business English and Human Sciences.

Asa's father is known across Sangkhlaburi as a recycling collector who goes from house to house with his handcart to collect plastic, glass, cardboard and scrap metal. He makes a living for himself and his daughter with the small proceeds.

Prakaifah



Prakaifah, 22 years old, grew up in a foster family in Sangkhlaburi. With our support, we can relieve her family of some of the tuition fees for one semester.

Prakaifah is studying at the Faculty of Business Administration with a focus on management at Rangsit University. In the future, she would like to work in a company in the field of human resources management. She already speaks English very well

Once again heartfelt Thanks for your suport

Urs Schmid, President of the Swiss charity "Schaffhausen Friends Help Sangkhlaburi"