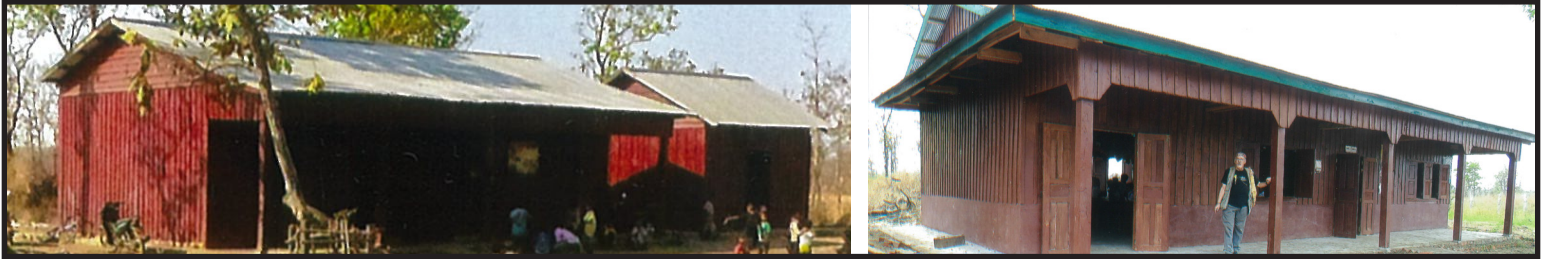




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Spring 2018: "Welcome to Our New School..."

Watching my own children grow up and becoming parents made me reflect on that short time one has to prepare them for their future. One hopes that all the necessary tools for their successes were provided.

When in 2012 we started the Anlong Tbal rural school in Cambodia, we could not have imagined, or predicted, the impact this small rural school would have on this remote village. It all started with one small dirt floor building with 24 students combining all grades. In 2017, this small school grew to 110 students. Now with three buildings, five classrooms all with cement floor and certified teachers we are ready for an exciting new school year. All these classrooms are equipped with desks, blackboards, maps and all the needed teacher and student supplies. The foundation with the amazing support by its donors was able to meet all the upgrades necessary for full government certification. Now this school with five government-certified teachers, can provide the education needed to the children of this remote rural village up to sixth grade.



In 2017, the foundation provided every student with school uniforms. It is sad to note that in some regions, students don't attend school because the parents cannot afford to buy uniforms, which are mandatory in all schools. We provide a breakfast program for the students. In the future, if we have the needed funding, we will build a small one room kitchen so that the food can be prepared near the school.

The 100 trees we planted last year all have been eaten by animals. This happened because the fence around the school was not in place. This year we are replanting the trees and building a fence around the entire school property. All this will be funded by the foundation. The entrance to the school will have an ornate gate with the name of the school and the foundation.

The funding for a well was in place for a long time, but no well digger, willing to come this far out of town, was located. This year, we found a man who was willing to dig our well. In March of 2018, the

well was successfully dug and is fully functional, providing desperately needed fresh water to the school. Now we can provide the water needed for the bathrooms that were donated and built by Asia Pacific Youth Foundation, “South Oakleigh College”, in Australia last year. We thank the students from Australia for the interest in our school.

In this newsletter, you will see our proposed budget for the 2018/2019 year. It is an ambitious budget and we look forward to report to you next year that we have accomplished our goals. None of our goals could be met without all the kind and appreciated support from all our donors

WE, ON BEHALF OF ALL THESE STUDENTS, THANK YOU.

This brief report outlines our achievements in 2017 and our goals for 2018/2019. We thank you for your past loyal support, and hope you feel free to contact us with any question. It again must be said that 100% of your entire donation ends up in our school project. Your donations are tax deductible. Please visit our updated web page. www.adventurerfoundation.org

Sincerely yours,



Pierre Odier, Foundation President



Students thankfully receiving their new uniforms and supplies on the first day back at school.



A Few Words of Thanks From the Staff in Anlong Tbal School



Schoolteachers' chalk; Group photo (from L to R) Sim Sern, Phin Sovath, Pierre Odier, Phin Samnang and a Teacher's Assistant



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In honor of the school director, I'm very happy that we have a very nice school with other school supplies from Rural School Village Program. This school provides the education to all the children in the village. Education is really important for them to improve their lives, get a better job and develop the society in the future. Education will help to reduce the poverty, violence and illiteracy, and also help the people in the village receive more knowledge. Under my management as the school director, I will try my best to improve the school system, look after the school equipment and direct more children in the village to come to school.

In the end, I'd like to say thank you so much to Cambodia Self-Help Demining (RSVP), and the donor for putting this school building up, and helping with other school supplies all the time. I hope you still continue helping and supporting this school, because it will make the kids in this area all go to school together.

Phin Sovath, School Director

After Cambodia Self-Help Demining brings the donor to build the school, the people in the village will really appreciate this humanitarian organization. Parents are so glad that the village has the school where they can send their children to study, because without this school, they wouldn't know where they could send their children. Without support from the donor, not all the children in this area would be able to go to school.

I am the teacher in this school, and would like to say thank you so much for coming to this rural area and helping us with the education. I will do my best for my job, and try to make quality teaching programs for the students here. I wish the donor to be healthy and happy all the time.

Sim Sern, Teacher

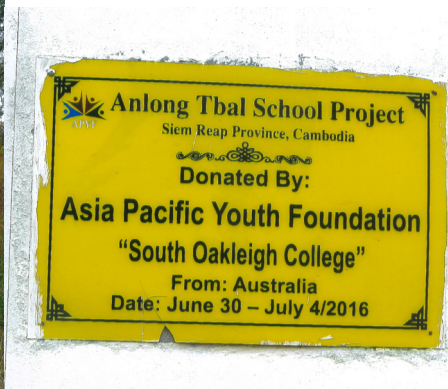
On behalf of the teachers at Anlong Tbal School, I want to say thank you so much to the contributor for putting the school in this area. Not only a classroom, but you also bring the study materials, breakfast program for the students and adding more school facilities (Assembly, well, toilet, etc), which all our students need for their study. Without your help and support, maybe we would not see any students walking to school at all.

Teachers, villagers and students in Anlong Tbal really appreciate your help and kindness. We thank you from all of our hearts, and wish you all the best.

Phin Samnang, Teacher



Despite being in Southeast Asia where heavy rains are commonplace, Cambodia ranks #4 in Top 10 Countries With Poorest Access to Safe Drinking Water (British National Geographic Society). Your donations help Anlong Tbal School store and supply clean water to itself and the surrounding community. This year we complete our second water well in three years.



To keep our campus clean and healthy, we've built new outhouses with the support of South Oakleigh College in Australia.

Also, to prevent against local wildlife eating our new trees, and the resulting animal waste ruining our play area, a fence was laid out.





The Foundation purchased school uniforms from a merchant in Siem Reap, pictured top left, who sold the entire lot at a greatly discounted rate. The students receive their uniforms at the start of the school year along with bags and other much-needed school supplies paid for with your donations. That's our school bell at bottom right.



After a while, working with RSVP and the other donors, it makes me feel really blessed and happy with what I'm doing now. This job teaches me a lot about working with people, sharing love and support open mindedly, and helping other people, who need your help. So, in this letter, I'd like to say thanks from the bottom of my heart to The Adventurer's Foundation for coming in and helping a lot at Anlong Tbal

School, where we have been working together for a few years. This school was just empty land before, but now they have almost one hundred students over here. The children can go to school, get some breakfast from the teachers, get free English classes and have enough study materials (book, pen, pencil, etc.). This is a huge difference between before and after your attendance. Your help now will make big changes to the future, especially in those children's lives.

I am most appreciative of your generosity, beautiful heart and kindness. I hope you continue to support this school, and also RSVP projects in other places, to make sure it becomes better and better. We cannot make all these things happen alone. We have needed, and still need your help.

Boran Phin, RSVP Project Assistant



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Thank you to our donors for 2018

We thank all our 2018 donors. You've made it possible for us to meet our commitment to fund our Cambodian school.

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We hope to be able to count on your continued support for the 2018 school year.

110 students and 4 teachers now depend on our support.

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2018/2019 Budget

Here's a list of improvements and costs:

Trees - 150x at \$5ea. - **\$750**

Need for between June and November 2018

Playground - **\$510**

School Gate (Funded) - **\$1,200**

Need urgently, for security/cleanliness

Fence - 720 meters - **\$2,000**

We have started the build this.

Wooden Hut with Filtered Water System, to be used as Kitchen for Student feeding program - **\$2,500**

We will only build this as funds become available.

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