



the children's sanctuary

a home for orphaned and abandoned children in Cambodia

Newsletter No. 4, January 2011



Kids of Cambodia

Gala Event

BMW Edge, Federation Square, Melbourne, 2nd October 2011



This exciting event is a major effort for The Children's Sanctuary to help with their caring programmes for many children in Siem Reap whose lives are still being affected after the Killing Fields era.

Gala Event includes

- International award winning author Chanrithy Him, child survivor of the Killing Fields: speech and dance



- Cambodian canapes and refreshments
- Gala Auction of exciting items and services
- Music by "The Love Crystals Duo"
- Watch this space for details of our exciting plans for the Gala Event's major Auction item!

Tickets limited! Book now!

See page 13 for all the Gala details.

having a heart for *hackleang*

Two year old Hackleang was accompanied by his father, Mr Sun, Dr Andrew Clift and Sopheap Pang, Manager of the Sanctuary, for his trip to Australia for his second major heart operation in December. His mother Tha, who gave birth to Hackleang's new brother on the same day as the operation, was extremely pleased to see them back again to Siem Reap in late January after the Brisbane floods. Rotary Oceania Medical Aid For Children and the Angkor Children's Hospital in Siem Reap facilitated planning for the operation which was carried out at the Mater Children's Hospital in Brisbane.

Dr Andrew Clift said:

"This is a great outcome for this little boy who can now look forward to a normal life with his loving family. When he was brought to the Sanctuary two years ago we hoped for a miracle. Thanks to ROMAC and the medical team this lovely child can now enjoy full health. We anticipate that other Cambodian children can be helped in future. Grateful thanks to the Khmer community and friends who provided hospitality and support during Hackleang's stay in Brisbane."





wrong date in last newsletter

OOPS!

fun fare

Easter 2011

Kids 4 Cambodia Easter Fun Fare

When? Easter Saturday 23rd April
10am to 4pm

Where? Dean Hall & Mechanics Institute,
Ballarat-Daylesford Rd, Dean

What's happening?
Lots of kids' activities!
Devonshire tea
Stalls
Clothes and household bargains
Plants and native wild flowers
Jumping castle for the kids
Face painting and competitions
Prizes from the Easter Bunny

All donations and assistance welcome!
Call Lyn 5341 8357 for more information



My trip to Sorsadam

My trip to Sorsadam yesterday was a very happy time for me to see all the children smile and enjoy themselves on the swings and slides donated to the school. When I arrived there, I was so surprised and excited to see all the children standing, waiting, and welcoming me for bringing the swings and slides for the school. We got the equipment installed with the help from the School Principal and all the students. The School becomes famous as the first school in Sorsadam district to have swings and slides. I also had a sign made with the Khmer translation. You will smile with happiness to see all the children playing with the swings and slides.

The School Principal was very glad and sincerely grateful for the donation. She said these swings would attract more students to come to School and reduce the drop-outs. The School Principal will prepare a list of the students under our support with their grades and ranks they have gained after they successfully finished their 2009-2010 academic year. One of the 44 students who started under CSI support in 2008 will finish Grade 6 so will start secondary school at Sorsadam High School. We will follow up their study progress and work on the next plan to provide more support for their on-going education.

let's play!

The children at the Sorsadam Primary School were a bit hesitant at first but soon got the knack of kicking up their heels when playground equipment was installed in their bare school ground, with support from Sedgman Coal Limited in Brisbane. Everyone from the village came to help with the work and the teachers joined in the fun. Thank you to everyone at Sedgman - the kids will call you legends!

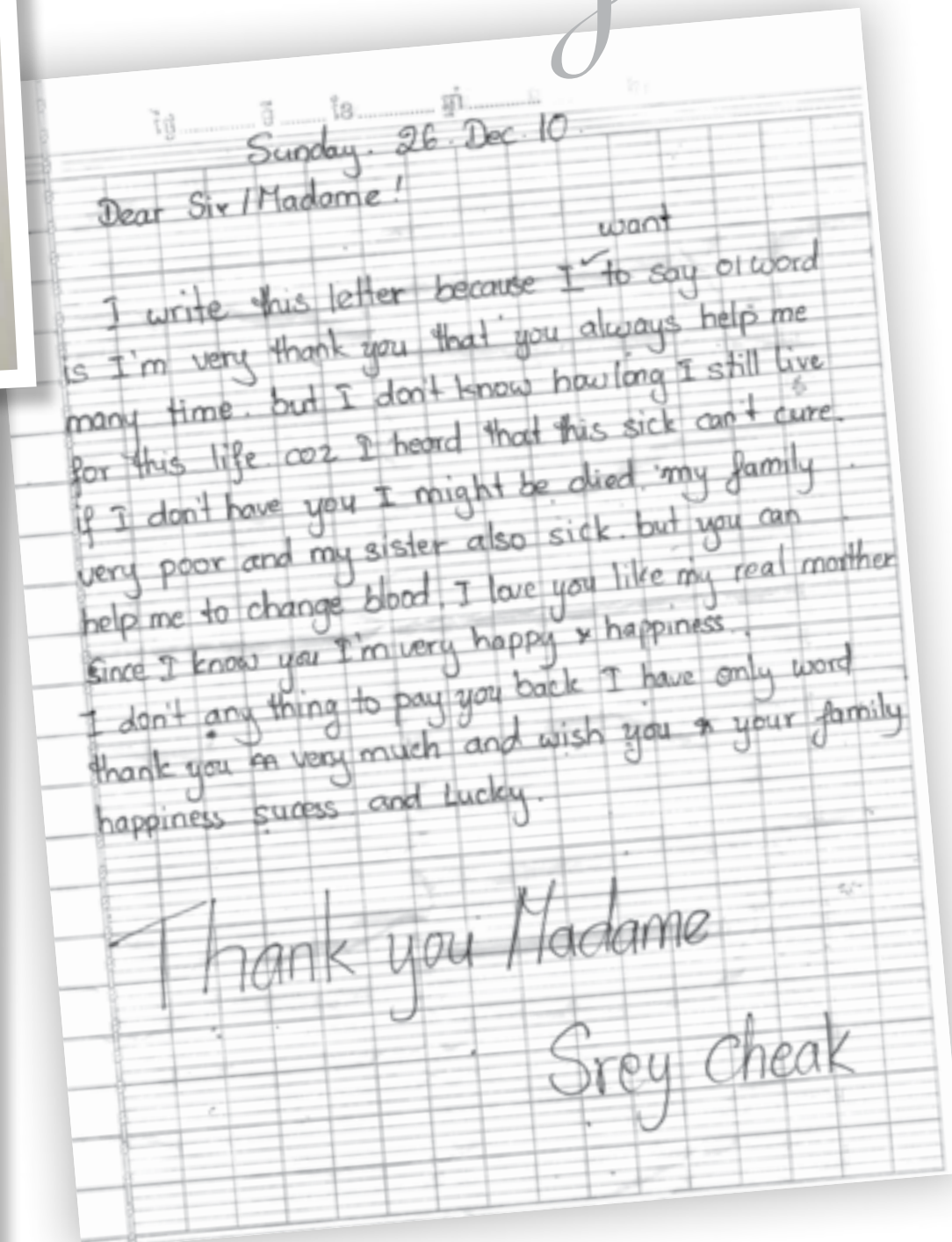


Sopheap Pang, Sanctuary Manager



Srey Cheak's story

Srey Cheak has thalassemia, an inherited blood disorder requiring regular blood transfusions. She is being assisted by The Children's Sanctuary for her medical treatment as was her younger brother who had the same disorder who sadly passed away last year. Srey Cheak's sister, 20 years old, was in a moto accident and broke her leg. The fracture hasn't aligned. She can't walk properly and with muscle wasting cannot work and is in a lot of pain. She needs another operation to straighten the leg which will cost \$US3000.





aussie kids help

The Staff and students of Mary McKillop College, Leongatha, pledged \$3000 from their Walkathon for the Sanctuary's work with the Sorsadam Primary School. What a wonderful "walk-a-long" effort and contribution. Thank you!

And what an appropriate way to raise money for the Sanctuary - a Pyjama Day at the Delacombe Primary School, Ballarat! As many Cambodian children and adults wear pyjamas at all hours of the day it was a symbolic gesture. Even the Staff got in on the act!

A little of the work of the Sanctuary and the needs of Cambodia were shared with the Staff and children when a cheque for \$210 was received as a result of this fun day. Thank you for your support for Cambodian kids, Delacombe Primary School!



our sanctuary family expands

Two more young children joined the Sanctuary family in November. Somorn, a malnourished boy of 2 years and his 3 month old sister, Komeng, were living in a tiny house with their twenty-five year old mother plus their grandfather who is HIV+ and three other people. The mother did not go to school so the Sanctuary will assist her to learn how to sew to enable her to make an income for her family. Meanwhile the children are well and enjoying life with their new "brothers" and "sisters". A new Sanctuary Staff member now assists the Manager with administration & a new Nanny has commenced recently. The family grows!



Somorn and Komeng's house

can you sponsor Pesai?

This is the house where Pesai and her sister Bopheas came from. Their parents abandoned them when they were young. Pesai is a sweet, gentle little girl who is very affectionate. She loves to sing and always leads the group with her joyful and passionate voice. If you can help Pesai please contact info@thechildrensanctuary.com



the children's sanctuary wins an award

At the first United Nations Alliance of Civilizations - Global Dialogue Foundation Unity in Diversity 10-10-10 Forum in the Melbourne Town Hall in October, The Children's Sanctuary's presentation of their educational programs won an Award for Intercultural Innovation.

Participants from around the world representing many organisations and cultures heard of the progress and plans that the Sanctuary has for students in Siem Reap. www.globaldialoguefoundation.org





medical and dental *items project*

A long list of medical and dental items desperately needed by hospitals including the Angkor Children's Hospital near the Children's Sanctuary has been circulated resulting in donations from Canberra and Melbourne hospitals.

It has been encouraging to have the support of hospitals, doctors, workers, freight companies and the Rotary Club of Essendon North to help with the project initiated by The Global Dialogue Foundation of Melbourne, in liaison with the Sanctuary. Other volunteer groups working in the Asia-Pacific region will also benefit from the project.

Sets of birthing kits donated by Birthing Kits Foundation Australia for the Sanctuary's Mother and Child Health Program for use by mothers in villages will be of great assistance.

Sanctuary supporters Di & Gary, working in Bali, have found that simple things such as patient slide sheets are a great leap forward in the hospital there. "We're just introducing slide sheets which really reduce the load on nurses' backs. We're having a lot of fun as they're practising so we have a lot of laughs!"



kicking up heels for *Cambodian kids*

It was a great way to spend a winter's Sunday afternoon - with the El Dorado Line Dancers at the Dean Hall. An energetic crowd kicked up their heels for several hours (some to a lesser extent!) Young and old enjoyed the great music and teaching by Ella.

Photos of The Children's Sanctuary and the work of the Founders, Dawn and Andrew, decorated the Hall. Lots of nice spicy mice, raffle prizes and the Sanctuary badges were popular sales items. Several tables of donated items for sale and afternoon tea added to the interest. In all \$953 was raised for The Children's Sanctuary. Special thanks to all who attended, Ella, Maureen, and the El Dorado Line Dancers, Margaret and her team of Nice Spicy Mice helpers and the Dean Hall Committee for their commitment to Dawn and Andrew's work.

everyone loves icecream



An ice cream party is always a hit with the Sanctuary children who can even manage to dance while enjoying their treat.

Ballarat takes an interest in the Sanctuary

A reporter with Ballarat Lifestyle Magazine took a great interest in The Children's Sanctuary and produced a lovely article about Dawn and Andrew's work in their Spring issue. See the Sanctuary website's News: "The Love of Giving" by Rachael Kennedy.

The Sanctuary's website has recently been generously updated by Nick of Spark Design including the Sanctuary's Facebook, recent news and exciting future plans for our Gala Event in Melbourne, 2011.

Grateful thanks to Nick for his kind and competent help!
www.thechildrensanctuary.com



Dear Aunty Maree,

Here I am now 5 years old. I feel happy and my favourite "sister" is Makara as she is a bit naughty sometimes and likes to hide in places we shouldn't hide and she can run fast like me.

My favourite film is "Up". I like watching the balloons the most, lifting the house into the big sky and watching it float away.

I like to eat very much, especially pizza. I eat at least three plates of rice and other stuff at each meal. I am growing tall and strong. I will start school in October. I would like to meet you again one day.

 *Vichet*



I go to kinder now!



handknitted rug raffle

The dedicated team of knitters were thrilled to see the finished rug and to learn that over \$1865 had been raised for the Sanctuary as a result of the raffle. Thank you to Bendigo Woollen Mills, Margaret Cadd, the Nice Spicy Mice knitters, Brenda and Ross Peck of The Lakes Motel in Daylesford, Joan Parker, Yoga Ashram at Rocklyn and Aussie Disposals for donating the lovely prizes. The winners were delighted with their prizes! Wanted: Sewing machines for spare parts, cottons, materials etc. Call Lyn: 5341 8357

a bike and a basket

It was an exciting day for Loan, a Single Mother who received a loan from the Sanctuary to buy a bike, basket and food provisions for her market stall. Loan was quickly in business when her first customer arrived soon after setting up. Loan, 28, taught herself to read and write when her family could not support her at school after Grade 3. Loan, who has three children, was a construction worker for three years. She sells Khmer cheese, eggs and vegetables on her stall to support her growing family.



what a workout

Yoga-Path Aid morning provided a great workout and result for The Children's Sanctuary. Tom and Nicole who have connections to Dean, Dawn and Andrew's home town, organised the session which resulted in a much appreciated donation of \$673 to the Sanctuary. Thank you to all participants! For future events see: joinus@yoga-path.com.au





education support project

With a dedicated vision to help Cambodia through education, The Children's Sanctuary has commenced an outreach Project which is helping young students to achieve their dream of obtaining a university degree. Four students have been given this opportunity following nomination from Schools in Siem Reap and evaluation of their exam results and family needs. As well as having tuition by a university-trained teacher, Sanctuary Manager Sopheap, they will receive help with educational costs, transport to the tuition sessions and food. In return the students have undertaken an agreement with The Children's Sanctuary to fulfill certain requirements in their studies. It is with pleasure that we announce the names of the students and share a little of their background. This Project has been assisted with generous support from some Victorian schools and individuals.



chanra

Chanra is 20 years old. He has one older sister who is a farmer. As his parents died when Chanra was young he has been supported through his secondary education by Monks at Pagodas. Chanra wants to study Information Technology, Law

or Agricultural Science at University. He aims to "try my best to develop human resources and to help other people, especially the young generation in our country to find more support, share and train other people to have a high consideration and love of our country and to help train other disadvantaged children and orphans."



tokla

Tokla is 20 and his parents are farmers in Siem Reap Province. He has five older siblings, one a Primary Teacher and one a Police Officer. Tokla commenced his secondary schooling at a Sorsadam

School but moved to live with his brother for 3 years to complete High School. He would like to study Khmer Literature, Law, Management or Information Technology at University. "In my opinion, to help and develop my community, society and country I have to work hard and develop my knowledge, be honest and have integrity, provide support for poor people, especially orphans and disadvantaged children, help educate and teach skills to those who are hungry for education and help people to understand and recognise the value of knowledge."

saveourt

Saveourt is 20. Her mother is a farmer and her father died in the war five years ago. She has four sisters and a brother. The family worked making cakes for sale to pay for Saveourt's enrolment at primary school. "If I have a chance to go to University I would like to study Pharmaceutical Science, Mathematics or Accounting. When I have a job I can help my family and join hands with other people to develop the community, society and the country as much as I can." Saveourt is helping at the Sanctuary by giving lessons to Makara, and also Sana, Vichet, Bopheha and Cheata who started their formal education in October.



so sudsdey

So Sudsdey is 18 and his parents are farmers. He has four sisters, three are Primary School Teachers. "Even though my family is poor my parents struggle to earn money to support my study. I always help my parents with farming, planting and looking after cows as soon as I return from school even now that I am in grade 12 which is the most important and final year for high school graduation. I want to study Mathematics, Accounting and Computer Science as I want to become a maths teacher and I think this job can help me educate the next generation to develop more resources for society and the country."





60th birthday with a difference

Plans for Estelle's 60th birthday party changed when she decided that money for the hire of a pavilion could be better spent elsewhere. So she hoped for a nice day, set up a table with photos of The Children's Sanctuary and in lieu of presents her guests gave a donation to the children. How thoughtful Estelle! We know everyone enjoyed your 60th birthday - in a different and special way. Thank you all. Happy Birthday Estelle and many more! Here's a photo of Sana at the Sanctuary enjoying her 5th birthday in September.



what's on our

wish list

The Children's Sanctuary greatly values support from kind and willing helpers. While it is lovely to receive gifts for the needy in Cambodia it is expensive and difficult for the Sanctuary to then transport them securely to Siem Reap. As an alternative it is preferable to make sure that every donation is given maximum benefit, while also helping Cambodian suppliers, by giving a tax deductible donation. Below is a sample of the average costs of some of our expenditure in US\$.

Wish List for The Children's Sanctuary

- Individual child sponsorship \$30-\$50 p/m
- Medical, vaccinations \$355 p/m
- Children's outings \$20 pw
- Sanctuary salaries/costs \$2500 p/m
- Educational Support Project \$400 pa
- Computer \$550 each
- Support for Single Mothers' Programme \$100-\$250 p/m
- Single Mothers' loan \$250 each
- Sorsadam School uniform, books \$60 p/a
- Transportation for students \$290 p/m
- Students' Bikes \$30 each
- Repellent Mosquito nets \$20 each
- Rice \$25 bag
- Food parcels \$30 each
- Drinking water \$30 p/m
- Water tank \$300
- Well construction \$300
- Sewing machine & items \$300
- Fair Fares/CSI Tuk Tuk signs \$200 each

If you can help occasionally or on a regular basis your financial contribution will be used in full for the designated purpose.

can you carry for our kids?



Lots of donated items need to get to Siem Reap and if anyone out there is planning a Cambodian holiday it would be a great help if you could carry some items for the Sanctuary. Grateful thanks to the bike riding team who took lots of goodies in January, thanks to Singapore Airlines. Please call Lyn on (03) 5341 8357 if you can assist.

NEW DETAILS

New BSB number and regular donations

Sanctuary donors who wish to receive a Tax Deductible receipt can contribute to CSI via the Australian AIDS Fund Incorporated. Their BSB number changed in July (but has a 12 month change over period).

The new number is: BSB: 814-282

The Account number and other details remain the same - see www.thechildrensanctuary.com

Unfortunately some regular donors are missing out on their tax deductible receipts as they have not included their name and contact address on their bank transfers. Please contact Lyn on (03) 5341 8357 if this is the case for you.

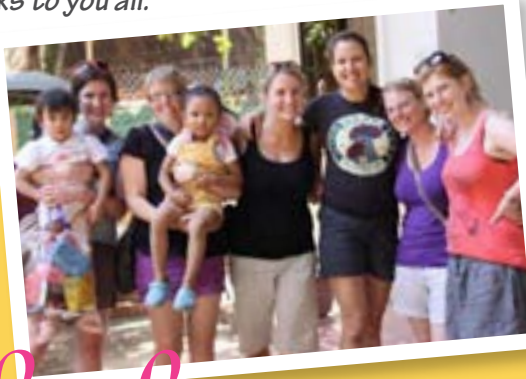




A note from the Director

Sanctuary Director, Dawn, rarely has time to turn around but wants to say: "Akun Chran" - "thank you" - to everyone who is supporting this work in Siem Reap. "Every dollar makes a difference here! Moral support from visits and emails is wonderful as it gets a bit "full on" here occasionally so your messages are a boon. (Last week we had a swarm of bees near the front gate of the Sanctuary!) I'm working on expanding our website and Facebook so people can see what we do from day to day. At a meeting of women in our Single Mothers' Support Programme I was overjoyed to discover that one of the mothers is doing very well. She expanded her business by selling papaya salad and is making a \$5 profit each day! She has been able to make repayments to CSI and has also saved some money and bought an old motorbike. Isn't that great news! With grateful thanks to you all."

Dawn Cornish



our workplace sponsors

Patrick from Ireland, who has Sanctuary connections in Australia, has organised his workplace colleagues to sponsor our children. Twelve people in the office are donating \$50 for one month's sponsorship. Wouldn't it be great if other workplaces could help us too? For further details contact: info@thechildrensanctuary.com

school on the weekends

The Sanctuary has a volunteer teacher who is teaching the children on Saturdays and a half day on Sunday. The children are lapping up the fun and activities with their lovely new teacher who is also working in a school in Siem Reap.



our schoolies

Since October 4 of our children have been attending pre-school and 1 goes to school. Each day they take an hour's bus ride to get to the school where they are in classes of up to 65 students with one teacher! The first School Report for Makara, our eldest Sanctuary child, was not very encouraging! It is the aim of the Sanctuary Founders that the children receive a sound education so that they can become leaders in their country. The aim therefore is for the children to attend a private school and have tuition at home also. Funds for this seem to be out of reach at the moment, so any help with this important need would be greatly appreciated.



thank you!





thank you

Corporate Sponsors:

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Angkor Children's Hospital, Siem Reap
Mater Children's Hospital, Brisbane
Nick Davies, Spark Design, Richmond
Calvary John James Hospital, Canberra
Northern Hospital, Melbourne
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Global Dialogue Foundation
Mary Mackillop College, Leongatha
Delacombe Primary School
Ballarat & Clarendon College
Damascus College, Ballarat
Australian Printer Reloading Co., Ballarat
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Singapore Airlines
Grasshopper Adventures, Melbourne
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Birthing Kits Foundation Australia

New Donors & Sponsors:

Barbara Bourke
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Marlene Thurgood
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Kate Waller

to our kind Sanctuary sponsors,
supporters and visitors...
since our last Newsletter

Yvonne & Pat McDonnell
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Yalee Woon
Jessie Koon
Paula Gray
Patrick Whelan
Stacey & Fiona Middleton
Jeanette & Mark Brookes
Meredith Liddle & Pam
Joan McKaskill & the Bike Riding Team
and others - thank you!





make a donation

For one-off donations please send a cheque made out to our umbrella organisation: AAFI.

Please add a note to say the donation is for The Children's Sanctuary Incorporated with your name and address. Post to:

The Australian AIDS Fund Incorporated
PO Box 1347, Frankston, Vic. 3199

For regular sponsorship and donations please arrange with your bank to direct credit:

Credit Union of Australia Ltd.,
175 Eagle Street Brisbane, 4000

Account Name The Australian AIDS Fund Inc.
BSB 814 282
Account No. 1059 7523
Swift Code CUSCAU2SXXX
Reference The Children's Sanctuary Inc.
Your Name and Address Reference

Tax deductible receipts will be supplied.

to sponsor a child!

Please email Dawn at
info@thechildrensanctuary.com

buy a badge

Only \$2 each
Call (03) 5341 8357



This Newsletter is able to be copied for anyone interested in the work of The Children's Sanctuary Incorporated. To ensure that you receive a copy of these Newsletters please submit your Membership form and cheque to the Secretary by September 1st, 2010. If you have received this Newsletter by post we would like to email it to you in colour. Send your email address to lynlea@thechildrensanctuary.com

The Children's Sanctuary Membership

It's not too late to become a CSI Member for 2010 - 2011 \$20 per family; \$10 single; \$5 Concession.

Please complete the Membership form for your support of the work of The Children's Sanctuary Inc. and submit the form below with a cheque payable to:

The Children's Sanctuary Inc.
The Secretary, Lyn Lea
322 Elizabeth Street, Buninyong,
Victoria, 3357, Australia

Address _____

Email for Newsletter _____

Application for Membership of The Children's Sanctuary Inc.

I _____
print name and occupation

desire to become a member of The Children's Sanctuary Incorporated. In the event of my admission as a Member, I agree to be bound by the rules of the Association for the time being in force.

Signature of Applicant *Date*

Your application will be nominated and seconded by:

I _____
print name

a Member of the Association, nominate the Applicant, who is personally known to me, for Membership of the Association.

Signature of proposer *Date*

I _____
print name

a Member of the Association, second the nomination of the Applicant, who is personally known to me, for Membership of the Association.

Signature of Seconder *Date*



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Cambodia

Gala Event 2011

A personal invitation from Chanrithy Him



Dear Friend,

Greetings from Virginia, U.S.A. I am writing this letter to you on a cool, peaceful day and I hope it finds you well. It is both an honor and a pleasure to cordially invite you to join me and the Children's Sanctuary, Inc. (CSI) to support the Kids of Cambodia Gala Event in Melbourne on October 2, 2011.

As an orphan myself, having survived in the Cambodian killing fields from age 9 to 12, I recall wishing the world would remember me and my surviving siblings while we were confined in a refugee camp in Thailand. There, I learned that Australia, the U.S., France and Canada were kind enough to accept the influx of Cambodian refugees coming into the Thai border, where many of us were abused after our terrible ordeal with the Khmer Rouge. I remember praying earnestly that the people from these same countries would open their hearts to us, remember us.

So you see, that is why I am writing to ask that you please, please support this event. If you, your child, your niece, your nephew or your grandchild were in need of assistance like these children at the CSI, you would wish for the world community to not only see with its eyes, but also with its heart.

I know what it is like to want to make a difference, and I have experienced the joy that comes from helping organizations like CSI in times of need. So, next October I will journey to Australia to help with the fundraising. I will speak about my memoir, *When Broken Glass Floats: Growing Up Under the Khmer Rouge* (Norton) and will perform a Khmer classical dance entitled, *The Blessing Dance*, which symbolizes the dance of angels descending to earth to bless mortals. As I perform the dance with the graceful gestures of blessing, I hope that the children will be blessed with your generosity. Most of them at the CSI are either orphans or have been abandoned by families who couldn't feed them. Many of them were severely malnourished and had infectious diseases. The CSI is dedicated to protecting the welfare of Cambodia's most vulnerable children. Please visit the CSI website (www.thechildrensanctuary.com) to view their wish list. Please pledge a donation of whatever you can to help a child. As you can imagine, one day they will be able to articulate their gratefulness for your contribution.

There is a saying in Cambodia: *tompiang snarng rirsey*, which means, the bamboo shoot will replace the bamboo. In other words, the children will replace the older generation. They are our future.

I look forward to meeting you at the Gala.

Yours Sincerely,

Chanrithy Him

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DON'T MISS!

Kids of Cambodia



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WANT TO KNOW MORE?

Since 2007 The Children's Sanctuary personnel in Siem Reap have worked tirelessly to help children and families who are still affected from the Killing Fields era. As well as establishing a Sanctuary for orphaned, abandoned and needy children their programmes are assisting hungry, diseased, illiterate and poverty stricken people. This important event will also help their programmes and with the Maternal and Child Health Programme being commenced in 2011. Your participation at the KIDS OF CAMBODIA Gala Event will be greatly valued and a wonderful evening is guaranteed!

WHAT ARE THE DETAILS?

WHERE	BMW Edge, Federation Square, Flinders Street, Melbourne
WHEN	Sunday 2nd October 2011
TIME	5-8pm
DRESS	After 5
COST	Adult \$75 per person Concession \$70 per person

HOW DO I PURCHASE A TICKET?

Pre-booking is essential as seats are limited! Tickets available from 1st March. Don't forget our special Auction item to be announced in our July Newsletter! Tickets can be purchased by cheque or bank transfer.

Cheque to The Children's Sanctuary Inc.
Secretary Lyn Lea
322 Elizabeth Street,
Buninyong, 3357
(03) 5341 8357

Bank Transfer ANZ Ballarat Branch,
927 Sturt St, 3350
BSB: 013-516
Account No: 4810-43828

Ensure you provide your name, address and concession number. Send an email or letter to the Secretary with your name, address and phone number, for confirmation. Collect your tickets at the door on the night.
lynlea@thechildrensanctuary.com

WHAT CAN I EXPECT ON THE NIGHT?

A special evening's entertainment!

> **Refreshments**

Cambodian style canapes & 2 drink vouchers.

> **Gala and Silent Auctions**

Excellent products and services.

> **Speaker and Dance**

Chanrithy Him, internationally acclaimed author of her award-winning personal memoir: "When Broken Glass Floats: Growing Up Under the Khmer Rouge" will be speaking and performing Apsara dance.



> **Music** "The Love Crystals Duo"

Watch this space for details of our exciting major Auction item!
Purchase your tickets now.
Seats limited!

Would you like to volunteer your help on the night?
Please call Secretary Lyn Lea on 5341 8357

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