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HARVEST NEWS



KHON KAEN, THAILAND

FROM THE HARVEST FIELD...

Dear friends and supporters,

A little kindness brings sunshine to the world.

Thank you for being part of our newsletter community. While we may be separated by distance, culture, and language, I am so happy that we are connected through a common cause of making the world a better place for those who are losing hope. Amidst the gloom of rain and storms, we have so much to share with you in this newsletter. Please keep reading to the end.



August 12, 2023, was Mother's Day in Thailand. A few ladies on our team decided that we would put together packages to bless the mothers in our community. We had much fun shopping and packing. But the best part was the going out to the community to bless the many women who were working hard to support their families. It was heartwarming to see the beautiful smiles on the faces of these ladies. Some, whose children were not living with them or near them, were so touched that someone remembered to show them a little kindness. Beautiful smiles broke out like sunshine on their normally tired faces. It was really gratifying, and we were so humbled to see that our very small gesture went such a long way for these lonely hearts.



You are our community that has made it possible for us to do so many small acts of kindness. Your generosity and faithful support have empowered us to go beyond the thought of self-sustainability. We believe that as we love our neighbors and friends as ourselves, we can strengthen the resilience of the communities and networks around us to encourage and help one another. Thank you for paying forward into lives, and we will continue to keep the fire burning.

Generosity and kindness are contagious.

For the Harvest,

Dorothy Jason

President

World Harvest Foundation

HLC's Got Talent

Saturday, 9 September 2023, a day not soon to be forgotten at Harvest Learning Center in Khon Kaen Thailand. It was the day that our students and their families showcased their God-given talents and abilities on stage at HLC's Got Talent.

Live performances included musical numbers by talented soloists and group performances by up-and-coming groups comprised HLC students.

New this year was the family category. It was great fun to cheer for two of our own HLC families as they mounted the stage to lift up their hearts to the Lord as families.

There were puppets, dance groups, cartwheels, flips, and splits. There was a kalimba and a steel tongue drum. There was a cosmic battle between two of our students, which began with a sword fight but was eventually settled by a friendly Rubik's cube competition. There was drawing, painting, and clothing designs. Everyone in the audience, from the youngest to the oldest, had the chance to participate in the coloring competition.





The hardest job of all, choosing the winners, was done with skill, compassion, and humor by a fabulous cast of local friends.

I wish you could have been here in person, but I hope the attached photos will give you a small taste of the fun time we enjoyed together.

As always, I want to say a big thank you for your continued support, encouragement, and faithful prayers on our behalf.

With Blessings,

Mike Jason

Principal

Harvest Learning Center

Our Flourishing Harvest Garden

By Kris Dollisen, Vice-Principal

Our students have been very much involved in growing different kinds of crops in the garden. They planted chemical-free tomatoes, luffas, carrots, radish, lettuce, and kangkong. The students were divided into groups, and each group was assigned a plot. They were given seedlings to plant and take care of until grown and ready to harvest. Through the leadership of Miss Ni, our agriculture teacher, the students experienced the challenges and the joy of being a gardener.

Aside from the vegetables that the students planted, we also started producing mushrooms and bean sprouts. As our produce has continued to multiply, especially the mushrooms, some of our parents have become the top consumers of our crops. They happily donate a set amount for every bag of mushrooms or bundle of vegetables they take home. It is a great opportunity for our students to learn the steps of growing, harvesting, and selling their own crops. As our garden flourishes, our students, along with their families and our team, also grow in health, wisdom, and productivity!





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