

Ray of Light Cambodia

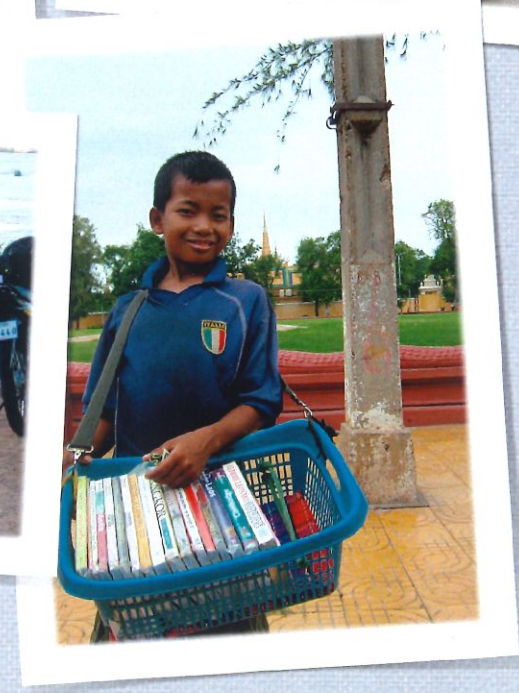
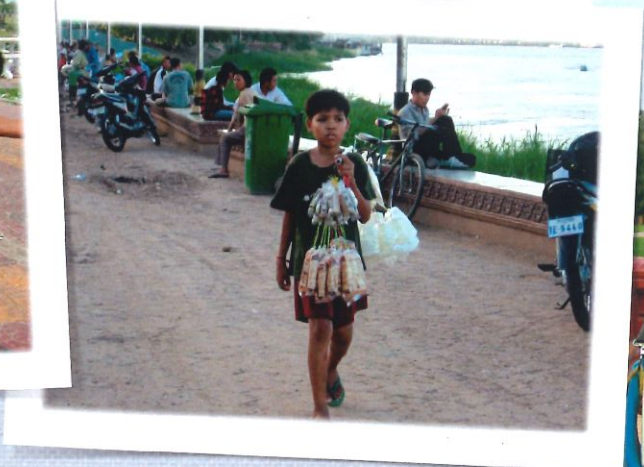
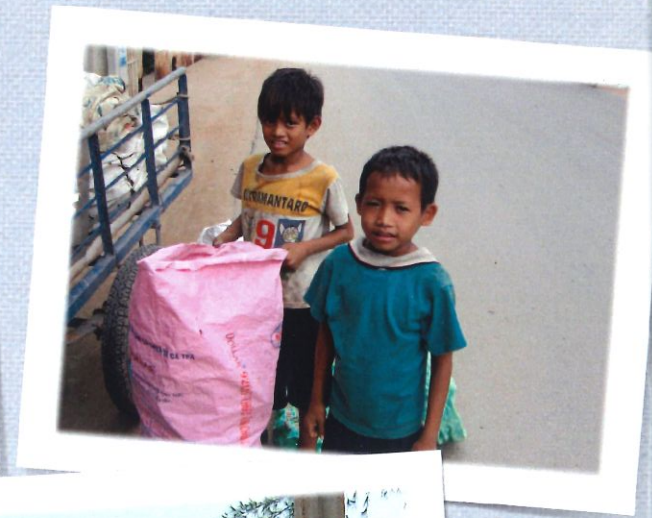
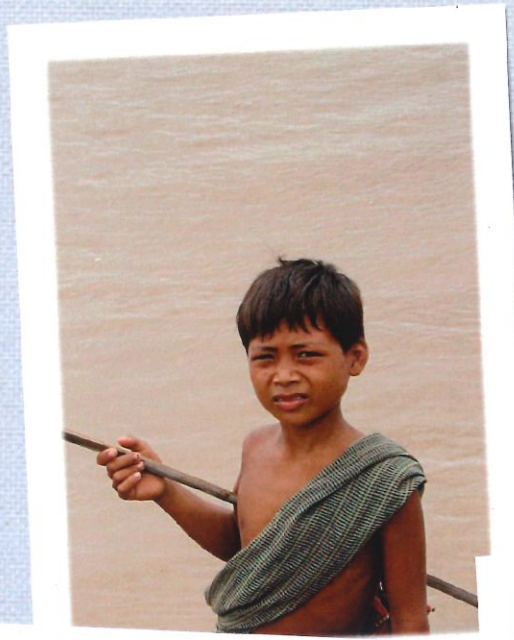
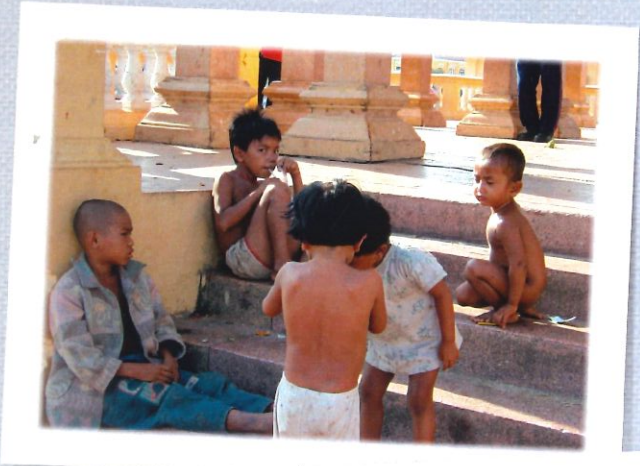
Mission Statement

Ray of Light Cambodia is a non-profit organisation that works to break the cycle of poverty by providing education, improved health conditions and occupational skills for children in Cambodia.









There are over 100 children at the main orphanage that we support. The childrens' ages range from 3 to 18 years old. The orphanage does not receive any funding from the government and relies solely on donations to survive. The bulk of the money raised goes to providing the children with an education, especially English Language development. Money also goes to help improve the health of the children and to buy food. Lyda is the cook and she does an excellent job with limited resources. We go out to the market and buy fresh fish, fruit and meat to add to the rice and to make soups with. Please contact me if you would like to sponsor a kid or donate money to help improve the lives of these kids.


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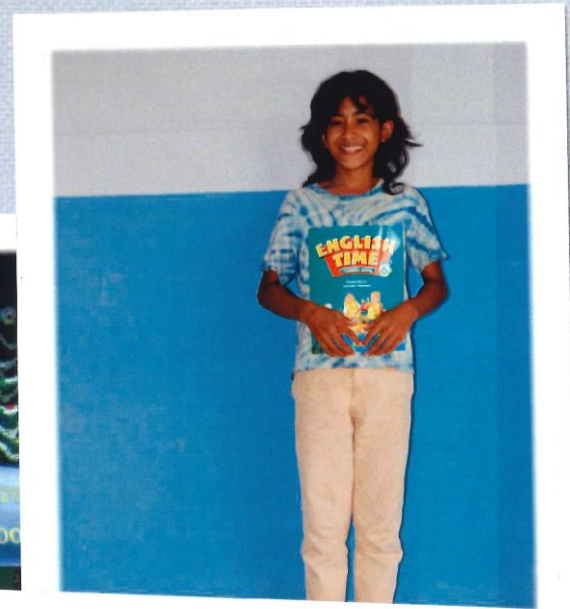


There are a lot of children who end up working on the street. Our aim is to help educate the Cambodian youth in order to break the cycle of poverty.

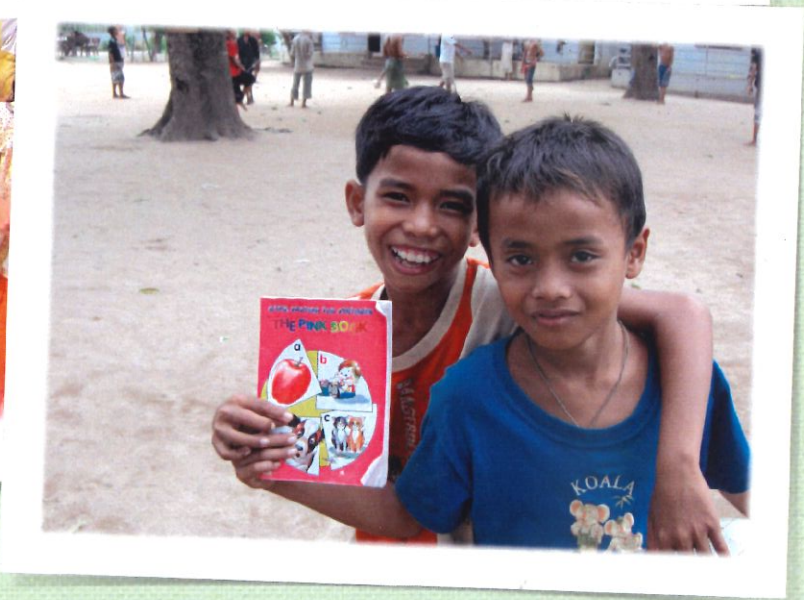
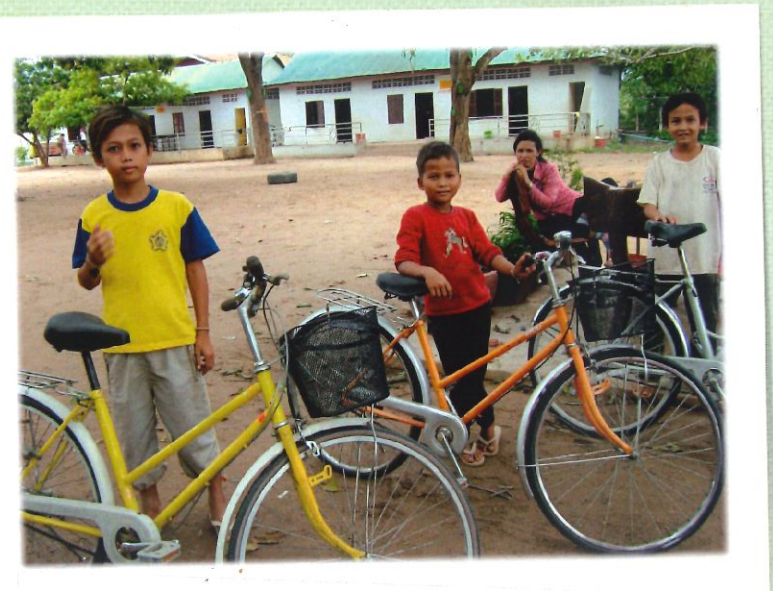
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We sponsor students to go to local English Language schools. This will help them get jobs in the future.



In order to guarantee that 100% of money raised goes to helping the children we take the children to be enrolled and make sure the money goes direct to the institutions.



As well as signing them up for school we provide the books they need and transport, in the form of bikes.



Two new rooms have been built at the orphanage to support the children's education.
One room is used to teach computer skills



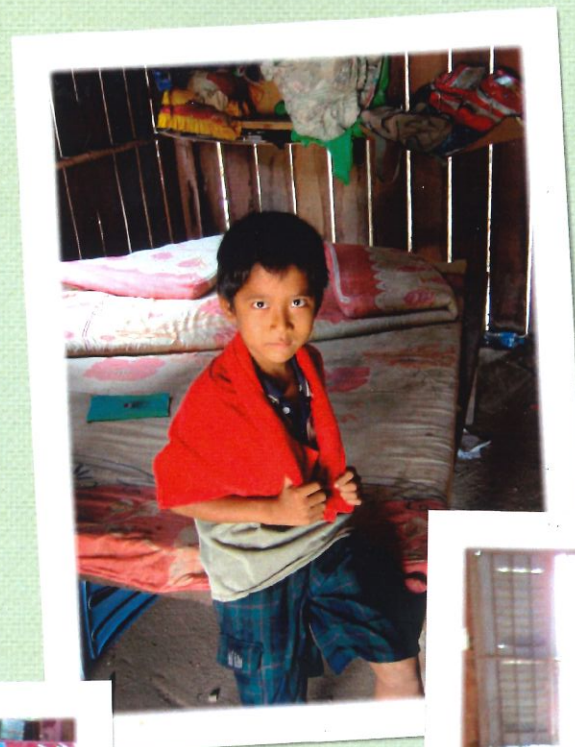
and the other is used to teach English to those children who are not attending the English Language institutions. We also purchased desks, whiteboards, books and chairs.



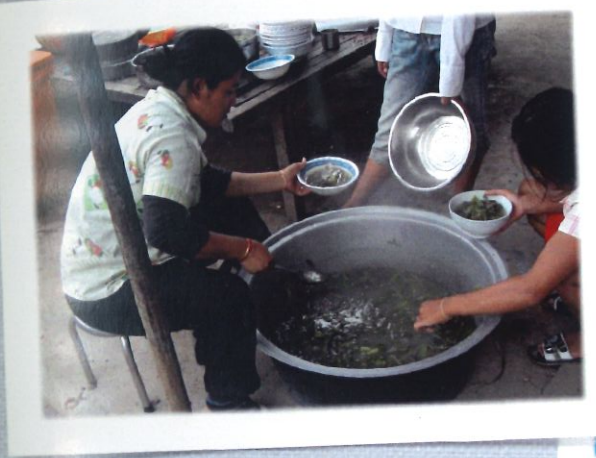
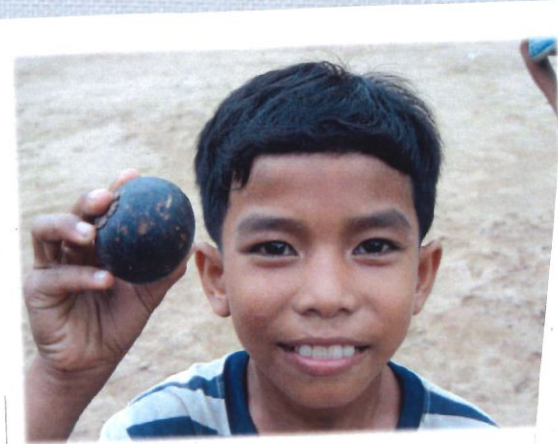
We also look after the children's health care. When there we take them to the dentist.



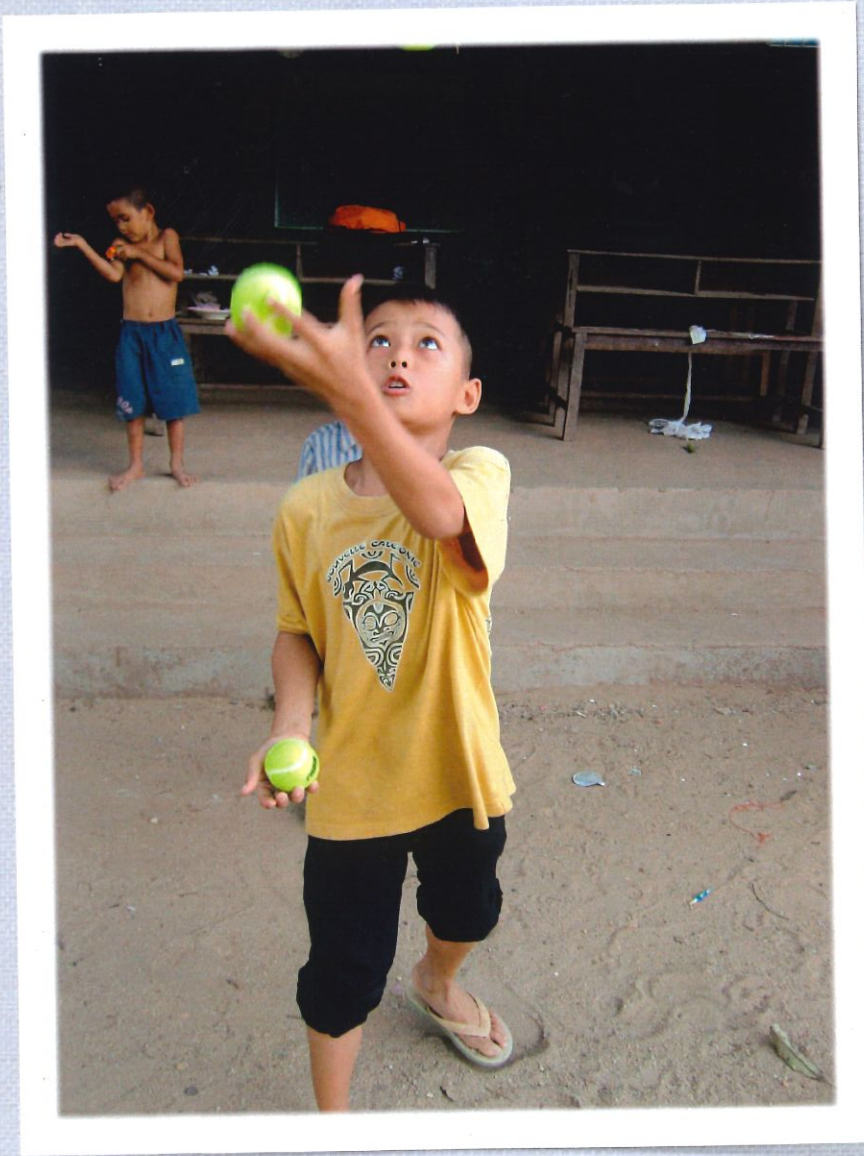
We have also immunised all the children against the major diseases prevalent in Cambodia, especially hepatitis.



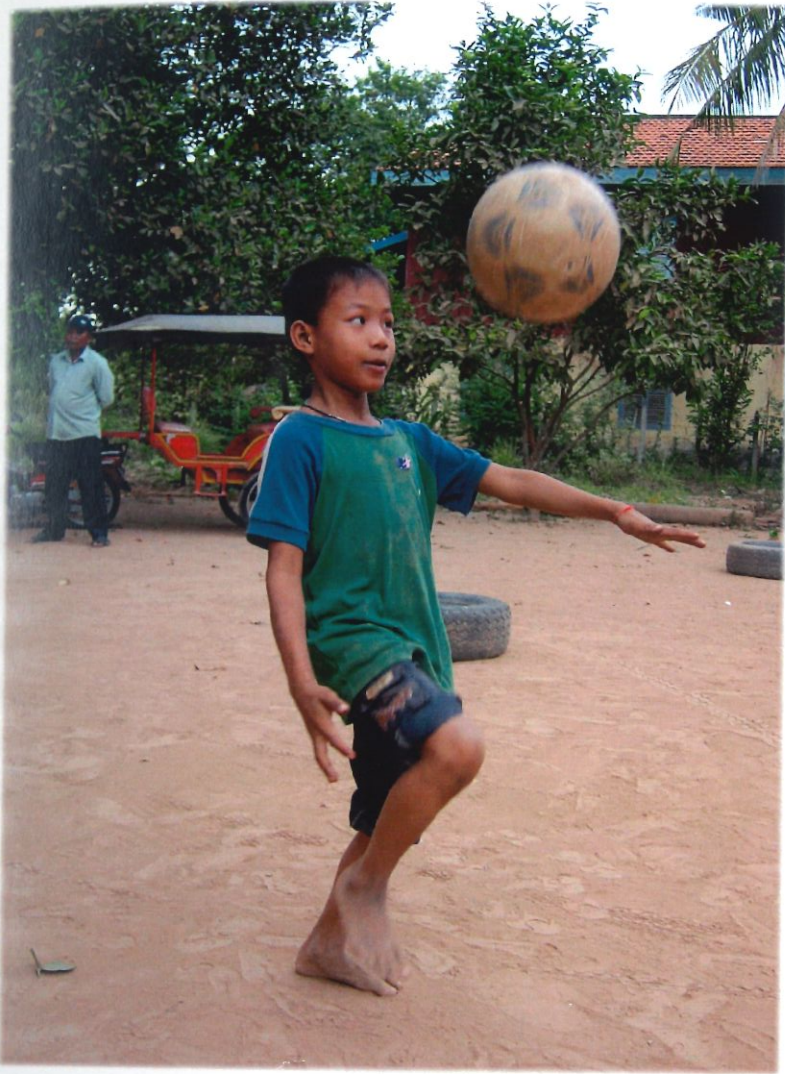
We have been instrumental in improving the living conditions of the children. This is an ongoing project. New beds and mattresses are regularly purchased.



When one of our volunteers is there they purchase food that enriches their staple diet.



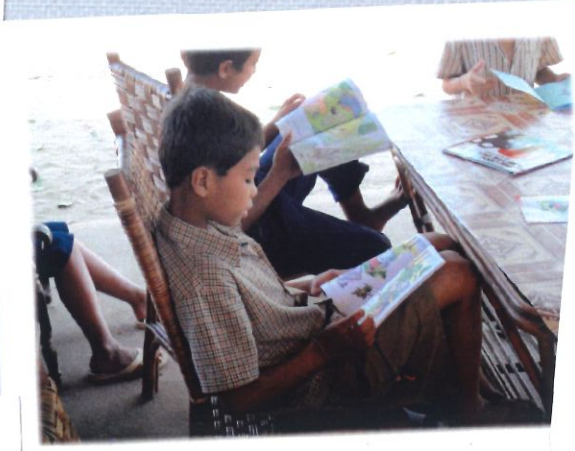
Various sports equipment is also provided.



Visitors also interact with the children, playing football and other games.



Beads were donated and the children made necklaces which they sold to visitors.





The children at the centre are happy and safe. Money raised goes to helping the centre keep going with it's great work and to support other worthwhile projects in Cambodia.



Items for sale. All proceeds go direct to the charity. Saving Slop is a magical book that will capture any child's interest. It is written in rhyme and has an environmental message.