

Farthest Corners

The KIEC Saga Continues

The last few months have been interesting ones for our family. We were hoping KIEC would open in September. Our preschool was in high demand, and we had to put students on a waiting list as we were overwhelmed with parent requests.

Unfortunately, like the rest of the world, when Myanmar attempted to open their schools, COVID-19 cases started to skyrocket. The government responded by closing all schools, and



we doubt they will open until the next academic year (June 2021). Still, we've continued to take advantage of this window by working hard to improve the first building and grounds. It's been quite a transition to see how the KIEC campus has transformed from mostly jungle and a hut to a school campus with flower and vegetable gardens.

Because of the high demand for the KIEC school, and with our fundraising campaign being incredibly blessed, the Farthest Corners' Board has approved moving forward on our next building project. By God's grace and through the support of so many of you, we'll begin work on our second building with the hopes of putting in a five-story foundation in the coming months. While our design is for five stories, we currently plan to build two-stories with six classrooms. We'll build the final three-stories at a later date through funds raised from the school. Plenty of updates will be coming soon, stay tuned!

PRAYERS AND PRAISES

Pray for the people in Myanmar (Burma). Healthcare here is very poor and COVID-19 cases increased significantly this past month.

Praise God Sinte was able to receive a preschool certification which will allow us to register with the government.

Pray for Happy Home. The students are in an area not controlled by the Myanmar government and their school has remained open.

Praise God our family has learned Sinte's sister after being a refugee in Malaysia for eleven years, has now arrived in the USA.

Pray for new opportunities to serve as ambassadors for Christ in challenging times like these.

Happy Home Update

Last month, Pastor Rakchat was able to visit Happy Home. As we all know, during these times, travel has been challenging. The border regions in SE Asia are no different. Still, when the opportunity presented itself, Rakchat made the trip through jungles and flooded rivers. We are thankful he was able to go and return safely. We have over 30 children at



Happy Home Students (August 2020)

Happy Home this year. The home and farm continue to prosper, although life isn't easy for these children. They still have work and chores to do. They often make a six-hour trek to carry their rice from the farm. They care for the animals and gardens that provide their food, which they cook for themselves. But the students also see blessings from their efforts. Trees planted many years ago are bearing fruit. The paddy farm cleared out of the jungle some years ago, now provides them a bounty of rice.



Naw Mu Eh a graduate of Happy Home is now studying to be a teacher.

After living at Happy Home for ten years and graduating from there, Naw Mu Eh has continued her education through Farthest Corners' support. She has been attending a teacher's college. After graduation, she hopes to return to Happy Home to help teach the students there. Naw Mu Eh is just one of many students we are so proud to see growing up to become leaders in their community. Thank you so much for supporting Naw Mu Eh and others like her. If you'd like to know more about Naw Mu Eh, please visit www.farthestcorners.org to hear her testimony.

Message from the Farthest Corners Board

We are so grateful for the many families, churches, and friends who continue to support this ministry with your encouragement, prayers, and financial gifts. Your faithfulness is a blessing to all who are reaching out to the "Farthest Corners"!