



# Scholarship Program

Donation Goal For This Project is **\$5,000**

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## The Cause:

Our scholarship program offers financial support to the underprivileged youth in the Kuraburi area. Vital needs can be difficult for local families to provide for and often result in the children leaving school by the age of 14. Without this elementary education local youth then find themselves struggling to find decent employment and provide for their own families. By completing a high school education they are one step further toward breaking the cycle of poverty.

## Moken Scholarship Program:

The small school on Koh Surin is only able to offer the most basic curriculum and does not have the resources to offers classes past the 5th grade level. Moken children from the Kuraburi area have an opportunity to attend a boarding home and Thai school about 1 hour from the town. Here they are given the opportunity for a Thai government standard of education and full board at the Don Bosco home where they are taken care of well. \$1.50 per day can help support the costs of living at a boarding home and attending school. The donation covers: uniform fees, daily snack at school, cost of meals and board at Don Bosco home, transportation to visit home twice a month.

## Local Thai Student Scholarship Program:

In cooperation with our partners at the Rotary Club Patong Beach Phuket we help to administer scholarships to underprivileged local Thai youth since after the 2004 Tsunami. The scholarship program has been able to offer financial support to almost 150 youth over the years, and this year 16 local students will be receiving this benefit. The scholarship helps to cover the cost of uniforms, school supplies and tuition fees. Grade school level students receive 6,000 Thai Baht and high school level students receive 8,000 Thai Baht for the academic year.



## Meet the students:



Kaow Nieow (14) wants to become an art teacher



Praewa (12) wants to become a stewardess



Praewa (12) wants to become a Thai teacher

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