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Yayasan Kemenuasaan Ibu Pertiwi

NEWSLETTER

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Dear Friends,

Welcome to the August 2006 edition of the YKIP newsletter. In this issue, we bring you our latest news on our projects.

FORE!!! The Dos Hermanos South African Community Golf Day in Jakarta

On April 27th, a special South African Golf Day was held in Jakarta with 144 golfers participating. Door prizes galore were donated by a number of hotels, restaurants and adventure tours. This charity event netted Rp 73,500,000 for YKIP (an equal amount was given to a Jakartan foundation as well). The official donation hand over took place on the 17th July 2006 at the South African Embassy in Jakarta and was officiated by the wife of the South African Ambassador, Ms. Mamela. We would like to thank the OB Golf Events Management, all the players, donors and the South African Embassy Jakarta for choosing YKIP as one of their charity recipients.



BALI BOMB VICTIM 2005 SUPPORT

A charity event was also held on October 8, 2005 with a dinner party aboard the Indies Trader IV vessel. Over Rp 200,000,000 (US \$22,000) was raised on this evening to help the bomb victims with medical and other support.



The main organizers of this event, Quiksilver Indonesia, have appointed YKIP to administer these funds.

YKIP is assisting 27 of the 2005 Bali bomb victims' with educational insurance policies worth approxi-

mately \$500 each. These can be cashed in when their child goes onto the next level (for example, kindergarten to primary). One of these children's father, I Wayan Sudika was killed in the bomb; the rest were injured.

Funds for the insurance came from COURTS INDONESIA, ALF-YKIP and the QUIKSILVER donors.

We are only helping those who are currently living on Bali as logistically it is difficult to locate those on Java.

On April 24, 2006, we invited all the victims to a meeting at Waroeng Ja Waroeng in Jimbaran to brainstorm about what kinds of courses they would like to take outside the tourism industry (we are trying to steer them into work that is more sustainable). Thirty-one of the 51 victims that we have on record have registered for these courses, which include driving, spa school, beauty school, tailoring and computer courses, which are all begun in July 2006.



Putu Desi was a babysitter for a family eating at one of the Jimbaran cafes that was bombed. Her injuries were extensive and she spent eight months in hospital in Perth in rehabilitation. When she came back home in May, she was unable to use her arms and walking was quite difficult. Since June, YKIP has set her up to do therapy with acupuncturist Nyoman Sadra at the Gandhi Ashram in Candi Dasa as well as with Australian-trained physiotherapist Ketut Putrawan many times a week. In quite a short time, she has regained quite a lot of range of motion in her hands and can now walk down to the beach from her house. She returns to Perth in September for further therapies. The YKIP fieldworkers have visited her several times already to monitor her progress and to take

care of the administration for the therapies.

Wayan Sudika, one of the Bali bomb victims who was killed in October 2005, was cremated in his home village in Gianyar on June 6, 2006. Two of the YKIP fieldworkers, Ni Putu Sherlyana and Hartanto, attended the cremation.



PANTI JOMPO WANA SERAYA (AGED CARE HOME)

The Wana Seraya Aged Care Home in Ketewel currently houses 50 residents. Current on-going YKIP programs (sponsored by Tropical Homes Bali) include daily healthy lunches, twice weekly gamelan lessons (see photograph) and on-call nursing care.



REPORTS ON-GOING PROJECTS



YAKKUM

YAKKUM Bali has continued its' regular home visits to find new clients who need their assistance and to assess the situation of their current clients. The focus this quarter has been on the building of bathrooms with special access for their clients in Karangasem and sending clients who need operations to YAKKUM in Jogjakarta.





Eight new clients were brought on board this quarter, bringing the total number of new clients for 2006 to 34 people.

◀ *Putu Eka before having his new prosthesis leg*

Putu Eka with his new prosthesis leg ▶



YAKKUM Bali is also conducting a course in traditional umbrella making in the YAKKUM Bali centre at the LBK in Karangasem).



YKIP- YKIDS (Yayasan Kuta International Disaster Scholarship)

For the academic school year 2006-2007, YKIP-YKIDS is sponsoring 58 children from the Bali bomb 2002 victims and 27 children from the Bali bomb 2005 victims. The children from the 2005 bomb victims are being supported for another year and shall be reassessed as to their needs next year. Those from the 2002 bomb (and one child from 2005) are being supported until they finish Senior High School (YKIP's policy is to fund through the end of college if funds permit for children of deceased victims and for three semesters for those who have injured parents). We still need your support to get all these children through the tertiary level.



We are pleased to announce that ten of the YKIP-YKIDS students were ranked in the top ten of their class.



Yakeba (YAYASAN KESEHATAN BALI)

DRUG, ALCOHOL AND HIV / AIDS AWARENESS IN THE SCHOOLS.



A new program called PET (Peer Education Training) has been put in place for this new school year (July 2006 - June 2007). Two American volunteers, Mariah Ernst and Nicholas Satero from the AWARE program at Bard College are working with YAKEBA staff to create a new curriculum for PET. YAKEBA already had a curriculum in place and translated into Indonesian, which was then combined with the materials from AWARE. The aim of this program is to put peer educators into five Senior High Schools who would disseminate information on narcotics and HIV/AIDS to their fellow students. The initial training of peer educators began in

July and will run for two months, followed by weekly sessions at each school. YKIP would like to thank Mariah and Nick for instigating and fundraising for this project.



YRS (YAYASAN RAMA SESANA)

REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH CLINIC

From April-June, YRS has treated 1.549 patients, with an average visit of 23 patients daily. Apart from the medical care that YRS gives to its patients, it has now established an educational outreach program, conducted by the YRS staff and nurses to give direct information to the vendors in the Badung Market. The total number of women reached so far in the outreach program is 1.172 people.

YRS is planning to expand their Clinic by renting a house in Denpasar and establishing a more up-market clinic, where clients with more money will feel comfortable. This clinic will then help to subsidize the activities of the Pasar Badung clinic.

YRS now has its own website: www.yrsbali.org.



THE CHILDREN'S HEARING PROJECT



It has been a busy year for our Hearing Program at the Lumina Hearing Center. Thanks to a generous donation from the Annika Linden Foundation, we were able to expand our services to include a second SLBB (Special Needs) school. The two schools are SLBB Tabanan and SLBB Sidhakarya in Denpasar. The school in Tabanan has 39 children; some of these children were abandoned by their families due to their hearing disability and now live at the school. Initial testing results indicated that 20 of them have enough hearing to benefit from the use of hearing aids. These children were brought to the Lumina Hearing Center in Denpasar for diagnostic testing and received used hearing aids donated to the program. There were many happy faces!

The second school is SLBB Sidakarya, where we screened and tested 70 children. Our results indicate that there are approximately 40 children at this school who could benefit with the use of hearing aids, but sadly, there are not sufficient funds to support these children. We have enough hearing aids, but the costs of transportation, batteries, earmolds and other expenses remain to be considered.

Our program also includes students at the Jimbaran SLBB school and we continue to support those children there who were fitted with hearing aids last year. It is wonderful to see the progress that many of these children are making. All are becoming aware of sounds and their meanings and many are learning to speak



Lumina Hearing Center is also pleased to announce that we have received a very generous donation of a critical piece of hearing testing equipment that will enable the accurate diagnosis of hearing disability in infants and young children. This unit - a GSI Audera ABR/OAE (BERA) System was donated to us by VIASYS Healthcare of the United States. We are very excited to have this very advanced piece of equipment - the first of its kind in the Island of Bali - because it means that we can now identify and provide hearing aids for hearing loss in babies and toddlers. This will greatly increase their speech and language development potential.

MREC (Medical Resource Education Centre)

MREC is housed at the Faculty of Medicine at Udayana University. It is a library used by over one thousand students and faculty every month. To develop MREC further, Melissa Withers, a PhD candidate in Public Health at UCLA, will be here in September for nine months and be working with Dr. Putu Sutisna, the head of the Dept of Parasitology and Medical English course. Melissa will be teaching research skills in English to the students and working in tandem with the East



Bali Poverty Project and YRS for data collection. This position will then be handed over in 2007 to I Made Setiawan, a Balinese PhD Candidate at the University of Chicago's Public Health Program.

KEMBALI PROGRAM.

We're pleased to inform you that for the school year July 2006 - June 2007, the number of our KEMBALI students has increased, from 350 to 495 students. We are now sponsoring 360 students from Gianyar, 70 from Badung and 65 from Singaraja. Four of our students are now being sponsored through Senior High School. This is beyond our expectation since our primary goal was to provide nine years of education as mandated by the Indonesian government. We are grateful to our donors for supporting these students, so they could have the opportunity to have a better future.



Michele and Martin Dekok from the Boston Bar School M.A.D. World Club in Canada raised CAD\$3,000 to help renovate the primary school SD 6 in Mas. The funds are being used to build a new wall, paint the school walls and doors, replace the door handles and replace tiles in the schoolyard. The Dekoks, along with some of the parents from the school, painted and fixed up the school together in mid-July. This is our first sister school program and we would like to thank Michele and Roy and all the students and parents from Boston Bar School who contributed to this effort.

There are still hundreds of schools in Bali that need repair. The government, and local Rotary clubs handle some of these schools, but it is a mere drop in the bucket. If you would like to join our "Rebuild a School" effort, please email us at info@ykip.org.



We would like to expand our KEMBALI program not with more students necessarily but with a new program of upgrading the skills of our fieldworkers so they are better able to assess the needs of the students, whether it be nutritional, psychological or educational. We also want to put in place a mentoring program for our KEMBALI students and utilize the skills of retired teachers that live in their community.



Another program we want to begin is a library program. By putting only 120 books in a primary school (if there are only six classrooms; 20 books per class) and training the teachers in some library science (we would work with Dyatmika School to do this), we can greatly enhance the student's knowledge through implanting a thirst for reading (which is not something encouraged in Indonesian schools in general). It would cost under \$800 to put a library in 6 classrooms in one school (and we would want to do all the classrooms in one school—many schools have two classes of each grade). Please help us create readers in Bali!



EAST BALI POVERTY PROJECT

Much progress has been made in the areas where EBPP works. The Manikaji Integrated education programs had 61 students this past academic year and 16 new students wanting to start school (many drop out as their parents need them to work, so this was welcome news indeed!). All the students



are progressing well, with both primary and Junior High School students averaging 80% correct on their semester exams. The program of giving each child a daily nutritious meal, glass of milk and multi-vitamin has contributed to this. We are also pleased to inform you that due to the success of the safe water awareness and education program the child mortality for 2006 has been reduced from 50% in 2003 to ZERO. The organic gardens and worm compost program are still in the experiential stages. Over twenty goats are providing fresh milk for the students.



Manikaji Water Spring projects

DONORS AND SPONSORS



The Annika Linden Foundation (www.alfoundation.org) continues to be YKIP's major donor. We are extremely grateful to Mark Weingard and his staff for their support. This year the ALF is sponsoring 202 children in the KEMBALI program (there were 202 victims who perished in the 2002 Bali bombing, including Annika Linden), total funding for the YKIP programs of YAKEBA, YAKKUM, YRS, MREC, the Children's Hearing Project, the East Bali Poverty Project and partially funding YKIP Administration costs and the 2005 Bali Bomb Victims projects.



We now have a new KEMBALI brochure and would like to thank Ida Bagus Pradnyana of Rip Curl Indonesia for designing it and Jeff Anderson of Rip Curl Indonesia for sponsoring the design.

Jason Kruse, General Manager of Contiki Hotel and Resort in Seminyak, is sponsoring I Wayan Sugiana in a one-year degree program for Food and Beverage for the Hotel Industry. Sugiana was one of the top students in his class at SMK Mengwi Tani, a high school specializing in the tourism industry. Thank you, Jason!



YKIP would like to thank Qantas of Cairn, Australia for their generosity in allowing Kim Butler, OAM, to bring in 240 kilos worth of linens, toys, clothes and school supplies for the needy children of Bali. Kim worked tirelessly to assist the bomb victims of both 2002 and 2005 in hospital and has brought over kilos of goods to distribute through YKIP. Qantas has given her over 100 pairs of eyeglasses to give to YKI/John Fawcett Foundation which were left in the Lost and Found over the past several months, as did Hertz Rent-a-Car. We appreciate this working relationship with Qantas as well as Kim's efforts to help the needy children of Bali. Thank you, Kim and Qantas!

CHIS (Cahaya Harapan Indonesia Sejahtera) school is partially covering the school fees of Kiola Juniardi, whose father John Juniardi perished in the 2002 bombings. We would like to thank Pak Tonny and the CHIS Foundation for their support.

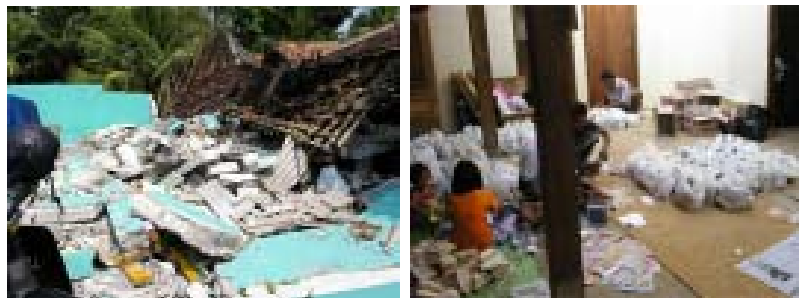
We would like to thank all of our donors and sponsors who continue to work with YKIP. We cannot name you individually, but all donors are listed on our website: www.ykip.org/dnt_donors_monetary.asp.



Karen and Hugh Lavitt also brought over donated clothing and toys and we went with them to the Yayasan Penyandang Anak Cacat (Foundation for Disabled Children) in Jimbaran where the children sang and recited poetry for us.

Mitrais of Kuta, Bali donated a used computer and their medical database program to YRS. Thanks to Kok Sang of Mitrais for his help in installing the software and to Mitrais for the donated computer.

Mitrais and YKIP donated a total of \$2,000 to the Jogjakarta earthquake victims. Tents, clothing, blankets and supplies were trucked over to the village of Ngasem where they were distributed directly to the 97 families who live there.



WAYANG KULIT TRAUMA COUNSELING DVD NOW AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE!

This half-hour DVD was made exclusively to assist the Bali bomb victims deal with their trauma, using traditional Wayang Kulit shadow puppetry in an innovative way. This edited version was shown on Indonesian television in 2002-2003. The show is in Balinese with Indonesian subtitles. There is extensive information on the show and how it was made on <http://www.ykip.org/wayangkulit/index.asp>.

We also have a children's version done in Indonesian that is not bomb-specific but focuses more on how to get along with people who are different than you are—the message is one of harmony and tolerance within a Balinese philosophical framework.

To order, send an email to info@ykip.org Cost is US \$25 plus shipping.

GLOBAL HEALING CONFERENCE

YKIP CEO Rucina Ballinger spoke about YKIP at the Global Healing Conference held in Ubud from May 3 - 8, 2006. She was on a panel that included Jean Howe from Threads of Life, Robyn Lim from Bumi Sehat and Marcia Jaffe from Global Healing, moderated by May Lee.

YKIP STAFF

We are pleased to welcome our new Field officer Eti Nurhayati, who joined the YKIP team in July. Hartanto, who was working exclusively with the Aged Care Home project, has now come on board as a part-time field officer for all the YKIP projects as well. Due to the increase in KEMBALI scholarships, we found it necessary to add additional team members. We are very happy to expand our family and hope that we will be able to better serve our clients and donors in the future.

HOW TO DONATE



YKIP is registered as a not-for-profit charity in the United States with the National Heritage Foundation (NHF). What this means is that those of you paying taxes in the United States can make tax-deductible donations to YKIP with your credit cards or a check. Those in other countries can make on-line credit card donations to YKIP through the NHF (see <http://www.ykip.org/ccopener.asp>). You need to make sure that our foundation number 1138288) and name (YKIP) is on all correspondence with the NHF. YKIP is working on registering as a not-for-profit in Australia in order to facilitate donations from our Southern neighbour as well as in Canada and the UK. If you can assist the people of Bali in some way, your generosity will be greatly appreciated. Any amount is most welcome. Financial contributions to YKIP may be made at either of the banks listed below. YKIP is very mindful of the need for complete transparency and the highest ethical standards in handling the donated funds of our generous supporters. YKIP is audited annually on a pro bono basis by the Public Accounting Firm Drs. Paul Hadiwinata, Hidajat and Associates which is part of the international PKF association. After the audit the YKIP annual accounts will be available to donors and potential donors on request. YKIP would like to thank Drs Hidajat and his colleagues for offering us this service. For further information please go to www.pkfhadiwinata.com

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Bank Permata Tbk
 Denpasar Branch Office Branch 601
 Jl. Dewi Sartika Kav. 88
 Denpasar - Bali
 Indonesia
 Swift Code : B B B A I D J A
 Acc. Name : Y K I P
 Acc. No. : 5802 163 330 (US\$)
 Acc. No. : 580 261 460 (IDR)

YKIP/KIDS Educational Trust Fund (for direct victims of Bali Bombs)

Bank Lippo
 Lippo-Cab. Thamrin Denpasar,
 Bali, Indonesia
 Swift Code : L I P B I D J A
 Acc. Name : Y K I P K I D S
 Acc. No. : 789 30 71857 7(US\$)

Bank Lippo
 Kuta Graha Branch Office
 Kuta - Bali, Indonesia
 Swift Code : L I P B I D J A
 Acc. Name : Y K I P K I D S
 Acc.No. : 534 30 35908 5 (IDR)

For those of you who may be reading our newsletter for the first time, the name of our organisation, Yayasan Kemanusiaan Ibu Pertiwi (YKIP) translates from the Indonesian language to mean the Humanitarian Foundation for Mother Earth. It is a non-profit with the mission to improve the lives of Balinese needy through projects in the area of Health and Education. YKIP was founded in response to the Bali Bomb blast of October 2, 2002, and our efforts are intended as a living tribute to the victims. Further details about YKIP and its office bearers can be found at our website: www.ykip.org. May we also ask you to forward e-mail this newsletter to your family members, friends and business associates who may be interested in supporting the work of Yayasan Kemanusiaan Ibu Pertiwi, YKIP. Thank you for your continuing interest and support and please do not hesitate to contact us if you have queries or suggestions regarding the contents of this newsletter. If you would prefer not to receive a copy of this newsletter in the future, please let us know at the email address below.

Until the next newsletter in October 2006, our kindest regards,

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