

Launching Hill Tribe students stronger for a brighter future!



### Be the miracle. Pass on the gift.

As Lasallians, we are called to serve as beacons of hope for those who are in need.



La Salle Mae Hong Son (LSMHS) is a secondary school run by the Institute of the Brothers of the Christian Schools, also known as De La Salle Brothers.

As a response to the challenge of improving the lives of the Hill Tribe students of Khun Mae La Village in Mae Hong Son Region in Thailand, LSMHS is set to open in school year 2023.





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2021 May 15th marks the 10th anniversary of the Lasallian East Asia District (LEAD).

LEAD is the newly restructured juridical and canonical Province of the Brothers of the Christian Schools (De La Salle Brothers) in the Asia Pacific Region. LEAD is composed of seven countries -Hong Kong, Japan, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore and Thailand.

### Mae Hong Son Province



Nearly 170 years ago, the first De La Salle Brothers came from far-away France to establish the first La Salle schools in Asia to educate local and especially the underprivileged children.

They have been a gift for people living in Asia and it is only fitting that we pass on the gift to mark the 10th Anniversary of LEAD.

Work has started work to build a new private secondary school on a 25 acre or 101,171 square meters land plot, donated by the locals, in Khun Mae La Village in the Mae Hong Son Province which is west of Chiang Mai, Thailand. The School will be called La Salle Mae Hong Son (LSMHS).

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# No one should be left behind.

The Organisation for Economic Co-operation & Development (OECD) 2018 report, acknowledged Thailand's development success in moving from a low-income to an upper-middle-income country over the decade. However, more effort is needed to reduce the **substantial inequality** among the regions in the country.

Mae Hong Son Province & the northeast region scored lowest in Human Achievement Index in the National Human Development Report 2007 for Thailand & continues to lag behind.

**Education** is rated poorest in quality among all the sub-indices.



Currently, there is no secondary school present in Khun Mae La District or nearby towns in the Mae Hong Son Province.

Students wishing to continue their education must leave their families. Most just decide to stop attending school.

One of LSMHS's dream is to provide them with secondary education.

With LSMHS, Hill Tribe students can continue studying and living with their families, thereby strengthening the bonds within the family and their community.

**Education is key** to improving the lives of the people in Mae **Hong Son** 

With your help, we can make our LSMHS vision a reality.



# Start the ripples for change.

Help us raise funds for building the clean water supply facilities

LSMHS needs 20 units of 2,000-liter water tanks to store water that will be piped from Khun Mae La Falls located 3 kilometers away from the School.





# Be the conduit of kindness to light up their future.

Help us raise funds for connecting electricity for the School.

A site-transformer and 700-800m of electrical cables is needed to connect LSMHS to the main 3-phase power substation in Khun Mae La Village.

# Launch learning within these walls

Help us raise funds to build classrooms, computer-room and a laboratory to educate the Hill Tribe students in Mae Hong Son, Thailand.

Phase 1 is to build two 8 x 8-meters classrooms for 25 - 40 students each.





### Helming the gift.

An administration building is needed to manage the school and it will also be where the De La Salle Brothers will live.

Help us raise funds for the construction of this 7-room single storey building.

## Nourish body & soul.

Help us raise funds for the construction of the 16x25-meter school kitchen, canteen/ community space

It will also serve as a place for the staff and students to socialize and strengthen their community bond.





## A second home for some.

Help us in build boarding houses for students who live from further away or in accessible parts so they can stay during school days and return home during weekends.

We plan to construct two dormitories, to accommodate up to 25 boys & 25 girls each.

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No matter how big or small, your support for this cause goes a very long way in making education accessible to the Hill Tribe students.

Your generosity and support, will form part of the values that we will instill in our students.

### US\$ 7,000

20 Units of 2,000L Water Tanks

#### US\$ 56,000

Transformer & 700-800m electrical power supply line

#### US\$ 140,000

2 units of 8mx8m classroom, 1 laboratory and 1 computer room

### US\$ 50,000

Administrator's building with sleeping quarters for the Brothers, an office and a kitchen

### US\$ 25,000

School canteen/ community area with a kitchen and dining area

#### US\$ 66,000

2 dormitory buildings for boys and girls each

# How can you help?

We are open to accommodating volunteers who would like to share their skills and talents in the construction of the School.

We welcome supporters who would like to volunteer their time as teachers.

LSMHS sees the importance of community support in the development of the Hill Tribe students. We are open to hosting community outreach programs that benefit the Hill Tribe communities in Khun Mae La and nearby villages.

We are open to establishing relationships with corporate entities and brands who identify with our vocation of providing accessible education for the poor and the marginalized. Acknowledgement plaques and naming rights of school facilities will be considered

Support can be it in the form of donation of materials, appliances, goods, sponsorships,

Donation of materials, contribution to the needed resources, or any other form of help that is relevant to LSMHS are also very much appreciated.

As of the moment, we are prioritizing resources for the construction of the LSMHS classroom and offices.





### Send a Hill Tribe student to school by donating.

### **COUNTRY NAME**

- Account Name:
- US\$ Account Number
- PHP Account Number
- Bank Name
- Bank Address / Branch
- Swift / Routing Number
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