



Our first Cambodian university graduates

Hats off to Ta Pen!

They were among the first pupils to sit at the desks of the primary school in Ta Pen, in 2010. Today, we are delighted to announce that they are the first to gain a university degree. A huge step not only for them, but also for their parents, most of whom are illiterate, who see their children entering a future that they could

never have imagined. Children who now have degrees in law, literature, mathematics, history, physics and chemistry, and who have all already found employment in their respective fields. They are eternally grateful; and it's thanks to your support, over many years, that this new life stretches out before them! ■

«La Roue du Chœur»

A cycling trip to support Ta Pen



In 2017, Anne-Claire and Vincent walked the long route linking Knokke-le-Zoute (Belgium) and Geneva in order to raise money to finance secondary education and professional training for the pupils of Ta Pen. Many of you supported their great endeavour which, thanks to the 75,229 CHF raised, enabled the financing of study for 133 pupils over a period of 7 years.



On August 16, they will undertake a new challenge: to once again make the journey between the two cities dear to their hearts, but this time by bike.

They will be raising money for the same cause: providing access to education in the rural region of Ta Pen

Would you like to experience this adventure with them?

You will soon be able to follow Anne-Claire's and Vincent's journey and participate in this challenge by sponsoring the rotations of their wheels, either by bank transfer or by Twint. ■

Cambodia: the fourth year of Careers Day



Organized at Siemreap by *Don du Choeur* and *Bayon Education and Development*, Careers Day has become a key annual event for the pupils. This year, the fourth edition of this event will take place in the magnificent setting of the Paul Dubrule hotel school, generously made available to us for the occasion. Long awaited by the schools' 300 pupils, Careers Day gives them the chance to meet some 20 representatives of universities, professional bodies, engineering and other specialist schools... All there, along with helpful documentation, to assist those young people to reflect on their future careers. ■

Mexico: inauguration of individual practice rooms

This month the Santa Cecilia music school saw the inauguration of new buildings, financed mainly by Don du Choeur, housing individual practice rooms called Cubículos.

A gala concert was also given by the Santa Cecilia pupils at the Macedonio Alcalá Theatre, Oaxaca, under the direction of conductor Panos Karan, one of the main partners of this project. ■



Mexico: opening of a percussion class!

Over several months working at Santa Cecilia music school in Oaxaca, a French volunteer, a retired percussionist, prepared the curriculum for the opening of a percussion class. A young Mexican percussionist now teaches this class and has become part of the school team. Nine pupils are discovering a passion for percussion and are learning to master the various instruments involved. Many thanks to our partner ASENT for this wonderful gesture of solidarity. ■



Make a difference...



Participate and sponsor the secondary education of our students in Ta Pen. Your donations are essential and are tax deductible.



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