



Haven of Hope
International

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Dear HOH Sponsors & Supporters,

As the month of August is coming to a close and we look forward to the upcoming Fall Season, the HOH Advisory Board wanted to bring you up-to-date on all that has been happening over the past few months and also make you aware of some exciting upcoming HOH related events.



HOH celebrated 13 years of ministry! Praise God!

Prayer Request

In June 2 of our "Super Human" HOH supporters, Thom Pear and Bill Sawyer once again completed the 12.5 mile endurance swim around Key West raising money for our children's needs.

Since then Thomas had a bike accident - he is recovering but still in the hospital. Please pray for him for a quick recovery.

Service Spotlight

Joined by a few other generous businessmen, Tom Klamet and Stan Heyman, we were able to provide warm clothes, blankets and bibles for all of the children at the Orphanage and help them seal up weatherize the windows and put up heavy curtains to shield the children from the chilly winter. We praise the Lord for these athletic, energetic and big hearted men!

Our Missions Team had a productive and blessed Summer Trip

In June a team of 15 individuals from SW Florida traveled to the Orphanage in Santa Cruz. In addition to loving all of the beautiful children and showing our appreciation to the Tias (Aunts) and our new Tio (Uncle), Staff and Gladys & Marco and their family for all of their hard work and dedication, the Team taught the children new crafts, took the staff and children on a number of fun outings, conducted a medical outreach clinic, brainstormed about vocational options and sustainability projects and completed a number of much needed painting projects.

Support our construction team going to HOH in October

Of special note, as part of our team, we were fortunate enough to be joined by 3 generous, mission-minded construction gentlemen a.k.a the "Dream Team" who were completing a "needs assessment review" to see if it would make sense for them to return to the Orphanage with a construction Team in the fall to renovate the Old Chapel into a much needed administrative building as well as to renovate the Old Kitchen into a combination computer lab, library and study area for the children. We are thrilled to report that the Dream Team has accepted the challenge of our **Extreme Hope Makeover remodeling project and a team has been assembled to return on October 5th - 11th!**

THANK YOU JESUS!!

If you are interested in donating to these worthwhile projects, please either go to our website at www.havenofhopeintl.org

or contact Alice Skaff at havenofhopeinternational@gmail.com

Boys Orphanage update



As we bring these construction projects to completion, our thoughts and prayers are already being directed to how we can raise the resources to building a separate boy's dormitory.

Currently as the young boys at the Orphanage reach age 12, the Bolivian Government requires that alternative housing arrangements be made for them since they do not want teenage boys and girls living in the same dormitory. We are praying the Lord provides us with the finances to bring the same long-term solution to the boys as we are able to provide to the girls at the Orphanage.

We want to leave you with some pictures of our children growing up and healing from their past in their safe home Haven of Hope that exists because of your support and prayers.



The children dressing up for a Bolivian festival, celebrating their country and heritage.



Marco and the children having a good time eating cake in their beautiful new cafeteria.



Celebrating all of the children's birthdays in August



Our High School girls working on homework projects



THANK YOU for your on-going support, without which the Orphanage would cease to exist!

Please help us in spreading the word to your family and friend about how

this incredible ministry is making an **ETERNAL** difference to the children whom we are all blessed to serve.

On behalf of the children & staff at Haven of Hope,
In His Service,
Haven of Hope International Advisory Board

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