

CAN YOU HELP US?

THE GOOD NEWS:

We are extremely proud of the success of our students who have graduated and progressed to careers.

Our current family of 300 young people are loved and being well educated.

We have fantastic staff in the Philippines who are dedicated to improving our students futures.

THE NOT SO GOOD NEWS:

We are struggling to raise enough money to fund our projects. We need your help to spread the word about the great work that we are doing.

PLEASE CONSIDER HOW YOU MIGHT HELP

- TELL YOUR FRIENDS ABOUT ASCT
- HELP US FIND NEW SPONSORS
- DO SOME LOCAL FUND RAISING
- TELL US ABOUT FUNDRAISING IDEAS THAT WE MIGHT BE ABLE TO USE
- CONSIDER EVENTS YOU WOULD LIKE US TO ORGANISE?

**Together we can continue this fantastic work and
stop the cycle of poverty**



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DID YOU KNOW

As with many charities, ASCT is constantly struggling to raise enough money to fund our projects. Due to the nature of our work we are committed to educating individual children for the long term, it is therefore very difficult to cut costs or reduce the level of support. We have 300 children in the Philippines who are wholly reliant on us to provide them with a brighter future.

We are not only adversely affected by fluctuating funding levels but must contend with variable exchange rates and a level of inflation in the Philippines which is far in excess of the UK rate. This makes it difficult to budget accurately in the long term. As John Wenger, our treasurer, states in the latest annual report the income for the first five months of this financial year is already £16,000 below budget. We started the year with 19 weeks expenditure in reserves, this will not last long at this level of income.



Please consider how you might help.

- Pray for ASCT, our staff in the Philippines and the children we support.
- Talk to friends and family about our work.
- Consider organising a fundraising event in aid of ASCT.
- Increase your monthly giving or make a one-off donation.
- Nominate ASCT as a recipient of funds from your church.
- Consider ASCT as a beneficiary of a legacy

We organise occasional events in the Camberley area but are conscious that many of our supporters live out of the area. We therefore rely heavily on your help to spread the word of our work and get our message across to others. We can provide publicity and a power point presentation to help at events. If you do live within a reasonable travelling distance of Camberley we can come and give talks at local churches and groups.


Consider how you can help ASCT by committing your support to us today.

CHRISTMAS SCHEME



Our 'Gifts for Christmas' scheme has been a great success in the past. Since we started the scheme in 2007 you have bought over £12,500 worth of presents. Please help us to make 2014 as successful as other years. To take part simply fill in the form below and return with a cheque (made payable to ASCT) to the ASCT office. In return you will receive a gift certificate which you can either keep yourself or pass on as a present to someone else. Every penny

donated via the scheme will be sent out to the Philippines and used to buy the gifts that you choose. These gifts will then be distributed to the children and families that ASCT support.

Rubber matting for Cashew	£22.00		
Wooden bunk bed	£90.00		
Towel	£7.00		
Toys	£12.00		
Mattress	£46.00		
Christmas Food	£14.00		
Electric Fan	£40.00		
Vitamins	£8.00		
Pair of shoes	£12.00		
Books for Cashew	£8.00		
School supplies	£14.00		
School Bag	£8.00		
Set of Bedding	£15.00		
Set of Kitchen utensils for Cashew Students	£2.00		
Gift	Price	No.	Total
Grand Total £			
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CHRISTMAS POST

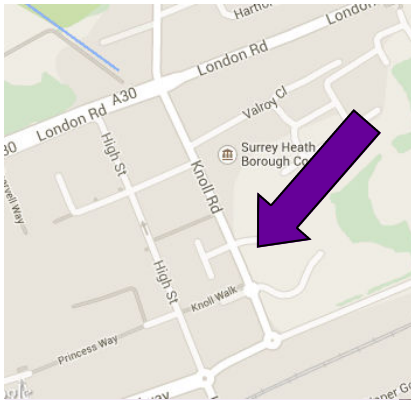
Christmas time is fast approaching and, like children around the world, the ASCT children are eagerly anticipating the day. If you sponsor an ASCT child and would like to send them a card and/or a monetary present the Christmas package will be sent from the ASCT office on the 1st December. Some of our children do not receive a Christmas gift.



If you would like to give to one of these children please send a cheque, made payable to ASCT to the address below. All gifts go directly to the individual children and they are able to spend money as they wish.

WE HAVE MOVED

ASCT has moved office. We are now located on the top floor of the Ian Goodchild Centre on Knoll Road. The telephone number remains the same. If you are in the Camberley area please do pop in and say hello. We are generally open every weekday, except Wednesday, from 8:30am until 4pm.



Patron: The Right Honourable Michael Gove MP for Surrey Heath
Life President: David Cox MBE

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