



Fall 2021

SAHAKARINI ESTABLISHED 1979 CAMROSE AB

### *The Projects Sahakarini Donors Support*

#### **Pipal Tree, Bangalore, India**

Pipal Tree engages Tribal peoples, dryland farmers, and Adivasi (Tribal) children. Sahakarini and Pipal Tree help to promote a sense of self-identity and dignity in children, prevent school dropout and develop leadership skills.

#### **Sand Dam for Kyeni Kya Muka, Kenya**

UDO, a Kenyan NGO, supports self-help groups to 1. increase food production through planting of drought resistant crops, 2. improve water security by construction of sand dams to provide clean water for domestic use and irrigation, 3. Conserve the environment by digging terraces and planting trees, 4. Increase income and 5. Improve health.

#### **Casa del Nino Rosita Sierra, Colombia**

This Childcare Centre serves the most-needy children of Salamina, Colombia. Since it is a 72-year old facility, some major repairs must be done before 120 of Salamina's most needy children will be allowed to return post Covid.

#### **Friends of Shanta Bhawan, Nepal**

Friends of Shanta Bhawan (FSB) operates as a non-profit, non-governmental primary healthcare clinic in Kathmandu. FSB serves a wide range of people and subsidizes medical costs according to its patients' socio-economic status.

#### **Nyuat Project SHINE, Tanzania**

Access to safe water for drinking and washing are essential to all aspects of sustainable development. This project features two related activities: 1) clean drinking water through installation of 180 biosand filters, 2) soap making for local community use and to supply local safari lodges, a for-profit enterprise.

## **Loaves and Fishes Re-imagined**



*The iconic Sahakarini Sandals will be doing the rounds to give you a chance to join their journey.*

*In Covid, Sahakarini, like everyone, has had to come up with new ways of doing things. That includes our annual Loaves and Fishes fall fundraiser. Loaves and Fishes Re-Imagined is still about sharing what we have to help others. During the month of October, we will be inviting you into our homes to enjoy some personalized hospitality as you learn more about how you can help. The needs of our project partners are greater than ever. Please embrace Loaves and Fishes Re-Imagined, have some fun, and help us realize our goal of \$50,000. - Litsa Tryphanopoulos, President*

Specific dates and times will be arranged by each host to hold a fundraising gathering. If you would like to be a host to a small group, please call Carolyn at 780-679-0411. Materials will be provided. If perchance we miss you or you are unable to attend a gathering, we hope that we can count on you to still provide your support. It is life-changing.

How to donate: check the Sahakarini Website [www.sahakarini.org](http://www.sahakarini.org) (Donate)

## “Possible Next Partnership with Tanzania, Sahakarini and Rotary”



Since 2016 Camrose resident Dr. Deirdre Duffy has been training doctors in Kenya and Tanzania to use portable ultrasound machines for lifesaving diagnoses in trauma, labour and pregnancy settings. Sahakarini and both Camrose Rotary clubs are hoping to partner in a project to buy the necessary equipment to empower these centres to develop their own local training programs and outreach.

## CHARITABLE GIVING

### The Ideal Gift

Undesignated donations are the ideal gift. Undesignated donations give Sahakarini maximum flexibility to move forward because they can be used to fund a total project, to seed a project, or to complete funding for a project which designated gifts have not covered within the necessary timeframe.

### Can I say how I want my donation used?

Yes. If you are inspired to see a particular Sahakarini project take off, you may designate a gift for that purpose. The gift may be enough to cover the entire project, but if not, then other designated donations and some undesignated funds must fill the gap. If more than enough donations to a particular project are received, those gifts can be used at the discretion of Sahakarini to expand the project, fund a similar project, or for greatest need.

*Would you like to become a supporter of Sahakarini by making small, regular monthly donations? see the Sahakarini web page menu marked Donations (sahakarini.org) on “HOW TO BECOME A MONTHLY DONOR”.*

## NEW WAYS TO SUPPORT THE WORK OF SAHAKARINI

### **BUY AND SELL**

*“Have unwanted items you wish to sell? Do this online (Camrose Buy and Sell, Sell It, Online Garage Sale etc.) and donate your funds to Sahakarini. Do this at your leisure and throughout the year.*

*We suggest you use the Safe Internet Exchange Zone located outside the RCMP office at 6410-48 Avenue on the East side of the street. Thank you for your support.*

### **Bottle Drive**

*You can take your empty bottles/cartons to The Universal Bottle Depot in Camrose or the Daysland Bottle Depot and as of September 1st leave your refund for Sahakarini.*

*On Friday October 29th we will hold a bottle drive. Drop off your empties and we will take care of the rest. See us at the Quilting from the Heart parking lot from 1:00-2:00 pm. Then on Saturday October 30 from 1:00-2:00 pm will be our second bottle drive at the Rotary Pavilion overlooking the ski hill.*

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