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# It's the Kathmandu Kids 10th Annual Fundraiser!

September 3, 2018 | Fraser's State Reception Centre

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I would like to introduce you to Kathmandu Kids, a charity that raises funds for impoverished and disadvantaged communities in Nepal. Since our foundation in 2008, we have remained committed to our goal of donating 100% of proceeds directly to the people. On top of developing education programs for both children and adults, we have also greatly contributed to further establishing communities which allow residents to flourish with hope for a more promising future. This includes implementing training programs and providing resources for parents so that they can cultivate a living and have a means to keep their family together.

This year will be our 10th annual fundraiser. Held on Monday September 3, 2018, Frasers Kings Park have again, generously donated the State Reception Centre as this years venue. The event presents an opportunity for you to get involved. Up to 350 guests get to enjoy amazing food donated by some of Perth's best caterers, along with a remarkable selection of wines. This is your chance to help us reach our 2018 goal of \$60,000 and give back to those who need it most! Every sponsor involved donates 100% of their goods or services. This means that every single dollar raised goes directly towards the Nepalese communities we work so hard to support.

By now, you're probably wondering, how has the money raised in the last ten years helped so far? Last year's success enabled us to further expand our education program to Nuwakot for 200 students. This allowed us to provide support for children in a region where child trafficking and extreme poverty are prevalent. Additionally to this, over the past nine years, the money raised has gone towards:

- School fees for approx. 175 children in the Kalimati slums and 100 children in the Jhapa region
- Transport to and from school for the Kalimati community.
- Uniforms, shoes, bags, books and stationery for the students
- Development, rebuilding and operation of a classroom on site at the slum to introduce the kids and their parents to the benefits of education
- 400 tracksuits for all the slum children to protect them from the winter cold
- Assisting a slum family rebuild their 'home' that was burnt to the ground
- Breast cancer treatment for a young mother of two
- Establishment of a training centre to teach the parents candle making, sewing and English.
- Over 50 women graduated from the sewing class and most are now employed using these skills.
- We have just bought of a fleet of bicycles in the Jhapa region to diminish the 90 minute walk (each way) for some of the kids. This also reduces the risk to the kids from animals and human predators.

Together we are changing lives and building brighter futures – but without your help this would not be possible! We are excited about the opportunity to partner with you for this worthwhile cause and are grateful for your generosity. For more details of the Kathmandu Kids 10th annual cocktail evening, to make donations, or to purchase tickets to the event please contact me on the number below or visit our website at [www.kathmandukids.com.au](http://www.kathmandukids.com.au).

Your support is greatly appreciated!