ELEVATING CHANGE IN NEPAL

NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION

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MISSION

To provide the Nepalese access to resources that allow for the responsible development of a sustainable community.

Elevate Nepal is a 501(c)(3) non-profit. All donations are tax deductible.
Sarsyu, is a remote village in Nepal completely destroyed by the 2015 earthquake. Elevate Nepal facilitated the rebuilding of a brand new earthquake resistant 12 room primary school and the refurbishing of additional classroom space to accommodate 700 students. The new school includes a science lab, computer lab and new toilets with running water and handwashing sinks.

**Recent Accomplishments**

**Sarsyu Primary School Rebuild**

Dates: November 2018 - February 2020

Total Project Budget: $80,000 USD
Ananda Jyoti Agriculture School is a one of a kind school in Nepal, with coursework designed for the classroom and practical field application. Students are offered an 18 month, high school level program, based in economics and land management of the agriculture sector.

Goals of Ananda Jyoti are aimed at easing migration to cities and abroad by developing employment opportunities through agriculture. This strategy will help preserve culture and traditions while allowing young adults to compete in an increasingly global world.

Elevate Nepal is dedicated to helping Ananda Jyoti succeed. We have committed to providing funding for teacher salaries and program enrollment, assistance in acquiring lab equipment, and procurement of land for expanded practical studies. Upon successfully graduating two classes of students, Ananda Jyoti will qualify to receive government recognition and sustainable funding.
In March 2022, Elevate Nepal will be partnering with the nonprofit organization Humanitarian Efforts Reaching Out (HERO) to perform basic medical check ups for local citizens in two locations in Nepal. A partnership team of American and Nepalese medical professionals will provide immunizations along with distributing eye glasses, sunglasses, vitamins and medications to treat a variety of conditions. The camp will be held for two days at the Namobuddha Monastery and three days at the Hatiya Village (Lamjung District).

Learn more about HERO at heroefforts.org
In Nepali, Sapana translates to “dream.”

The middle hills of the Himalayas, the world’s largest and youngest mountain range, offer growing conditions unlike anywhere else in the world. One of Nepal’s most valuable resources is its rich, fertile soil. Elevate Nepal’s mission with our social enterprise is to find opportunities through job creation in Nepal to allow Nepalese to earn a livelihood through resources that already exist in their villages. One way Elevate Nepal is trying to facilitate this DREAM is with the founding of Sapana Coffee. We have been working closely with coffee farmers in Nepal to grow world class coffee that can be sold in country or exported to other parts of the world. This will help ease migration to the cities and abroad that will in turn preserve cultures and traditions throughout the country. In the years ahead, we will continue to work with Nepalese coffee farmers to instill budget friendly, low cost systems to maximize yield and increase processing efficiency in our endless pursuit of the worlds best Himalayan coffee.

TESTIMONIALS

“Elevate Nepal has been recognized by the NCA as part of our Coffee Gives Back Showcase, highlighting their use of Himalayan Coffee to help create a positive long lasting impact in Nepal.”

~Theresa Bartlett - National Coffee Association, Director of Member Relations

“I was fortunate enough to meet Anthony and Dan in Nepal and get a better understanding of how fantastic Elevate Nepal is to such a developing country. It’s organizations like Elevate Nepal and the hard work and determination of these two individuals that provide much needed relief to the people and villages of the Himalayas.”

~ Warner Munro - Maybelle Clark MacDonald Fund
Elevate Nepal formed an Emergency Pandemic Response plan to help assist Nepal as it struggled with the effects of the COVID-19 Pandemic. The programs listed below are ongoing.

**NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

A strict lockdown in Nepal lasting almost three months has led to hunger becoming a serious issue. Normal supply chains have been disrupted, coupled with devastating losses of income by daily wage workers, leaving millions suffering. Elevate Nepal established a Nutrition Assistance Program to help ease this burden by creating food packages that include rice, lentils, cooking oil, salt and soap. So far food has been distributed to over 2000 people that will help sustain them for up to 30 days. Our impact has been made possible by utilizing our Nepalese staff, and our partnerships with Steps Foundation and Mountain People Nepal.

**PPE AND MASK DISTRIBUTION**

Filling the void left by the Nepalese government, Elevate Nepal has partnered with Wangchuk Rapten Lama to distribute desperately needed PPE to medical workers on the front lines. This PPE includes full body suits, bulk hand sanitizer, and masks supplied to 14 health posts in the district of Kavre. Wangchuk also facilitated the distribution of 1000 masks to local villagers and 160 monks at Namobuddha Monastery while teaching the importance of this simple, yet impactful, life saving action.

**DONATE NOW**

$20 feeds one person for up to one month  
$1 buys one mask  
$50 one PPE suit
We are strong believers in providing the Nepalese access to resources that will allow them to build and nurture sustainable communities, without creating a lasting dependence on foreign aid. In the coming years we plan to continue to mobilize funds from our social enterprise, Sapana Coffee, to facilitate projects within the agriculture sector. We will focus on supporting programs at Ananda Jyoti Agriculture School, in addition to working with coffee farmers in pursuit of the world’s best Himalayan coffee.

EN will continue our commitment to humanitarian projects designed to improve sanitation and clean water infrastructure in conjunction with health and hygiene education. Infrastructure improvement projects will focus on rural schools and the immediate surrounding communities. The goal is to provide clean and safe drinking water along with functional toilet systems for students and community members. Working with Nepalese medical professionals we will implement hygiene education programs at schools located near project zones. To continue to develop a reinforced pattern of healthy behavior, annual health camps will be facilitated by groups of American and Nepalese doctors to provide basic health care.

“We at Kahtoola love working with and supporting Elevate Nepal. The skills and heartfelt desire to help the beautiful, resilient, but often struggling people of Nepal has made it very rewarding for us. We’ve contributed to many organizations that help with cultural preservation in Nepal over the years and none have the same passion, dedication and fun energy of Elevate Nepal.”

Danny Giovale, Kahtoola Founder / Owner
Dan Maurer and Anthony Mancini first ventured to Nepal in 2011, where they spent three months volunteering on farms and trekking to Mt. Everest’s base camp. Immediately captivated by the country’s beautiful landscapes and people, Dan and Anthony left Nepal eager to remain connected. Since the 2015 earthquake, the two friends have dedicated their time and knowledge to fundraising and rebuilding efforts, ultimately leading to the birth of Elevate Nepal. Shortly after founding Elevate Nepal, Dan and Anthony recruited Resham Lama Bal to be their partner and in-country coordinator.

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Dan, Resham and Anthony