

### Village Doctors Trained on Sponsorship Application

On October 17th, 60 village doctors in a remote county of southwest China received training on how to help AIDS-impacted children apply for assistance from Chi Heng Foundation. The Chi Heng staff introduced the Foundation's educational sponsorship program and explained the application procedure. All the relevant information has also been documented in the 2012 training materials of the County Center for Disease Control (CDC) for the future reference of grassroots health workers.

Over 90% of the County population are ethnic minorities living in mountainous areas with poor transport. For them, village doctors are the first point of contact to health services. Knowing more about Chi Heng's project will enable the doctors to provide tailored information to local people. This also allows Chi Heng to reach out to more children and households in the County.



### Transforming Lives through Love Art Exhibition in Hong Kong

Chi Heng Foundation (CHF) commemorated the 10 year anniversary of its AIDS Orphan's Program through the Transforming Lives through Love Art Exhibition, held between the 19th-21st of October at the Sheung Wan Civic Centre Hall in Hong Kong. Organized by Chi Heng Hong Kong, and sponsored by SOCAM Development Limited, the exhibition was a great success due to the joint efforts of Chi Heng Art Program volunteers and the Volunteer Team from SOCAM Development Limited. A total of 300 original works, all created by the children were exhibited over the three days. Students from three local middle schools and girls from the NGO "Home Care for Girls" were also invited to the exhibition.

All attendees including many Chi Heng supporters were deeply moved by the paintings expressing the children's hopes and dreams. In conjunction a stall was organized where calendars, printed bags, pictures and other items were on display and garnered further support.

Chi Heng funded university students, Xiaowei and Xiaozheng, came all the way from China to attend the exhibition and mingled with guests to share their experiences. Xiaowei actually helped lead one of the art counseling sessions at the 2011 Beijing Summer Camp, which is where some of the paintings were created. He was deeply touched and very proud to see these paintings being purchased by supporters. Xiaowei was hopeful that his input would urge more people to support Chi Heng, in order to help the younger generation envision a brighter future.



### Voice of Autumn Charity Dinner in Shanghai

Chi Heng Foundation co-hosted the Voice of Autumn Charity Dinner with Simply Thai Restaurant on October 12th, at IFC in Shanghai. There was also a charity auction presided over by Ms. Yu Chengyao, a renowned auctioneer, with over 80 guests taking part. Livening up the Dinner was the performance by three famous artists; Ms. Zhu Huiling, an opera mezzo-soprano residing in Germany, Ms. Deng Yuemei, who plays Pipa at the Shanghai Chinese Orchestra, and Ms. Shen Yun, a flute player. This was Chi Heng Foundation's first formal charity dinner in Shanghai. It was a great success with funds raised that night able to cover the annual educational costs of 300 junior high students.

### SYB joins the Shanghai French Week

On October 21st, Shanghai Young Bakers (SYB) exhibited at the 11th Shanghai French Week, during which the audience had a glimpse of French culture, and a taste of authentic French cuisine.

The most eye-catching attraction in SYB's booth was a bread house made solely of an assortment of breads. The house, built by three trainers was designed by Wang Li who, funded by the Chi Heng Foundation learnt the art of baking at SYB and who is herself now a SYB trainer.

People stopped by the house, curious to know whether it was real. Some kids could not resist touching it, or even taking a bite of the edible house. SYB trainers also invited the audience to try its delicious French breads, while Zhang Zhenghai, a trainer, taught the audience to make baguettes, croissants, and country bread; sharing the art and joy of baking.



### Mr. Chung To at China University of Petroleum

Mr. Chung To, founder of the Chi Heng Foundation, visited China University of Petroleum (Huadong) on October 15th to share what he has learnt from his 15 years of NGO work experience.

500 students from a range of faculties packed the hall to listen and interact with Mr. To. They also collected over one thousand signatures on a banner, symbolizing their best wishes to Chi Heng and its children. The banner reads Wisdom Directs Actions, Actions Create Love, Love Treats AIDS.



### Wisdom, Love & Passion Charity Ball in Canada

The Chi Heng Wisdom, Love & Passion Charity Ball was held on October 21, at Sheraton Vancouver Wall Centre Hotel, Burrard Street, Vancouver. Anthony Lun and Elisa Chan, guest performers from Hong Kong, joined the fund raising event. The Ball not only raised funds for the schooling of children orphaned by AIDS, but more importantly raised awareness and visibility of the issue.



### Welcome to Kunming

On October 13th, 15 university students joined a two-day welcoming event at Fuxian Lake for Chi Heng-funded freshmen. All of them are from Yunnan, and studying in Kunming with the support of Chi Heng Foundation. Together the students played beach volleyball and went boating and climbing; learning about the value of teamwork.

The students also had a lively discussion on integrity and responsibility; two values which were recognized as being integral to the success of team activities. Over the course of the two days, the students gained new friends, shared their stories and inspired each other to push their own personal boundaries.



### Workshop for Vocational School Students

The Chi Heng Foundation has a specific project encouraging junior high school graduates to pursue vocational training as this age group has a high rate of drop outs. A workshop was held on October 27th in Henan for 20 vocational school students. They shared their ideas about career development, and discussed issues and problems related to their studies and life in general.

### Chi Heng at the VMware Charity Event

The Chi Heng Foundation joined the VMware Charity Day in Shanghai on October 26th. It was the second charity event held by VMware, following the first in Beijing in September. Participating charities had a chance to introduce themselves to the public, as well as raise funds. Over 70 VMware staff came to volunteer at the event. The company also raised funds for Chi Heng under the matching donation scheme, thereby establishing a close partnership between the two organizations.



Chi Heng is launching Voluntourism trips, for individuals, companies or schools to promote awareness of the plight of AIDS-impacted children, to facilitate interactivity between people from different backgrounds, whilst generating funds to finance CHF's scholarship programs. Destinations include Henan, Anhui and Yunnan where most of Chi Heng's programs and supports are active. In Chi Heng's Voluntourism calendar, a two- or three-day trip is organized every month.

### Volunteer with ChiHeng during your next trip!

Nov 30-Dec 2 On World AIDS Day, Contribute to AIDS Affected Children  
Dec 22-26 Pay a trip, Warm a heart at Christmas!

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