



Seeds of Love Insider

Welcome to the Seeds of Love Insider series, featuring volunteers, donors and SOLWW movers and shakers. Through these series, learn how individuals work alongside our organization in realizing our goal of making a difference to children's lives around the world.



Monika Goyal: “We all have something to offer – no matter how little or insignificant we think it is. Giving enriches us, rather than depletes us; and it makes us whole.”

In this month's newsletter, we interviewed one of our first supporters, **Monika Goyal**. Monika is a holistic healer based in Mountain View and has shared SOLWW's story and vision to her clients. As a result, this group has generously donated to SOLWW and is actively involved in our cause.

Tell me how you first got involved with the organization.

I have known Dana for a few years as she has attended some of the classes I've taught. She has openly shared stories about her trips to different countries, and the many needy children she has met. I find her passion and focus in making a difference in her own little way absolutely moving.

What attracted you to the cause?

Knowing that SOLWW's priority is education for needy children made it easy for me get on board. I believe that there will be no change unless we help and do something. We all have something to offer – no matter how little or insignificant we think it is. I wish I can help all the children but if we all work together to do our part, we can; one child at a time.

When you last made a donation, how did that make you feel?

It made me wish that I can give more – and continue to do even more! We have been given so much, especially here in Silicon Valley that we can actually share as much as we can.

What motivates you to stay involved?

Seeing Dana's passion, pure heart and genuine desire to help children motivated me to do my share. I know that with proper education these children will become future leaders to lead the charge for change.

In your opinion, what is the most important work that this organization does?

I am a firm believer that helping the underprivileged to get proper education is the catalyst for change.

What do you hope the organization will achieve in the near future?

I fervently hope that SOLWW will continue to grow and expand their reach not only in India but to other villages and cities all over the world.

Is there anyone in your life that played a role in providing inspiration to your involvement?

I grew up in a family where helping others anonymously is the norm. I remember my grandfather built a school in his village where his own father (my great grandfather) also built a public road to make it easier for everyone to travel from one village to the next. I want to make it clear that I did not come from a well to do family, but we were raised to share whatever we had to others and to expect nothing in return.

Do you have an anecdote about the cause that moved you?

One particular story that I stood out is about Talash. Even with all the adversities he faced in life, his determination to go to school was inspiring. The amazing thing is that this passion for education applies to most of the people in the village. All they need is the opportunity and an extra boost of a helping hand.

What would you tell someone who is thinking about donating to SOLWW?

I would like everyone to know that this is a beautiful cause, led by a beautiful woman inside and out. Let's join our hands together in making this world a better place by supporting SOLWW – one child at a time.

Do you have a message to share?

Share yourself, spread your love and your inner self. Reach out to anyone who needs help. Remember, that giving enriches us rather than depletes us; and it makes us whole. Give in whatever way you can – not only with money, but with your time and anything you can do to make a difference.



Know our mission, learn how our organization works and the core requirements on SOLWW's need and merit based educational scholarships. Most importantly, find out where 100% of your donation goes and how we track every dollar to ensure a deserving child in need gets the support.



Seeds of Love Worldwide is a 501 c3 non-profit organization whose goal is to change lives, a child at a time, through education.

SOLWW provides and equips students from impoverished communities with knowledge and skills to reach their full potential.



Your Donations



Fund Education

How do we Initiate change?

It is not an easy task, but we work together to make a meaningful change. SOLWW raises funds to make a difference and to educate promising young students from marginalized communities around the world.

We apply **100%** of the funds raised to an educational scholarship program and give **every dollar** you donate to deserving students to help them achieve higher education and teach them to serve and give back to their community.



We provide full transparency



Scholarships grants are both need and merit-based

How do we Implement checks and balances?

SOLWW feels a strong obligation towards you, our generous donor, in providing **full transparency and results**. We believe that a generous helping hand must work in tandem with a steady hand that provides guidance and successful program implementation. To reach our goals, the following scholarship and grants governance programs were set in place:

- The scholarship is both need and merit-based. It will be renewed each school year based on academic performance, community service and character.
- Incorporate student essays and interviews as part of the qualification process.
- Provide a network of onsite contacts for counseling and mentorship as part of the New Student On-Boarding Process.

Your Generosity
Changes Lives!



Through your support, SOLWW has made an impact on 18 young students who were granted educational scholarships as they transitioned to higher secondary school and college; 5 in junior college and 13 in high school. All 18 recipients are from an indigenous tribe from a remote village in Mizoram, India, called Chakmas.

You have made a difference in the lives of these young people as they embark on this life-changing journey! Thank you for joining our cause.



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What's Coming Up

Discover one of the many events that SOLWW hosts each year to raise funds for the organization. What a perfect way to unwind and at the same time support a worthwhile cause. Join us!

August 19, 2018

Jog, Walk, Run and Asana for a Cause with SOLWW



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Sevathon 2018 (5K, 10K, Half Marathon and Yoga)

Sunday, August 19, 2018 at 6:30 a.m.

Arena Green East

349 W. St. John Street

San Jose, CA 95110

Click here for [DIRECTIONS](#)

[Register NOW!](#)

Join Seeds of Love Worldwide on its first **Jog, Walk, Run and Asana for a Cause** at Sevathon 2018. Move your body with a purpose and help SOLWW raise funds to educate impoverished children around the world.

Let's celebrate our shared efforts in the knowledge that your support and participation are making an impact in changing lives.

Visit our page to [REGISTER](#) for the event or simply [GIVE AN ONLINE DONATION](#) to support the cause. When was the last time you've made a difference? Act now and help us [SPREAD THE WORD](#) to your family and friends!

September 16, 2018

Donor Appreciation Picnic



SOLWW Donor Appreciation Picnic

Sunday, September 16, 2018 at 12-3 p.m.

Linda Vista Park

Linda Vista Dr., Cupertino

Click here for [DIRECTIONS](#)

[RSVP](#) on or before September 2nd

Do you know that in less than a year of Seeds of Love Worldwide's inception, generous people like you have provided 18 educational scholarships to needy children in India? SOLWW is overwhelmed with your generosity and would like to Thank You!

Join us on September 16, 2018 at Linda Vista Park in Cupertino for SOLWW's

first **Donor Appreciation Picnic**. Spend the day outdoors with your family and SOLWW friends. Let us know if you can make it. [RSVP now!](#)

Your support is making a difference. Lives are changed because of you and we are grateful.
Please continue to join us make an impact to children in need around the world.

[**Make an Impact | Give Now**](#)

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