



Strength From Solidarity

2020 Annual Gratitude Report





Our Vision for Haiti:

Joyful children;
Healthy families;
Thriving communities; and
The resources to make it so.

Our Reach:

300,000+ children, parents
and grandparents in
southern Haiti.

Program Areas:

Education
Healthcare
Water
Economy

What We've Accomplished Together in 2020:

Scan the QR code below to
watch a video recap of your
2020 impact in action.



From Our CEO: **Strength From Solidarity**

Dear Hope for Haiti Family,

Solidarity is at the heart of everything we do at Hope for Haiti. It serves as our guiding compass as we navigate the social, economic, and health impacts of the global pandemic caused by the spread of COVID-19. Thoughtful collective action, in collaboration with our strategic partners, and investing in local community leadership also played significant roles in our approach to helping solve some of the most pressing problems facing Haitian families in 2020. Systemic disruptions to schooling, an acute lack of access to healthcare, scarcity of clean drinking water, and economic inequality were just a few of the major challenges Haitians continued to face this past year.

With your generous support and advocacy for our mission in 2020, Hope for Haiti's team was able to achieve the impact you see laid out in this report. All of this work was accomplished while maintaining the highest standards of transparency, accountability, and good governance. We are proud to report that in 2020, Hope for Haiti received the highest possible ratings on Charity Navigator and Guidestar, two of the non-profit industry's most respected independent charity rating organizations. Thanks to the overwhelming support we received from YOU, we were able to invest more than 94 cents out of every donated dollar into our poverty alleviation programs to support Haitian systems of education, healthcare, community infrastructure, access to clean water, and economic opportunity.

This year's Gratitude Report does more than convey the metrics of our success. It also tells the stories of students using computers for the first time, of mothers accessing life-saving healthcare and medication for their children, of tree seedlings being planted to restore the local environment and nourish families, of the transformative effects of clean water on children's health and academic achievement, and of the power of investments made in Haitian entrepreneurs to sustain and grow their businesses in the most difficult of economic times.

None of this would be possible without your support. Thank you for committing to this work and for believing in our ability to collaborate and achieve success in the face of the many challenges of 2020. We look forward to making an even greater impact together in the years to come.

In Solidarity,

Skyler Badenoch
Hope for Haiti CEO

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Featured Story: **Brendjalove Germain**

Hope for Haiti's approach to poverty alleviation centers on holistic and integrated programming weaving together education, healthcare, access to clean water, and economic opportunities. The true impact of our programming can be best seen at the community level. Brendjalove Germain is in the eighth grade at the Roger Dunwell Community School and has spent her whole life in the Hope for Haiti partner community of Tête l'Étang with her parents and two older sisters. Her mother died in 2006, and her father was blinded in an accident leaving him unable to work and the family without a stable source of income. On a typical day, Brendjalove is responsible for most of the household tasks. She cleans the house daily, washes the dishes using a Hope for Haiti water filtration system, and handles the laundry while her sisters take care of cooking and errands. Brendjalove notes that her family has faced many challenges especially in light of COVID-19, such as having enough food to eat.

When asked which Hope for Haiti program has had the biggest impact on her life, she excitedly told us about the Education Program, especially the new computer lab at her school, the Roger Dunwell Community School: "I have always had a passion for learning about computers, but I never had the money to attend a computer class. I was so excited when Hope for Haiti brought a brand new computer lab to my school, and I was able to start learning the computer skills I need for my future." According to her teachers and Hope for Haiti staff members who have met her, Brendjalove is immensely charming and has great aspirations for her career -- she wants to be a human rights attorney when she grows up so that she can make the world a better place. Her favorite subject is Biology and she loves the public health lessons led by our Community Health Workers: "One of the most exciting lessons was on high blood pressure, and I loved sharing what I learned with my family. We are so lucky to have been able to see a doctor at the Hope for Haiti mobile healthcare clinic." Though her life isn't without its challenges, she radiates joy and has a resilient spirit that encompasses all of Hope for Haiti's core values.

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Our COVID-19 Response Highlights

Treated 1,412 chronic and urgent care patients at our Infirmary St. Etienne before reopening for general consultations, including providing chronic care patients with two months of medication to minimize travel.

Provided over 7,000 students and 424 teachers with a washable mask, COVID-19 hygiene kit, and COVID-19 prevention training.

Distributed \$20 million in on-hand medical supplies, medication, and PPE to the most vulnerable Haitians and 34 healthcare partners in southern Haiti.

Executed \$30,000 in cash transfers to 429 teachers in our education network and mobilized them to share accurate prevention strategies to stop the spread of COVID-19.

Scan the QR code to view additional highlights on our COVID-19 Response webpage.



Education Highlights

Your Impact in Action: Education

Jean François Louizius is one of Hope for Haiti's 20 college scholarship recipients and a graduate from the high school in our first partner community, Ravine Sable. Jean François grew up with five siblings and often walked hours to school because his family could not afford transportation. He is now studying Business Administration at the Business and Technology Institute in Les Cayes, and hopes to one day launch a startup business in his hometown. Jean François credits the example set by his parents as his inspiration to finish school: "My hunger for an education is stronger than any hardships I faced growing up. Thanks to Hope for Haiti, I can realize my dream to one day start my own company. I promise to take advantage of every opportunity given to me and am so grateful to Hope for Haiti's supporters for investing in my education."



"I'm thrilled to have helped sponsor [Hope for Haiti scholarship recipient] Sadia with her studies and really am happy to have a specific recipient that I can help along. Perhaps knowing someone is taking an interest in her from afar will help her going forward."

- James Love Lee, Hope for Haiti Donor



By the Numbers:

-  **6,505** students received an education at our 24 partner schools
-  **482** primary- and secondary-school teachers supported through programming such as direct cash transfers for salary support and teacher training
-  **37** computer labs active
-  **20** college scholarships provided to graduates of partner schools
-  **4,472** seedlings grown in school nurseries
-  **8** farmers provided with a monthly stipend and ongoing training for their work in school gardens

Scan the QR code to read our blog post from International Literacy Day, in which we asked three members of the Hope for Haiti community to share what they love most about school and schools reopening in Haiti.





Jonathan is a hard-working 11-year old boy. Outside of school, he loves growing crops and raising animals with his father, Jocelyn Cadet, who is also a farmer at the school garden in their community. Every morning, Jonathan gets up at six o'clock to go to the field to take care of his goats and sheep. At 7 AM he gets back home to bathe, eat breakfast and go to school. It takes him less than five minutes to walk to school. Jonathan loves French, Math and Natural Science. He wants to be an agronomist when he grows up. He says: "Thanks to Hope for Haiti's support of my school, hundreds of children like me have the chance to get an education. My father earns his living and takes care of us by working in the school garden. Thank you, Hope for Haiti, for being here for us! Thank you for staying alongside us even during the most challenging moments!"

Partnership
in Action:



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GWHA applauds the work of Hope for Haiti in its mission to improve the lives of the Haitian people over the years. We are happy to support this work in developing school gardens since it directly links with our mission to defeat world hunger in the developing world, one project at a time, one community at a time.

Healthcare Highlights

Your Impact in Action: Healthcare

Jean Kevin Banatte is a one-year-old baby living in Les Cayes. His mother, Blanc Maloune, is currently unemployed. Being unskilled, it is hard for Madame Maloune to find work, so she now stays home to care for her children. Kevin visited the ISE for the first time in July with multiple symptoms and was immediately hospitalized. His mother visited the ISE regularly to pick up all the medication Kevin would need during his stay. Kevin was discharged from the hospital 15 days later and his mother took him back to the ISE for another physical assessment. According to Kevin’s mother, his condition has improved: Kevin is joyful, and although he still has pruritus occasionally, his skin condition has also improved. Kevin’s mother is grateful for the complete care the ISE provided for her child, especially as she was financially unable to pay for his care. Once his malnutrition levels have improved, Kevin will be enrolled in the Nutrilite Little Bits Program to receive ongoing nutritional support. Thankfully, children like Kevin have access to healthcare and nutrition services that will help him realize his full potential. Your gift makes this work possible.



By the Numbers:

-  **21,628** people provided with healthcare at our Infirmary St. Etienne and mobile clinics
-  **2,151** children, parents and grandparents provided with dental care
-  **\$20M** in medical supplies, medication, and PPE distributed to the most vulnerable Haitians and 34 healthcare partners in southern Haiti.
-  **815** public health lessons provided to students
-  **102** mobile clinics conducted in rural communities

Scan the QR code to take a virtual tour of our Infirmary St. Etienne, led by Hope for Haiti’s Head Nurse Miss Lamarre.



Water Highlights

Your Impact in Action: Water

"My name is Tiogene Mayline. I am 17 years old and in 9th grade. I would like to thank everyone who has supported Hope for Haiti so they could bring these filtration systems to protect our lives in the village against waterborne diseases, like cholera and other diseases that we can contract by drinking non-filtered water. We are very exposed to these contaminated water sources, so now that we have the home filtration system to treat our water and share with neighbors who have not had the chance to receive a filtration system, this will help us all fight these diseases. When I finish school, I want to be a doctor because I witness that a lot of people lost their lives because of a problem of access to healthcare in the village. Since we don't have a functional dispensary in the village, I would like to find a scholarship and come back to my community to provide my services to the community."



By the Numbers:

-  **12.8M+** additional gallons of water filtered, for a total of 29M gallons
-  **11,038** Sawyer Water filtration systems distributed to families in partner communities
-  **24** handwashing stations installed at partner schools

Scan the QR code to watch a video about how companies like 333 Limitless help provide access to clean water to families in southern Haiti through our Water Program.





Partnership in Action: The Qatar Haiti Fund



Through the Qatar Haiti Fund, we are proud to partner with Hope for Haiti in support of their important work, and we hope our gift also serves as a symbol of solidarity from the people of Qatar to show that Haiti is not forgotten and not without hope.

*His Excellency Meshal Bin Hamad Al-Thani,
Ambassador of the State of Qatar to the United States*

Scan the QR code to watch a video highlighting the impact of The Qatar Haiti Fund's grant.



Economy Highlights

Your Impact in Action: Economy

Maguida Elasco, 62, was born and raised in Morency and lives there with her five children. Maguida's mother was a farmer and her father was a fisherman. At a young age, Maguida started helping her parents with their business when they would bring her along to the markets. At 20 years old, after the passing of her parents, Maguida started her own business selling patties during recess at the local school. In 2016, Hurricane Matthew destroyed many things in its path, including Maguida's business. Fortunately, in 2018, Hope for Haiti piloted a microloan program and Maguida was able to receive a small loan of \$2,000 to rebuild. And in 2020, she was able to benefit from a micro grant following the effects of the civil unrest in the county. Both the loan and the microgrant provided by Hope for Haiti allowed Maguida to continue paying for her children's education. Her dream is to open a bakery where she can make patties and cookies to sell in Morency. Maguida says, "If I am able to continue with my patties business, it is because of you. Thank you so much for impacting my life."



By the Numbers:

-  **\$145,895** provided to small and medium-sized companies in southern Haiti through loans and grants
-  **\$18,000** granted to three local female-owned businesses through our second annual Economy Challenge - the first virtual pitch competition for women in Haiti
-  **64** Haitian nationals provided with employment including key leadership and professional staff

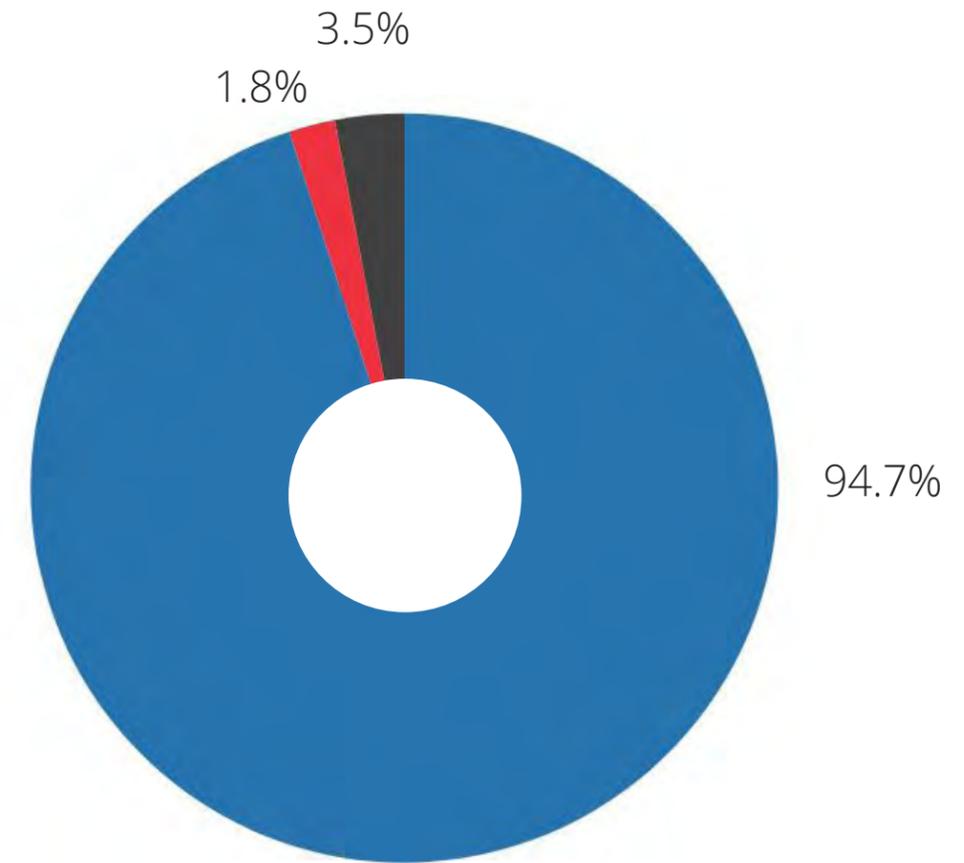
Your support empowers entrepreneurs like Daguichard Charles, the founder of iMage Orale and the winner of our 2020 Women's Economy Challenge Scan the QR code to watch a video interview with Daguichard!



Audited Financials

Consolidated Statements of Activities Year Ending June 30, 2020

	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restrcted	Total
SUPPORT AND REVENUE:			
Contributions	\$1,029,256	\$2,306,429	\$3,335,685
Special Events	581,801		581,801
Gifts-in-kind	18,276,445		18,276,445
Investment Income	191,724		191,724
Gain on sale of property and equipment	4,000		4,000
Total Support and Revenue:	\$20,083,226	\$2,306,429	\$22,389,655
RECLASSIFICATIONS:			
Net assets released from restrictions			
Satisfaction of purpose restrictions	\$2,430,794	(\$2,430,794)	-
EXPENSES:			
Program Services	\$20,892,299	-	\$20,892,299
Management and General	406,317	-	406,317
Fundraising	767,161	-	767,161
Total Expenses:	\$22,065,777		\$22,065,777
Change in Net Assets:	448,243	(124,365)	323,878
Net Assets, Beginning of Year:	\$4,621,066	\$932,314	\$5,553,380
Net Assets, End of Year:	\$5,069,309	\$807,949	\$5,877,258



- Program Services
- General & Administration
- Fundraising

In 2020, Hope for Haiti received the highest possible ratings on Charity Navigator and Guidestar, two of the non-profit industry's most respected charity rating organizations. In fact, we've received top marks from Charity Navigator for 14 years. We put a tremendous amount of focus on these core areas of operation because, above all, we value the trust you have in Hope for Haiti to make the most efficient and effective use of every donation we receive.





Join the Hope for Haiti **Community**

Whether you're an individual who wants to donate your birthday, a school classroom working on a project, or a company looking for corporate partnership or employee engagement opportunities, we welcome you to the Hope for Haiti family. We pride ourselves on designing events and campaigns that are inspiring and are proven to alleviate poverty for Haitian children, parents and grandparents. We hope to return to in-person events soon and invite you to join us virtually in the meantime.



In the rural community of Marre à Coiffe, Haiti, students and families climb the equivalent of 200 flights of stairs from the bottom of a mountain in order to access clean water, healthcare, and an education. We challenge YOU to virtually hike Marre à Coiffe in solidarity. Started in 2019, this annual event provides an opportunity for the global Hope for Haiti community to come together to support education and public health.

As we continue to face the COVID-19 pandemic, it is more clear than ever that education plays a critical role in healthcare. It is in Hope for Haiti partner schools where families and students receive proper hygiene education that can reduce illness and the spread of disease. Funds raised from the Hike for Haiti Challenge directly benefit Hope for Haiti's education and public health programming in the communities we serve.

To learn more or register, visit give.hopeforhaiti.com/hike or scan the QR code



Additional Ways to Get Involved:



Gaming for Good

Broadcast your Twitch stream to StreamLabs or Tiltify to easily fundraise for our programs while you stream. Select 'Hope for Haiti' as your charity.



Support while shopping online

Purchase Hope for Haiti swag on our storefront (hopeforhaiti.info/store), and make sure to select Hope for Haiti as your charity on AmazonSmile and GivingAssistant.



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Community Highlights

Delivering Hope to Haiti:

Amazon Delivery Service Partners don't just deliver packages. Through fundraising campaigns launched in September and for #GivingTuesday, they also deliver hope to Haiti in support of our COVID-19 response. Over the two campaigns, the Amazon Delivery Service Partner network raised over \$65,000 -- and then provided a \$10,000 matching gift for our #GivingTuesday fundraising efforts. Last fall, we sat down with Sebastian Festa, owner of Prime Lightning Logistics, to discuss his business, COVID-19, and why he wanted to start this campaign – which surpassed its fundraising goal in record time.

 Scan the code to read Sebastian's guest blog post on our website

Gaming for Good:

During the month of September, Stephen Works of SpringSims and his gaming team, the Spring Squad, set out to raise \$2,000 for our Education Program while playing the Electronic Arts game The Sims and streaming it live on Tiltify. To date, they have fundraised over \$8,000. We sat down with Stephen to talk about the gaming community and why he decided to continue to partner with our organization for the upcoming Hike for Haiti Challenge.

 Scan the code to read Stephen's guest blog post on our website

Persevering Through a Pandemic:

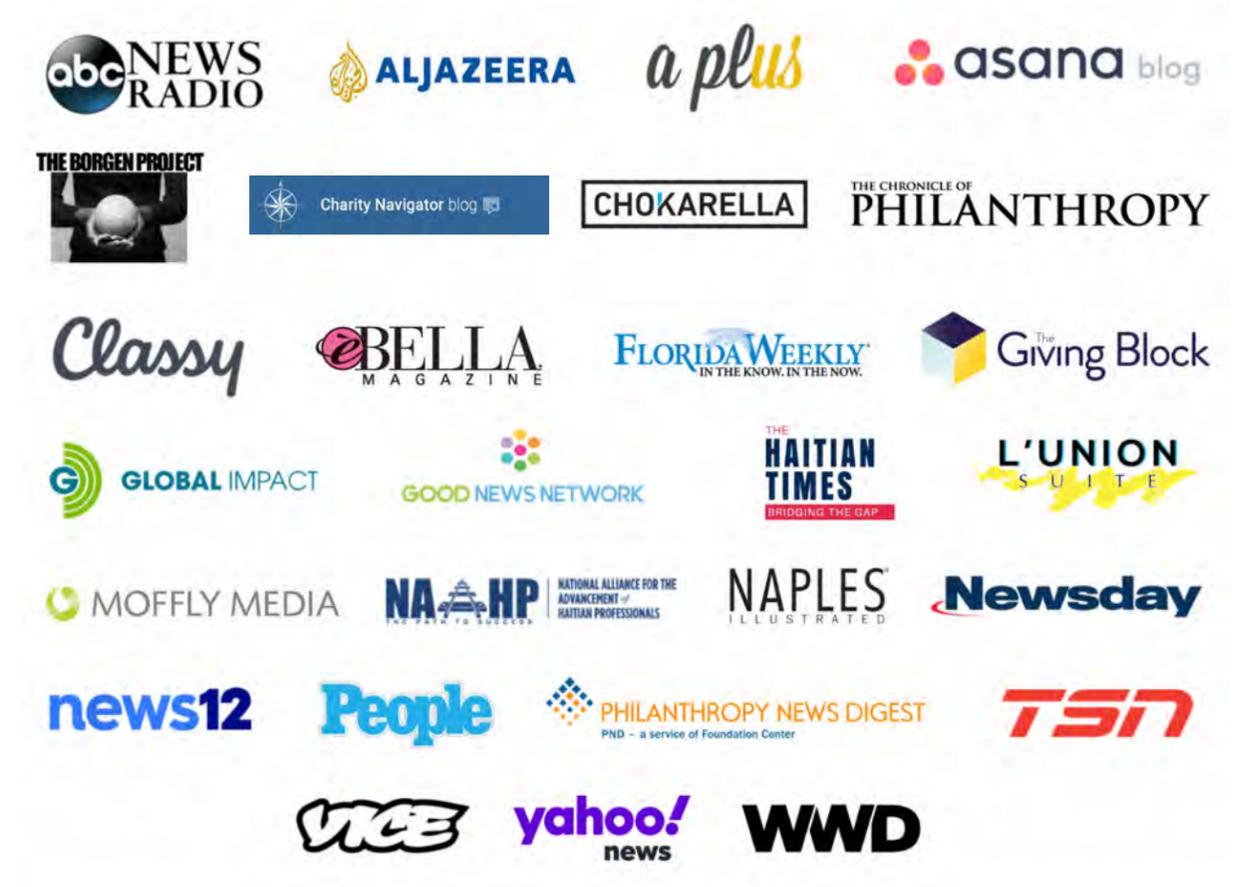
Smoraya Noisy is the 18 year-old founder of Haitian gourmet cookie company SMO'S DÖ. During the month of August, a portion of the proceeds from all cookie sales and deliveries within Haiti were donated to support our programs, particularly our Education Program initiatives.

 Scan the code to read Smoraya's guest blog post on our website



Press and Media Highlights

2020 Media Coverage Included:



Scan the QR code to visit the Press Hub on our website





Our Team

An organization is only as exceptional as its people, from its staff to its donors and partners. As one of the leading international organizations focused solely on Haiti, we're so proud of our team and the work they are able to accomplish every day through your support. Together, we are a diverse and talented network of people committed to improving the quality of life of the Haitian people, particularly children.

Fostering a positive work culture during difficult times

Written by Jessica Ciccarello, Hope for Haiti's Director of Employee Experience and Administration

Navigating Employee Experience in the midst of a global pandemic called for creativity and intention. Our US team has been working remotely since the start of the pandemic and our Haiti team worked a hybrid remote schedule until September when we reopened our office with COVID safety protocol in place. During this time, however, our team never stopped their hard work and dedication to our mission and core values. In order to make sure staff felt supported and connected during these unprecedented times, we made sure to be intentional in how we supported one another.

While the pandemic brought on many challenges, our team continued to embody resilience, empowerment, accountability, collaboration, and hope. As an organization, we saw the importance of celebrating, communicating, and growing together and will continue to keep those at the forefront of our employee experience through the pandemic and beyond.

Read Jessica's full blog post on our website: <https://hopeforhaiti.com/blog-employeeexperience/>



At the end of the year, we asked all staff members to contribute their favorite pictures from the work you made possible in 2020. Scan to watch the final video!



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