



### UWC Hong Students Help Set the Stage for the New Year at NFC!



*New stage at New Future for Children!*

Photo by Chris Merritt

### United World College Volunteers at NFC

15 Students from the United World College in Hong Kong armed with amazing energy and enthusiasm deconstructed a building on the back part of the property and built a large stage for NFC performances! In a weeks time they also built a canopy on the roof of the girls building and helped clean up the back lot area. What great gifts to New Future for Children! Thank you so much!

### Dentists from U.S. and RCAF Treat Children at NFC

A U.S. dentist and members from the RCAF Dental group visited NFC to provide the children with checkups and extract teeth where necessary. The good news is that most of the children's teeth were healthy and a limited number of extractions had to be done. Thanks so much to Jay Torres, who is in the military attached to the US Embassy, for arranging this and to all the dentists and assistants who gave of their time!

## A Full Time, Sustainable English Education Program Continues to Develop at NFC!



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Yi Phanna is continuing work on developing a full time, sustainable English education program at NFC. We will use the Cambridge series for the older children. Sophea, education manager, and volunteers Isabel and Joanna are doing some teaching of the starter and pre-starter age children. It seems to be going well!



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## Science Labs

Isabel and Joanna, our two British volunteers, have started to provide mini-labs at NFC where students can see and participate in scientific experiments and demonstrations.

If you are coming to visit NFC in Phnom Penh, would you consider purchasing and bringing over a science demonstration or laboratory kit?

## Electronics Classes



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Chris Merritt has begun preliminary work with NFC children developing an electronics program where children both learn about and practice making electronic circuits.

## NFC Children Perform Traditional Khmer Dance at Women's Prison



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Some of the children at NFC performed at the Women's prison in Cambodia.

## Cheat Hean scored 88 for the term at NWI!

We were very pleased to see that Cheat Hean scored an 88 this term in English classes at New World Institute!



## 76 Students and Teachers from Hong Kong came to visit NFC with donations of rice, food and toys!



Photo courtesy of the Marymount group

April 4<sup>th</sup> Marymount Secondary School students and their teachers visited NFC during a Service Trip to Cambodia and brought 28 bags of rice, various other foods, toys and amazing fellowship to the children here! We look forward future visits from them!

## The NFC staff has built 3 picnic style dining tables and 6 computer tables for 12 computers!



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The staff from NFC has been busy building additional furniture needed at the new location! They've built three picnic type tables with bench seats and 6 desks that can hold two computers each for the computer lab. This has freed up individual desks that we can now use in the two

classrooms. Thanks go out to Run, Puon, Sopheap, Mol and Khoeurn for building this much needed furniture!

## Wim and Pauline Opmeer returned to take more amazing photos at NFC!



Photo courtesy of Opmeer Reportages

Many thanks to Wim and Pauline Opmeer who returned to NFC with their cameras to make a whole new set of gorgeous photos of the children and facilities at NFC! We look forward to a booklet of photographs and text about NFC that they will be making from some of the photos they took during this trip.

## NFC's Financial Status

Sincere thanks to all those who have been helping us out during the move and these tough economic times! We've been able to meet our bills so far! We continue to need donations for our monthly budget so any donations are greatly needed and appreciated!



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