Buddha Pradhan

(A Man Of Iron Will)

A man who devoted his entire life for World Youth International School and World Youth International Organization Nepal. He was a father, who gave shelter for many unfortunate families to bring a change in their lives. Buddha sir rendered all his energy and service to build World Youth International School and was able to bring a difference to hundreds of children until 2007. But the luminous soul departed untimely in 2007. But till remembered by every natural phenomena to energize us to work for human service and mankind.

The sudden demise of Buddha Pradhan, we shock and shook with grief, but with a hook of oceanic emotion, sentiments and wish to continue his work, his wife Ms. Radha Uprety continued his work of changing fate of the ill-fated ones.

Although physically we lost our loving parent but he will always be alive in our heart and very soul until the end. “Buddha Science Lab”, “Buddha Social Conscious Group” are dedicated to Buddha Pradhan to ignite and inspire us to live life for others.

Robert Hoey

(One man’s work for many)

Robert was an inspiration, a motivator and a visionary. He was a man who from a very early age, showed a sense of empathy with his world and all within it. He was committed to education as a means of assisting young people reach their full potentials. Robert’s vision ignited the heart of many Australian and the world. He was the guiding light of WORLD YOUTH INTERNATIONAL up until his untimely death in February 1996. Today World Youth International is one of the well established organization committed help to children, women, and old aged alike. Beside that World Youth International has continually been catering for our children’s needs at World Youth International School and Sapanca dreaming home at Gokarna. WYI School was established in 1999 A.D. Since then, the school has been imparting quality education to the children of the locality and of surrounding areas.

Though Robert passed away at an early age of 28, He had canalized his vision for future direction of his organization, his parents Mr. Ralph Hoey and Ms Ann Hoey subsequently took charge to fulfill his dream. We express our deepest homage and tribute to Robert Hoey for his divine work and sincerely appreciate to Mr. Ralph Hoey and Ms Ann Hoey, Members of WYI, sponsors and well wishers for your noble works and the services to the children of Nepal.
Message from chairperson

Better late than never! I am happy that the e-NEWS of World Youth Mirror is ready for publication. I would like to acknowledge the editor for his continued dedication towards the creation of this e-NEWS, despite difficulties such as frequent power cuts. I am hopeful we will continue with the same enthusiasm in all of the coming days.

It has been some time since this year’s Founder’s Day and I had a lot of people to acknowledge for their contribution, support, and co-operation for helping me in the task of managing our school. I would like to communicate my acknowledgements through this e-bulletin.

The devastating situation of the country (post earthquake and amidst economic blockades) had altered daily lives of people and especially the children were badly affected as they tried to involve themselves in their normal studies. We were faced with challenges as we worked to bring things back on track for the children, and the hard work of our team made a difference. I also appreciate World Youth International Australia for extending their helping hand - as any good friend would - in our times of peril.

Additionally, it must be said that many friends, acquaintances and well wishers of WYI Nepal were there for us, assisting in all capacities during our post-earthquake days. We appreciate everything from time and resources you expended for our support, to the many kinds words of encouragement and hope. Our path through the bad days were thorny, but not without great friends.

I wish to express my gratitude to Ms Sanja Hadzic (Austria) for accepting WYI School and SDH under your kind sight to bring a difference to our children lives. I am equally thankful to the United Nations Women’s Guild Vienna (UNWG Vienna) for honoring me and highlighting our work in an international platform.

My ultimate source of inspiration, Ralph and Ann Hoey, who are always showing their generosity and guiding me, is always respectable. I would like to thank and appreciate Mr. Terry Hoey for your strong support, and co-operation and all the members of WYI Australia, the sponsors and well wishers. The unrelenting work of Kristine Kelly has been critical and we are forever grateful to you for your altruism. You encourage us to rebuild our strength in days to come.

WYI Nepal had the pleasure of coming in touch with Miss Tracy Openheimer during last year. She worked hard to help us take our voices to newer platforms. Her remarkable ability to immerse herself in our ‘story’, to work with empathy and to understand our realities by experiencing them has inspired us just as much. As she spent her days learning about us, we in turn learned much from her.

I would like to thank and appreciate Mr. Eran Sherin for giving new hopes to our children to change their lives and build their future. We are quite sure that your commitment and love definitely will bring a difference to our children's lives. Thank you for showing us that greatness comes from helping each other.

The chairperson of WYIO Nepal Mr. Rajesh Shrestha continues inspiring us with strong, moral encouragement and philanthropic guidance, vision and commitment to build our school always inspires me each and every moment.

Lastly I would like to appreciate our school director, principal, staff and the supportive local Gokarna friends for your dedication and co-operation to run the school in all situations, rain or shine, each day, every day. Your continued support to the school is the eternal source of my strength to guide the school to greater heights.

Radhika Uprety
Chairperson
WYI School
Gokarna, Kathmandu

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WYI Extra Co-curricular Activities

WYI School provides an ample attention to every student to explore hidden potentials through various activities. Some of the activities organized in School in (2015-2016 AD) are:

1. Senior citizen felicitation program organized by Buddha Social Conscious Group (WYI School)
2. Inter House football competition (Girls and Boys):
3. Inter House Chess competition (Girls and Boys):
4. Inter House Cricket competition (Girls and Boys):
5. Elocution competition:
6. Junior Marathon (Girls and Boys):
7. Senior marathon (Girls and Boys):
8. House wise Art and painting competition:
9. Prize Distribution and Cultural program:
10. SLC Graduate student felicitation program:

Apart of these the School organized routinely Life Skill trainings, Dance Classes, Music Classes Yoga Classes along with Scout trainings.

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World Youth International School (WYIS) is one of the reputed academic institutions of northern Kathmandu providing high quality of education. Approaching new techniques, principles and pedagogy on education to guide toward perfection so as to make the students innovative and global thinker is our goal. School is accredited by the Nepal Government's Ministry of Education. WYIS students sit for the mandatory government examinations: the district level examinations in the eighth and the SLC (School Leaving Certificate) in the tenth grade. Along with regular subjects, school offers socially useful, productive, community service oriented vocational subjects through various students’ clubs. Spiritual and moral training, social and physical training, value based education and students’ news desks along with co-curricular activities are some of the major features of WYI School.

Discipline is necessary to help the school to acquire self discipline, without which a student can’t become upright and row towards freedom. Students of WYI School are trained through various trainings and under effective monitoring system that helps to build them the ability to freely choose what is truth and good. School’s regular morning assembly creates a pure wave by prayers of students that transcendent into a cosmic energy reached to each and every supportive hands of this institution. Students’ total academic evaluation is reflected through the class test, unit test, monthly test, terminal test. The school divides a whole academic session into four terminal sessions to evaluate the academic progress and at the end of the yearly session, final examination are conducted. Continuous monitoring and evaluation are the unique features of WYI School.

WYIS provides modern library with basic textbook and reference materials and a separate well equipped science laboratory for practical classes. Beside the regular classes, WYI School conducts periodical extra-curricular activities, encouraged to participate in inter house competition e.g. essay writing, poem writing, public speaking, elocution, debate, quiz and other outdoor activities are equally emphasized in the school to explore the hidden talent. Moral instruction, includes the study of the foundation of right conduct, relation to god, to society, to the environment and to oneself. The school strongly believes in value education and emotional maturity. Teachers are encouraged to teach value of life while teaching their respective subject.

WYI School has achieved major successes in last academic session. School participated in 1st Beden Pawel Inter-school Football competition and won the runner up title, 2nd runner up in a marathon competition ‘RACE FOR SURVIVAL’ organized by Save the Children, 2nd runner up in Inter-school speech competition. In the same way, school successfully conducted inter-house competitions and awarded the prizes to the respective house winners. Buddha Social Conscious Group of WYIS organized three Senior Citizen Felicitation Programs around the places of Gokarneshwor Municipality last year.
Devastating earthquake occurred on 25th April and its aftershocks have ruined the lives of hundreds of Nepalese people. Locality of the WYIS is highly affected. The village nearby the school, Deshe Gau is badly affected. Most of the students come from the village are in panic situation. Almost all the houses are ruined and people suffered badly. It directly affected the education of children. They are neither in condition to provide books, dress or fees of school nor to manage the economic resources. It’s a moral obligation for the school to manage their study. School is trying to provide education and other educational assistance in spite of having a lot of financial hindrance. For the noble effort of Ms. Radhika Uprety ma’am has a special contribution for smooth operation of the school. High expectation of the local village regarding support after earthquake created a big pressure to Ms. Radhika ma’am and she has been handling the situation. Still villagers have hope for more supports through providing scholarship to the students of earthquake victim. WYIS and Sapana Dreaming Home are highly appreciated to ma’am for her untiring efforts and contribution.

Obviously, the disaster hindered school’s academic progress. The school was remain closed for more than one month and as school re-opened, children were mentally disturbed and could not concentrate in study was a real challenge. WYIS staffs and school management committee along with chairperson, Ms Radhika Uprety ma’am was involved in constant counseling to them. School organized many sessions on life skill training which were very helpful in coping the aftermath psychological stress. The majority of WYIS students are from local community and financially poor, studying with the help of scholarship program are seen discontinue to the school. For this, school administration made visits to their home and counsel parents and children. The administrative body tried their best and managed the situation normal. SLC performance of 2014 was quite satisfactory. Among thirty nine students, one student had a major eye problem though she participated in the exam but has to appear one more time. Rest of the students passed with the better percentage.
Radhika Uprety Ma'am

The source of our livelihood. It gives me immense pleasure when I express my inner feeling of love and affection as well as heartfelt respect and gratitude to our respected Ms Radhika Uprety ma'am for her incredible contribution. As others Radhika Uprety Ma'am is also a simple person but with full of fortitude and foresight. To know about her very closely it’s enough spending few minutes with her. Her inspiring words with positive energy and enthusiasm encourage us to foster ourselves. As she is the chairperson of this WYI School, she has been leading this school. While black clouds of difficulties bring dark and perilous conditions in school, she didn't give up her hope but tackle with the problems dearly. Many times of her aphorism saved this school from the odd circumstance. Her perfect conscience has brought up this school to this level and protects it from being stigmatize. Her endless effort and continuous hard work have promoted the school and have brightened the life and future of many founding. She has managed to create sound environment between the teaching and non teaching staffs and all the students. She is not only a dynamic leader but a very kind hearted and dearest mother of many children. Her parental love and care towards the children of Sapana Dreaming Home is very enigmatic and appreciated. Her embrace and supportive hand have made the life and future of many kids ablaze and still many young minds with determined hearts are growing under her ambulate care.

She is the real source of inspiration, a motivator and a good mother who always shows and guide us towards the perfection of our lives. Many unwanted lives have changed their fortune under her kind lap and making their life success. After finishing schooling the children of Sapana Dreaming Home are continuing their studied under her benevolence love and care. She even stands firmly in our difficulties and pains. May god bless her and keep upon her kind sight for her good health. No wards are enough to express our gratitude to our dearest mom. We the children of Sapana Dreaming Home are always depth upon your love and compassion.

Shanti Tamang
SDH Student
Class 12
Success stories of sponsored children
We make a difference in children’s lives

World Youth International School is blessed to provide a better platform for most underprivileged children to build their lives through education. The school has successfully completed its seventh batches S.L.C. graduation with excellence result and most of the sponsored children are able to complete their education, engaged either in various professions or studying abroad. Here are some successful stories of sponsored children.

Krishna Shrestha:

Krishna Shrestha a sponsored child has completed his S.L.C. graduation in 2009 A.D. His poor economic condition has not deterred his enthusiasm for higher study. Now he is working as a telephone operator in a Hotel in Kuwait. He is much more obliged to the school and the sponsor.

Ranjeet Shrestha:

Ranjeet Shrestha was from Sindupalanchok, a remote corner of the country, studied as a sponsored child in WYI School. He completed S.L.C. graduate in 2009 A.D. At present he is studying in Japan. He entirely shows his loyalty to the school and the sponsor.

Pramila Poudel:

Pramila Poudel is working as a staff nurse in Nepal Medical College. She was a sponsored child, completed S.L.C. graduation in 2010 A.D. She is ready to provide health service to the school children whenever needed. She is overwhelmed about the school and the sponsored.

Sujan Rijal:

Sujan Rijal is now studying in Australia. He was a sponsored child and completed his S.L.C. graduation in 2010 A.D. Now studying IT in Australia.

Mingma Sherpa:

Mingma Sherpa completed her S.L.C. graduation in 2011. She was from Solukhumbu district studying as a sponsored child in the school. At present she is studying in U.S.A. She is very thankful to the school and the sponsor.

Nimachhoti Sherpa:

Nimachhoti Sherpa was from Solukhumbu district and completed her S.L.C. graduation from WYI School in 2011. She was a sponsored child. At present she is studying At NATHM. She is a brilliant student and is able to enlist her name at NATHM where tenth of thousand appear entrance exam. She felt proud to be the student of WYI School. She is thankful to the school and the sponsor.

Deepa Tamang:

Deepa Tamang was a brilliant student of WYI School. She completed her S.L.C. graduation in 2011 A.D. She has performed the best result in the college and become the Topper of NIST College. At present she is staying in Australia.

Anchala Bhattarai:

Anchala was a sponsored student. She completed her S.L.C. graduation in 2011 and after accomplishing her higher study she is working as an Accountant in Global IME Bank. She is very thankful to the school and the sponsor.
Sapana Dreaming Home is a home for peace, love and shelter for many unfortunate souls to become fortunate. The home is full with the sound of content, rhymes of growing kids and songs of divine souls. Providing shelter for thirty eight kids, shaping them into a bright future adopting with the finest qualities of life are the mission of Sapana Dreaming Home. Children of smaller ages to grow up child seen self responsible to manage their life is another beauty of the home. Keeping books, clothes and things onto the proper place show a sense of responsibility, respecting food, chanting the name of almighty and caring each other and time management for accomplishing various tasks are the brighter sides of the home.

Though, the home children are enjoying all the privileges, the children frequently get health problems and are rushed to the hospital. Obviously, the newly adopted children and grown up girls are frequently having health problems. Mainly the children are from different communities and are lack of nutrition and get sick time and often. For medical purpose, Ms. Radhika Uprety ma’am shows her generosity and is very concerned towards the health of the child, and makes the situation easier for medical recovery. The visits of Ma’am make the children overwhelmed and the child feels safe and secure on her lap.

The natural disaster (Earthquake) has created a panic situation in the country. The huge and cry around was really heart rendering. Our children were kept safely during the trouble time. We spent quite long days in tents and in administrative building. Children were very co-operative to each other. Radha ma’am, Rajesh Shrestha sir’s presence and strong support, love and contribution was really praiseworthy. We badly suffered from drinking water because the pipe water was damaged by earthquake, but Radha ma’am managed providing clean drinking water. Now, the problem of water is solved. Thanks for managing the situation normal again.

We believe, the prayer of the innocent children transcendent into the cosmic power and blessed all the people and sponsors who are supporting and helping the project throughout the years. We eternally pray to the almighty for his kind sight to our beloved Hajurama (Grandmother) Ann Hoey for her good health and blissful days coming ahead.

### Successful Stories Of SDH passed out children

**Bhuwal Nepal:** Bhuwal Nepal was brought in Sapana Dreaming Home at his early age and started studying in WYI School. He completed his S.L.C. graduation in 2009 A.D. He continued his education and completed forestry education and engaged in Nepal Government office. He is very loyal to the home and the contribution of WYI Australia for saving his life and makes a difference.

**Pradeep Shrestha:** Pradeep Shrestha started to live in Sapana Dreaming Home at the age of five and completed his S.L.C. graduation in 2009 A.D. He completed his higher secondary (10+2) and started to work in a publishing house. At present he works as a senior sales man of the publication. He shows his gratitude to the school and the home. He is very thankful to WYI Australia, His Sponsor, Rada ma’am and Sapana family to bring a change in his life.

**Santa Pariyar:** Santa Pariyar is an Electrician. After accomplishment of S.L.C. graduation in 2009 A.D he joined a vocational course (Electricity) and completed one year course and was able to work independently as an electrician. He started to stay at Sapana Dreaming Home at his early age and is thankful to the home WYI Australia, His sponsor and Radhika Ma’am for their contribution to bring a change to his life.

**Pasang Dong:** Pasang Dong has completed her S.L.C. graduation in 2013 A.D. At present she is working as a teacher in her own village Sindupalanchok, one of the remote parts of the country. She teaches English subject in primary level in a government school and is able to be self dependent. She deeply shows her gratitude to the home sponsor and Radhika Ma’am for saving her soul.

**Rekha Yadav:** Rekha Yadav is a brilliant student studying at BBS in 3rd year in Orient College. She is one of the bright students of the college. She has completed her S.L.C. graduation in 2010 A.D. She stayed in home since her childhood She is very much obliged to the Sapana family, WYI her sponsor and children of home big mom Radhika Ma’am.