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“The Flag of America next to the Flag of Cambodia makes us proud and hopeful today”
—Lor Chandara, Cambodia Daily Reporter and Pol Pot Khmer Rouge survivor
December 9, 2006

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ANGSEONG LIBRARY, LOR CHANDARA FOUNDER
CAMBODIA SMALL DREAM #1



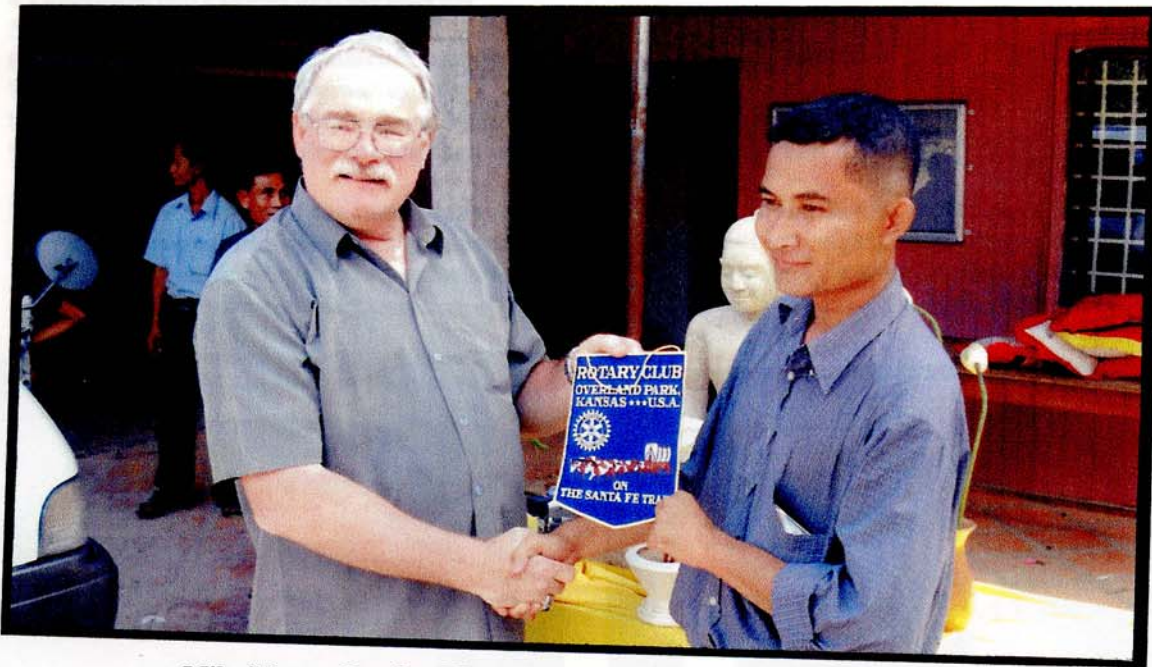
Seiha Village, Chambak Commune, Bati District, Takeo Province, Kingdom of Cambodia
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Worley/Engelken/Hoffart/Theusch
Angseong Library Remodeling & Addition
Ribbon cutting September 9, 2006 & Re-Dedication December 9, 2006

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People to People International, Phase II
Charles Engelken, Ross Worley, Phase I
Daniel H. Hoffart, Francis J. Theusch, Phase I*



**Mike Meyer, Overland Park Kansas Rotary, presents Rotary Grant
to Lor Chandara, Founder of Angseong Library,
December 9, 2006**

Overland Park Rotary International approved a \$2,000 Grant for the "Killing Fields" Library in Takeo Province South of Phnom Penh about 40 miles. We held the dedication in conjunction with the "Khmer Wedding" of the 10 couples of the village forcibly married by Pol Pot's Khmer Rouge in 1977 without a wedding day and ceremony.

In June 2006 we had begun an addition to the Angseong Library and a remodeling of the existing structure. Thanks to the Overland Park Rotary Grant and the support of People to People International and Mary Eisenhower we were able to immediately proceed with Phase II of development.

Included in Phase II is a fresh water tank and toilets, a guest room for future "teachers in residence" who may wish to teach English at the Library. A computer will be next as part of that grant, to be delivered and set up in April.

Some special features of this library:

- 1.) Pond in back to raise fish by for the children to have for lunch
- 2.) Adjacent garden for raising vegetables

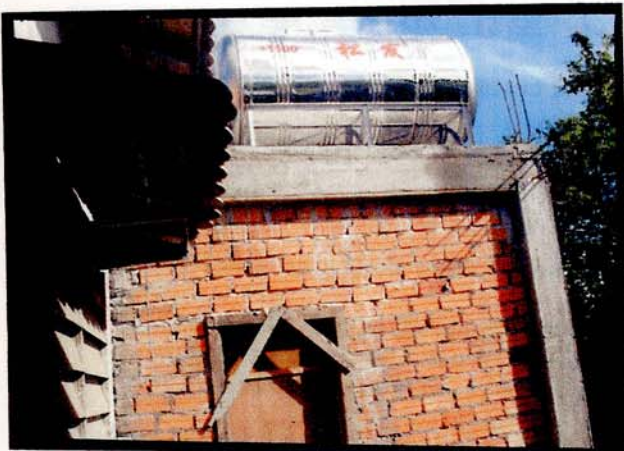
- 3.) Kitchen to prepare food for the kids and any "teachers in residence"
- 4.) Library Store for sale of paintings and crafts by the students and the community
- 5.) Plan for putting Library on the tour maps for tourists
- 6.) Library owned Tuk-Tuk for delivery of books from Phnom Penh
(The Tuk-Tuk is also used as an ambulance for people in the village free of charge)

WHAT'S NEXT:

- 1.) April 2-007 Chuck Theusch will return to the library to follow up on the elements of the plan
- 2.) Develop plan to implement electrical service more economically than the generator now used
- 3.) Execute plan to get the library listed on tourism routing to the "Killing fields."
- 4.) Purchase more books and periodicals
- 5.) Stock the Library Store
- 6.) Set up People to People International Student support Program for 2008
- 7.) Chuck to present PTPI grant in April
- 8.) Record usage and develop extended hours budget
- 9.) Set up record of Ambulance calls for the Tuk-Tuk and Phnom Penh trip list

Here are some pictures of the nearly completed toilets and clean water facilities. Note a shower is included so there is complete guest house capabilities. Chuck will overnight in the village in April. Also following is the documentation from the September 2006 Ribbon Cutting Ceremony and the genesis of the Khmer Wedding.

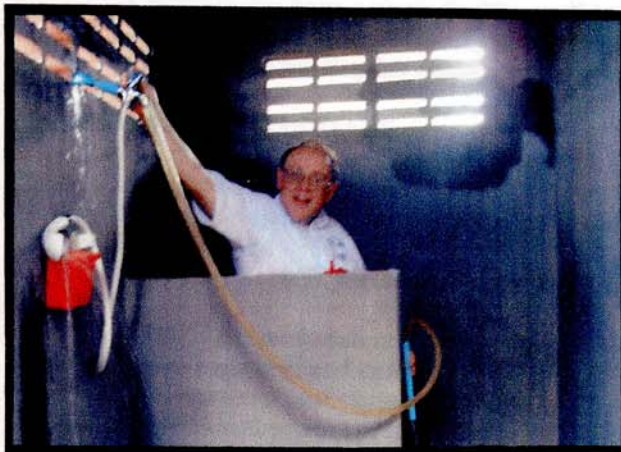
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water tank



toilet



shower



guest room