

A Helping Hand

A gift isn't always about the wrapped box. Sometimes it's about lending someone else a helping hand. We guarantee you'll feel good about yourself too!

This holiday season, extending a helping hand may look like supporting an organisation empowering girls' education, donating to non-profits conserving endangered wildlife, or simply volunteering your time to teach your community a thing or two about fixing old 'junk'!

Here's our guide on how you can lend a helping hand, the Our Better World way!

Kelompok Perempuan dan Sumber-sumber Kehidupan (KPS2K)



Based in Indonesia, KPS2K empowers women and girls in rural communities with the skills to claim their rights and forge their own futures. It has supported some 1,300 women and girls since its inception.

<u>Donate to help support their work in</u> <u>advocating for gender equality.</u>

RIMAU



Founded in 2018, RIMAU is a Malaysian non-profit organisation dedicated to protecting the Malayan Tiger through its anti-poaching activities and stakeholder engagement.

Support RIMAU to save Malayan tigers from the brink of extinction

Kampus Diakoneia Modern Foundation (KDM)



KDM is a Indonesian non-profit organisation dedicated to child protection and fulfilment of children's rights by providing them with housing, food and informal education.

<u>Donate and support KDM to empower</u> <u>street children through sport</u>

Kat-Katha



Kat-Katha's mission is to empower former sex workers, by equipping them with skills and creating a safe space for women on their journey to independence.

<u>Help fund the building of their 'Dream Village'</u>

Bong Sen



Bong Sen is a non-profit organisation in Vietnam's Mekong Delta working to keep rural girls in school. Their education programme empowers girls with scholarships to learn, and practice a range of life skills.

Support Bong Sen to empower girls to stay in school

Merah Putih Hijau



Merah Putih Hijau is a mentoring programme established by environmental NGO Bumi Sasmaya Foundation in 2016 to empower villages in Bali with knowledge and resources to take ownership of their waste and change their everyday waste habits.

<u>Donate to support MPH 's efforts in waste</u> <u>management in villages across Bali</u>

Hand in Hand India (HiH India)



(HiH India) is a pan-Indian non-profit organisation that promotes sustainable development. HiH India works to empower women, educate children, create healthcare access, combat climate change and create jobs.

Support and donate to HiH's "Recycle For Life" model

The Philippine Eagle Foundation (PEF)



PEF is a non-profit organisation dedicated to saving the critically endangered Philippine Eagle and its habitat, whilst protecting the livelihoods and heritage of indigenous communities.

Help PEF protect the eagles and the forests they live in

Repair Kopitiam



Like to tinker with things and have a knack for repairing 'old junk'? Volunteer and teach others to repair faulty items at Repair Kopitiam!

Volunteer your time and skill to help community members learn how to fix their faulty items!

Mercy In Action



The experienced midwives from Mercy In Action provide free, compassionate and attentive birthing services and pre and postnatal care to women in rural areas and poorer communities in Leyte, Philippines.

Contribute to Mercy In Action's efforts to provide a safe space for women and better maternity care.

Sisterhood Community Center (SCC)



Sisterhood Community Center (SCC) is an organisation for refugee women seeking community, life skills and support. Their activities and upskilling classes are managed by refugee women or volunteers.

Contribute to SCC's efforts to provide refugee women with the power to take control of their lives.

COVID-19 Migrant Support Coalition (CMSC)



CMSC's initiatives have made it possible for volunteers to easily connect with migrant workers and to better understand them and provide the support migrant workers need from the local community.

Donate to CMSC and their initiatives to support our migrant workers community better.

What a Waste



Kuala Lumpur-based Malaysian social enterprise, What a Waste (WaW) rescues tonnes of food daily to provide regular free meals (and employment!) to the families of low income earners in Malaysia.

Help build What a Waste's village with a kitchen for the B40 cooks to gather and prepare meals for those in need.

Magical Light



Magical Light is focused on finding ways to help vulnerable overseas communities through the connections and relationships fostered over the years.

<u>Support Magical Light's missions in</u> <u>helping overseas communities in need.</u>

The Archipelago



The Archipelago supports refugee writers and artists by providing writing workshops, an online space for them to share their stories, and the opportunity to connect with other writers and artists.

Support The Archipelago in training refugee and migrant background writers and artists.