



2021

ANNUAL REPORT



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OUR VISION

Justice | Beauty | Hope

Restore & Empower through Creativity and Love

Our heart is for the marginalised and oppressed to rise; to stand for justice, to cultivate beauty, and to hope eternally.

We work with underserved communities in Cambodia and the Himalayas to create hope despite the odds.

We restore and empower through creativity and love in three ways:

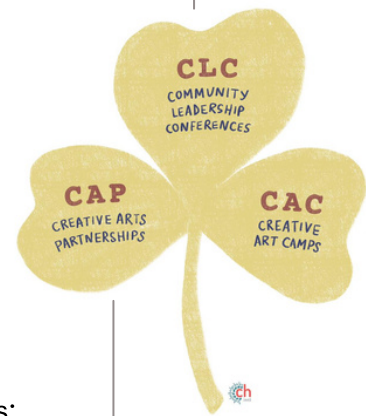
Community Partnerships Empowering leaders and families to create safe communities through loving homes and strong relationships

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Creative Arts Camps Restoring survivors of abuse and trafficking through art, music, and dance

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Creative Arts Partnerships Empowering students in marginalised communities through creative education with our school partners





WHAT WE DID

An Overview

Community Partnerships

Himalayas

- Started a new partnership with an organisation dedicated to empowerment for the underserved in their community
- Held a family conference to grow healthy relationships at home

Cambodia

- Weekly music sessions with staff and counsellors to develop musically and enrich their restoration sessions with their clients
- New family devotional written for our partners

Creative Art Camps

Himalayas

- New creative devotional for our partners to use with their communities
- New children's devotional is in the works and we're planning to share the final version next summer!

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- Weekly creative classes online where our artists facilitate music, art, or dance workshops for girls and women rescued from abuse and trafficking

Creative Art Partnerships

Himalayas

- Continuous online teacher-training and music class development
- In person teacher-training workshop
- New counsellor at one of our partner schools
- Resource sharing: new music, musical instruments, equipment and supplies
- Curriculum development: singing guide for music classes at our partner schools
- Music performances produced by students from all three partner schools

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THE ORGANISATION

Some Highlights

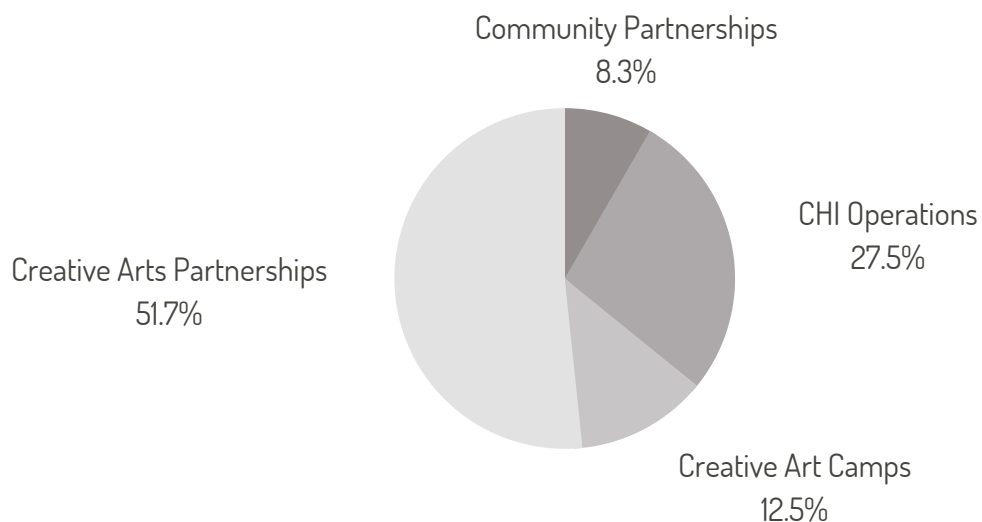
THE TEAM

Our team grew this year! Welcome to the team:

- Jiwan Gurung – Board Member
- Debbie Lee – Community Relations Manager
- Jessi Livermore – Assistant Creative Programs Director

FINANCE

With most of our work still happening online, we spent approximately 24,000 this year. Here's the breakdown of our spending:



WHAT'S NEXT

New Plans for 2022

Community Partnerships

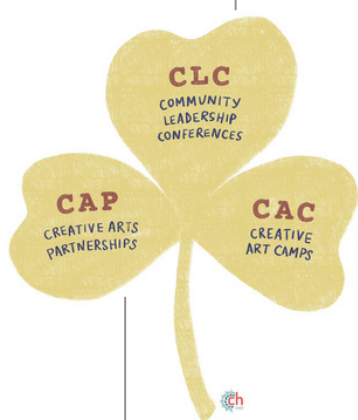
- Facilitate 3 family conferences
- Train a new counsellor
- Facilitate a women's retreat with all three of our partner communities
- Facilitate a training for inner-healing

Creative Art Camps

- Share the new children's devotional with all our partner communities
- Facilitate a creative arts camp at the end of the summer

Creative Art Partnerships

- Sponsor the training of a new music teacher
- Facilitate an in-person music teacher's summit for all our music teachers
- Share a new singing curriculum based on Nepali folk songs with our Himalayan partner schools
- Host a music festival for all our music programs



Our plans stem from
our hope in the
promises of Isaiah 61:

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"Instead of your
shame there shall be
a double portion;
instead of dishonor
they shall rejoice in
their lot;
therefore in their
land they shall
possess a double
portion;
they shall have
everlasting joy."
-Is 61:7



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