

# Our Journey - 16 years of Box of Hope!

- Supported 350+ charities
- 2,000 amazing volunteers
- We delivered 303,483+ boxes to children
- 120 HK schools participate every year!



# It started with a box...

Founded by two mothers in 2008 - desire to **teach their own children about the gift of giving**

It has developed into the simple act of packing a box of gifts and essential items for a **child who doesn't have what other children have**

What began as a family project has grown into a huge initiative where we collected over **31,100 boxes in 2022**

Great way for **children to support other children**, and we aim to bring joy to those children who truly need it



## Why we do this...

Receiving a gift brings feelings of **warmth and happiness**, even more so to children who do not receive gifts on a regular basis, if at all.

Our gifts aim to give these children the chance to experience **happiness**, and **positivity**, not just in receiving their gifts, but also with being **supported** by a community at large – “I’ve got a pencil case!!”

Knowing that there are others who are thinking of them, makes the children feel **considered, grateful and included**. We couldn’t ask for anymore.



# Who we support

Community, family and child focussed charities e.g.

## Hong Kong e.g.

- Boys' and Girls' Clubs of HK
- Pathfinders
- Refugee Union
- IBEL
- SoCo

## Overseas e.g.

- Cambodian Children's fund
- M'Lop Tapang



# Children living in poverty in HK

1 IN 4 CHILDREN IN HONG KONG  
LIVES IN POVERTY



Support your teen peers this year, by sharing  
a Box of Hope. Get involved.

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Watch our YouTube  
channel: **Box of Hope HK**

Short stories of Box of  
Hope recipients



# Children living in poverty - Cambodia



Meet Sophorn:

Age 8, walking barefoot in filthy refuse site.

Lived under tarpaulin with family of 5

Now at school and role model

Lives in safety of all-female community



# How to create your Box of Hope?



FEEL AND STICK ON YOUR BOX OF HOPE

 **NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**SCHOOL/COMPANY:** \_\_\_\_\_

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<input type="checkbox"/> BOY	<input type="checkbox"/> 0 - 2 YRS
<input type="checkbox"/> GIRL	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 - 6 YRS
<input type="checkbox"/> NEUTRAL	<input type="checkbox"/> 7 - 10 YRS
	<input type="checkbox"/> 11 + YRS

Each box **MUST** include the following items. Please use the check boxes to make sure you have everything:

<b>HYGIENE</b>	<b>STATIONERY</b>	<b>ACTIVE e.g.</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> bar of soap	<input type="checkbox"/> A5 notepad	<input type="checkbox"/> ball (and pump) OR
<input type="checkbox"/> toothbrush & toothpaste	<input type="checkbox"/> pens/pencils	<input type="checkbox"/> skipping rope OR
<input type="checkbox"/> wash cloth	<input type="checkbox"/> eraser & sharpener	<input type="checkbox"/> frisbee

<b>FUN e.g.</b>	<b>SOMETHING TO LOVE e.g.</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> card game or puzzle	<input type="checkbox"/> plushie/cuddly animal OR
	<input type="checkbox"/> toy OR
	<input type="checkbox"/> notecard – add your own unique message

**STILL HAVE ROOM IN YOUR BOX? PLEASE FILL IT UP WITH SOME EXTRA ITEMS:**  
colouring pens and book, stickers, maths set, sunglasses, calculator, hairbrush, diary, cap, cars, fashion jewellery

Thank you for sharing a gift with a child living in poverty this festive season.

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[www.boxofhope.org](http://www.boxofhope.org)  
Scan our QR code to learn how to make your Box of Hope



**LOVE YOUR BOX?**  
We will select four of the most beautifully decorated boxes to win our box design competition

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 #boxofhopehk  
 @boxofhope

**WHEN PACKING, PLEASE REMEMBER:**

- All items must be **NEW**
- No clothing
- **NO LIQUIDS** or **FOOD** items
- Wrap the **LID & SHOEBOX SEPARATELY** - DO NOT SEAL IT!

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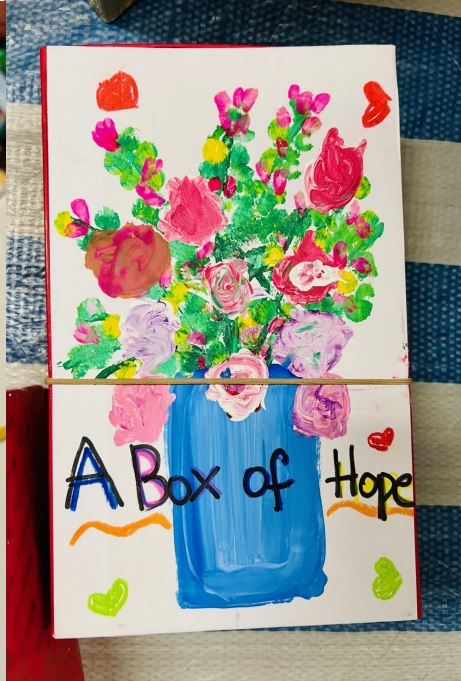
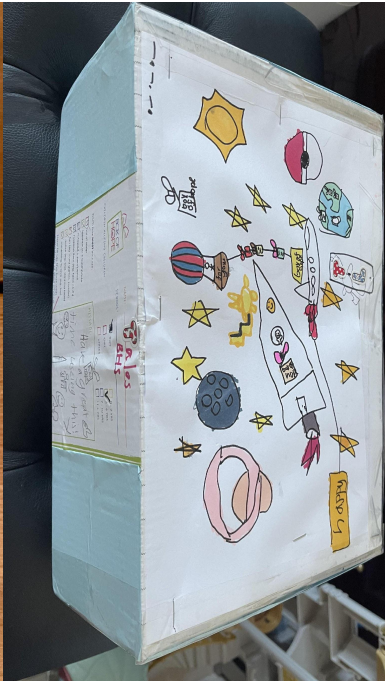




**It can be a box or a bag!**



# Decorate it!



Regular size shoe box!  
Please don't seal it

# What goes in the gift?

## Hygiene :

- Toothbrush & toothpaste
- Wash cloth & soap

## Stationery:

- A5 notebook
- Pens/Pencils/Crayons
- Eraser & sharpener

## Active:

- e.g: Frisbee, skip rope, ball & pump

## Fun!:

- e.g. A game – Uno/Rubix Cube, colouring book, colour pencils

## Something to love:

- e.g. Cuddly toy, note card with your own message.



# What doesn't go in the gift?

- Old & broken toys
- Used items
- Food
- Sharp items – scissors!



# Take your box to school

- Bring your box to school, to the drop off area!
- Send us a pic of your box so that we can post it on Instagram!

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