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SPECIAL EVENT TODAY, WEDNESDAY!

By David Stillman - PPAF Executive Director

GlobalGiving is holding its annual Bonus Day on Wednesday, July 12, starting at 9 AM ET. While funds last, gifts from donors will be matched at 30% for gifts from \$100 to \$499, 40% for those from \$500 to \$750, and 50% for those from \$750 to \$1,000.

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Please look at our GlobalGiving project site, and on THIS MORNING press the Donate button. You can help make a big push for PPAF's important work with colleagues in Haiti. Donate at: Iracking clean cookstoves & fuel in Haiti and scroll down to the Donate button.





Young people in Haiti are learning to use the sun to cook, rather than charcoal or wood. This helps to avoid the related monetary, health and environmental costs that are a burden to most Haitian families.

The leader and core group of a large non-profit in Hinche have received solar cooking training from a PPAF colleague. Now they are building their skills and reporting progress in a WhatsApp group before encouraging others in the Central Province to adopt this innovation.





In Jacmel, another non-profit is learning about solar cooking, from a PPAF colleague who has worked with us for several years. The young professionals and students who formed that organization want to help boost development in Jacmel and elsewhere in the South-East Province.

Again in Jacmel, PPAF continues to support weekend solar cooking classes for girls and boys in a center for children from low-income families. The teachers are themselves former students.





In and around Hinche, a collaborator has donated sets of solar cookers to several orphanages. PPAF supports demonstrations, training, and monitoring by a local colleague. About 50 children live in each orphanage. Cooks and primary school teachers are on staff.

Solar cooking can put food on the table. Cooks and kids are finding this to be a welcome surprise. The usual routine is purchase or collection of firewood, which is a toxic burden in so many ways. The innovation is proving successful!

Looking ahead, many people in Hinche, Jacmel and beyond want to buy and use solar cookers. PPAF wants to stimulate the import, assembly and distribution of these. With your support, we can help put sunshine to work for a brighter future in Haiti.

OTHER WAYS YOU CAN HELP

Your gift is your way to be a part of our work. Your contributions make it possible for the Foundation to continue our work in bringing organizations and people together for sustainable development and clean energy. "Like" us on <u>Facebook</u>, view our videos on YouTube.

- (1) Other ways to donate: You can also mail a check directly to Dr. David Stillman, PPAF, 166 Edgars Lane, Hastings-on-Hudson, NY 10706, USA. The Foundation is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Its EIN is **71-1016293**.
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