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A big 'Hello' to you all!

I am sending you this note to convey my sincere apologies for the lack of foresight. Please excuse me for having forgotten to bring water for the helpers. Next time I will show more respect for the volunteers and pay more attention to their potential needs.

I must also apologize to those who wanted to purchase water, which wasn't available during the afternoon. It only arrived later; again, please excuse me.

Further apologies need to be made concerning the kitchen. My excuses to all the people I had to disallow from using the church kitchen for cooking or meal preparation. It was permissible to use the kitchen for re-heating dishes which were already prepared, but totally impossible that it be used for other purposes, since it had already been reserved for the busy service of drinks and fritters.

There again, my apologies for the intervention. I know that you will understand that space was limited. Thank you.

Anyway, the volunteers and contributors of all kinds were simply marvelous. Now it is incumbent upon me to look back on all the wonderful energy that made the fund-raising event of 2014 such a success.

On behalf of IARNSC I extend heart-felt thanks to all the volunteers who contributed in whatever way to beautify the hall.

A huge thank you too to the sound and image volunteers, whether those of the Lao TV Canada team or the Freedom Orchestra team.

Grateful thanks to all the animation team.

And to everyone who welcomed guests or served guests: Thank You.

Thanks too to all the volunteers who were active outside of the day itself, such as Mr. Inpeng Rajvong and Mr. Real Thivierge, and all the others involved in publicity.

An enormous gratitude to all the people who brought things to eat: Laotian dishes and goodies from other cultures. Thanks to all these charitable souls we ate very well indeed and were able to accumulate a maximum amount of funds to benefit our projects. I want to say to all you cooks that nothing surpasses your contributions. We enjoyed a buffet of excellent quality, far superior to the buffets provided by caterers with a profit motive. Major bravos to those who offered their services. Bravo to you all. Bravo, bravo, bravo.



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Together we form a great authentic family who can repeat again this wonderful demonstration of kindness and of willingness to be of service to the deprived and destitute.

I give you infinite thanks from the bottom of my heart.

With kind thoughts for each of you,

Mary-Jacques Cambay | Volunteer President, IARNSC

