

MAKE IT HAPPEN!

Bring light into the lives of Singapore's visually-handicapped children!

Make It Happen! is a project started by a group of National University of Singapore Yong Loo Lin School of Medicine Year 1 students, to raise funds for Lighthouse School, a school for handicapped children. Our team will be staging a production entitled *The 6 Deadly Commandments*, and all profits will go towards helping Lighthouse School.

For whom?

Lighthouse School, previously known as Singapore School for the Visually Handicapped, is one of the few schools in Singapore offering special education for children who are visually impaired. The school also caters to a few hearing impaired and autistic children.

Braille books are currently the main mode of education for the visually impaired students. However, this poses several challenges and greatly limits the students' abilities to learn, as some students also suffer from cerebral palsy and have difficulty handling the heavy Braille books. The school is looking to move forward with the digital era and our project aims to help them achieve this goal.

How are we helping?

Project Make It Happen! strives to add value to the children's learning by helping them progress into the IT era. Proceeds from the production will go into purchasing laptops equipped with JAWS (a specialised audio programme for the visually-impaired) and eBraille books to facilitate their learning process.

In addition, part of the proceeds will go to the construction of a Cosy Corner in the Lighthouse school library, to provide the children with a comfortable and cheerful interactive learning environment to increase their motivation to learn.

Following the purchase of the laptops and the construction of a Cosy Corner, the organising team of Make It Happen! will also assist the school in facilitating IT classes for the children. Equipping the children with key IT skills and the necessary hardware would be immensely beneficial to them in the long run, especially in this digital age.

The play!

The 6 Deadly Commandments was written to raise funds for this initiative. The play is a fun, lighthearted comedy that satirises the inherent flaws in the human condition by showcasing six predominant mistakes humans unknowingly commit in the course of their daily lives.

WHEN

13 January 2012 (Opening Night) 7.30pm to 9.30pm 14 January 2012 (Matinee) 2.30pm to 4.30pm 14 January 2012 (Closing Night) 7.30pm to 9.30pm

WHERE

Alliance Francaise Theatre Alliance Francaise de Singapour 1 Sarkies Road Singapore 258130

Bring your family and friends for a fun-filled night of laughter and comedy for people of all ages and all walks of life!

How can I help?

If you would like to contribute towards this worthy cause, you can buy tickets to our production or donate directly towards the project.

TO PURCHASE TICKETS (\$15 each)

Please email proj.makeithappen@gmail.com indicating your name, contact number and the number of tickets you would like to purchase.

TO DONATE

Please email proj.makeithappen@gmail.com indicating your name, contact number and the amount you would like to donate and we will guide you on the donation process. Or contact Vivien Lee (Treasurer) at 9455 3883.

For more information, please email proj.makeithappen@gmail.com or contact Wee Shi Jie (Publicity I/C) at 9369 3439.

Be a part of our effort to Make It Happen! for these blind children by supporting our project! We sincerely appreciate your help and look forward to seeing you at our play with your family and friends. SMA