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2026 HOPE Charity Dinners

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**HOPE International Development Agency**

**Annual Dinner Sponsorship Opportunities**



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## from water to self-reliance

In 2015, the United Nations adopted the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, pledging to “leave no one behind.” Guided by the same vision, HOPE helps the neglected poor in remote communities of Ethiopia, Cambodia, and the Philippines become self-reliant, beginning with access to safe water and community-based development.

### Why water?

Water is essential for life. Access to clean water improves health, education, and economic opportunities, especially for women and children. That is why HOPE begins with water support — wells in Cambodia, and gravity-fed systems in Ethiopia, suited to each region’s environment.



**Clean Water**  
(Ethiopia · Cambodia)



**Health & Sanitation**  
(Ethiopia · Cambodia)



**Agricultural Support**  
(Cambodia)



**Educational Support**  
(Philippines · Cambodia)



**Animal Bank Program**  
(Cambodia)

HOPE’s sustained engagement in resolving water, health, and food security issues are designed to help achieve the 2030 UN SDGs. Many organizations, including HOPE, are working to end global poverty by focusing on these SDGs.

### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS





## HOPE's Field of Activity: The Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia Today

### Ethiopia: Rapid Growth and Widening Inequality

Africa is often called the world's last frontier for growth. Among its many nations, the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia holds great potential. Despite recurring droughts, food shortages, and ethnic conflicts, the country has drawn attention for its remarkable economic progress.

Yet a wide gap remains between the capital, Addis Ababa, and rural areas. In the communities where HOPE works, many villages still lack electricity, gas, and clean water. With few opportunities for cash income, families remain caught in a cycle of poverty.

### Harsh Realities Witnessed by HOPE's Executive Director

During his visit to Ethiopia, Jeffrey Behr, Executive Director of HOPE International Development Agency Japan, saw not only the results of HOPE's work but also the harsh realities faced by those still left behind.

*"Garbanza Galo is a four and a half hours' drive on precarious mountain roads from Arba Minch. HOPE has yet to build a water supply system there, so the local villagers fetch water from distant water points in the neighboring village or from local streams and springs. Carrying heavy water cans on foot is a huge burden for the mothers and children who fetch water. Water from streams and some springs are never safe to drink, and often is the cause of stomachaches, diarrhea and disease."*

HOPE International Development Agency, Japan  
Executive Director Jeffrey Behr



## [Ethiopia] Tree Planting for Women's Empowerment and Food Security

Project Purpose	Construct gravity-flow water systems in rural areas to improve access to safe water and sanitation. Support women's entrepreneurship to stabilize income and plant trees to reduce the risk of landslides and other natural disasters increasingly seen in southern Ethiopia.		
Area	Ethiopia / Southern Ethiopia Region		
Project Details	Access to clean water and improved sanitation	Women's empowerment	Tree-planting project
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Construction of gravity-flow water systems</li> <li>• Training for water management and hygiene promotion</li> <li>• Household follow-up visits</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Organizing Self-Help Groups</li> <li>• Training on savings and management</li> <li>• Supporting small business start-ups</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Environmental education for local residents</li> <li>• Rebuilding damaged nurseries</li> <li>• Planting 2,000 fruit trees</li> <li>• Establishing and training an environmental committee</li> </ul>



### Encouraging residents to become independent

HOPE does not just construct water supply systems. We also provide support in creating community-based management, and the knowledge and skills necessary, for maintenance of the water systems. HOPE encourages the local communities to become self-reliant and to rely less on outside organizations for their development in becoming independent.

#### [ Voices of the community ]

#### HOPE helps people regain their dignity

*"Before HOPE come to my village two year's ago, I used to fetch water from a spring nearby. The amount of water decreased in the dry seasons and the water got muddy in the rainy seasons, but I had no choice... and I didn't like the fact that animals used the same water source. I didn't feel good drinking from the same spring as the animals. However, thanks to HOPE, we now have a water point, and we can fetch clean water conveniently." (Kabre Kautsa)*



## [ Cambodia ] Wells, Agriculture, Education, and School Construction

Project Purpose	Improve access to clean water for residents in western Cambodia, while supporting sustainable agriculture and building schools to revitalize local communities.		
Area	Cambodia / Pursat Province		
Project Details	Access to safe water and improved sanitation	Agricultural support	School construction
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Construction of wells suited to local geology</li> <li>Training and home visits for hygiene education and follow-up</li> </ul>	Livestock lending support (Animal Bank project)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Construction of safe and durable school buildings</li> <li>Expansion of classrooms and libraries to meet growing student needs</li> </ul>



## [ Philippines ] Higher Education for Indigenous Youth and Teacher Training

Project Purpose	Assist Filipino minorities that have limited access to higher education due to discrimination and poverty, by providing scholarships to youth who will lead the next generation.
Area	Philippines / Mindanao
Project Details	Scholarships for indigenous youth and teacher training
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide scholarships for students at the Pamulaan Center for Indigenous Education to study teaching, anthropology, social entrepreneurship, and sustainable agriculture while preserving their languages and cultures.</li> <li>Conduct training programs for teachers working with indigenous children.</li> </ul>

### Nurturing the next generation of ethnic minorities

Pamulaan Center is an educational institution that provides higher education for ethnic minorities in Mindanao, Philippines. HOPE works together with the Pamulaan Center. The young people who will lead the next generation receive higher education at this institution, return to their villages after graduation, and actively contribute to their own community development.



## 2026 HOPE Charity Dinner List

We organize charity dinners in Nagoya, Kansai and Tokyo every year. Each event highlights the specific needs of a country or region. The goal is to raise the necessary support to start and develop or sustain vital project work. We strive to create a welcoming environment for all individuals and companies interested in making a meaningful impact with their contributions.



### Dinner Features:

Various programs that provide an enjoyable atmosphere and a meaningful experience of participating in a charitable event.

#### [ Sample Dinner Program ]

- Video report on the lives of beneficiaries and their families
- Silent and Live Auctions, supported by generous sponsors of products, services, and experiences.
- Entertainment featuring live music, ethnic dances, others
- Raffle featuring a Grand Prize  
Prizes from past years have included luxury hotel stays, fine wines and authentic Japanese sake, restaurant vouchers and handmade crafts from countries we represent.
- Full course dinner with HOPE's original menu and an enjoyable evening at world class hotels and venues



Place	Date	Venue
Nagoya	2026 March 6 (Fri)	Hilton Nagoya
Kansai	2026 May 15 (Fri)	ANA Crowne Plaza Kobe
Tokyo	2026 September 18 (Fri)	Tokyo American Club

## HOPE Charity Dinner Audiences

We are fortunate to be connected with so many compassionate and conscientious supporters. Our donor community in Japan continues to grow, and our dinners have become anticipated and well attended events by friends of HOPE who are the reason we are able to make a difference each year. By joining us as a Sponsor, you will have a unique opportunity to reach and connect to a large, diverse, socially responsible and influential network of people, and we will proudly recognize your support.



HOPE's blog features an article about the Charity Dinner. Please scan the QR code on the right to read it.



## 2025 Dinner Statistics

	Venue	Participants	Funds Raised
Nagoya	Hilton Nagoya	62	¥2,448,940
Kansai	ANA Crowne Plaza Kobe	99	¥4,588,000
Tokyo	Tokyo American Club	99	¥8,139,000

### [ Participants' Comments ]

- I always look forward to the auction. It's exciting to find unique items while knowing that every purchase supports HOPE's work.
- The video report clearly showed HOPE's activities and how the donations are used.
- I was deeply moved to see how many lives have been saved through HOPE's work. I want to continue supporting these efforts.
- The display panels made it easy to understand the long-term impact of HOPE's activities. It was inspiring to see the results of years of support.
- The entertainment is another highlight of the evening. The pianist's performance was truly wonderful.

## [ Charity Dinner Sponsorship Opportunities ]

Our Sponsors have cumulatively assisted hundreds of thousands of families over the years. We gratefully appreciate and welcome your gracious support that makes a difference at any level. Your sponsorship can be considered a donation to HOPE Japan and is tax deductible.

### Sponsorship Levels and Benefits

Event Sponsor	Corporate Sponsor	Table Sponsor	Half Table Sponsor	Koguchi Sponsor
¥ 965,000	¥ 520,000	¥ 315,000	¥ 160,000	¥ 65,000
Exclusive front-row table (10 seats)	Reserved table near stage (10 seats)	Reserved front-area table (10 seats)	5 seats reserved	2 seats reserved
Dinner, drinks + 1 bottle of champagne	Dinner & drinks included	Dinner & drinks included	Dinner & drinks included	Dinner & drinks included
Dedicated staff at your table	Company logo on stage	Company name in print materials	Company name in print materials	Company name in print materials
Company logo above stage	Exhibition space available (details TBD)	Company name on main screen	Company name on main screen	
Exhibition space available (details TBD)	Company logo in print materials	Company name on HOPE website & next year's Sponsorship Brochure		
Company logo top placement in print materials	Company logo on main screen			
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#### Application Form

Those who wish to join as a sponsor or individual participant can apply using the QR code on the right.



#### **Notes for Koguchi Sponsor Applications.**

A Koguchi Sponsor package includes a set of two tickets. Please review the following conditions before applying.

- The sponsorship fee must be paid in one lump sum for both participants.
- Only one receipt will be issued. Please note that we are unable to accept separate payments or issue divided receipts.

**Individual tickets** (including dinner & drinks) are available for ¥33,000 each.

Please note: your name/logo will not appear in print or on screen.

### You may also donate a Prize!

The charity auctions and raffle are highlights, and guests enjoy knowing that 100% of the funds from their prize purchases benefit families in need. This is only possible, however, because of the gracious support of prize sponsors. You can help so much by donating a product or service from your brand.

Prizes from past years: hotel stays, kitchenware, wine, craft beer, accessories, and restaurant vouchers.

For details on prize sponsorship, please see the separate sheet.



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