



Dear Community Member and Donor,

We wish to thank you for your outstanding voluntary contributions towards the fundraising benefit concert "One Big Jam" and your dedication to this tragic cause.

Donations for the special event included time, money, services, food and drinks, auction and raffle prizes from many selfless Territorians.

Some of the individuals and organisations that donated included Darwin Life Magazine, AllSkills Migraton, Darwin Woolworths, Michael Gunner MLA, Darwin Irish Society, NT Hong Kong Society, Nepalese Association of NT, Australian Japanese Association of the NT, SKYCITY Darwin, Delia Lawrie MLA, Kon Vatskalis MLA, Nicole Manison MLA, Lord Mayor of Darwin Katrina Fong Lim, Filipino Social Club of Gove and the Gove community, Sluppa Thongs, Om Design, Michael Bernabe, AFA IB, and Peter Crafter. We were also grateful for the attendance of many special guests to our fundraiser, including the Chief Minister of the Northern Territory, Adam Giles.

With your help Red Cross and the Filipino Australian Association of the NT raised a combined total of over \$32,000 on the night to go to the victims of Typhoon Haiyan/Yolanda and their families.

The Northern Territory Government and the Darwin City Council also both donated \$10,000 separately to the cause.

For the Filipino Australian Association of the NT (FAANT), the hard work does not stop here. Currently we are coordinating the collection and shipment of in kind donations to the victims. And we plan to continue to run fundraising events, including our 2013 Christmas Function on the 6th of December. In the New Year we will hold a joint community multicultural fundraising event for the victims along with our annual events including Harmony Day, Independence Day and our Barrio Fiesta.

We especially commend the Darwin Rondalla, SoundtripNT, FiloJammers, Malix Laurel, Em Cada, Rosa Tumanday, Gil Avila, President of the Filipino Social Club of Gove and the Gove Community, all donors and sponsors, the NT wide communities for their invaluable support and contributions during the One Big Jam Concert.

We take this opportunity to extend our gratitude to all FAANT Executive Committee members for their full and continued support and dedication, as well as FAANT members who are the most important stakeholders and our most valuable asset. The executive committee looks forward to meeting you at our fundraisers. We are here to hear your views, requirements and interests and to be of service to you. Please see overleaf some of the families we have been able to help.

Yours respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Oscar Parian'.

Mr Oscar Parian, President FAANT Inc.

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Typhoon Haiyan/Yolanda Appeal

FAANT wanted to make sure that we could get the funds onto the ground and directly to families impacted by Typhoon Haiyan/Yolanda. We liaised with Filipinos who lived in Darwin who had family in the Philippines that were victims of the typhoon and heard their accounts of their family's plight.

FAANT Haiyan Fund Summary

Total Credit balance (including cash on hand)	\$21,729.40
Less: Issuance to Typhoon Haiyan Beneficiaries	\$16,000.00
Post Balance (after all credits in, less issuance)	\$5,729.40

To the recipients so far of FAANT fundraising, we hope that our donation will help in some part of the rebuilding phase for your families.

Ramon Ferrer
Marcelino Matuguina
Victorina Fernandez
Michael Ofiaza
Nerissa Agudo Turland
Digna Ocampo
Emcille Cada
Nemia Ravenswood

Vivian Rajala
Aroh Jaworski
Kenneth Drennan
Annie Elicanal
Nova Patalinhug-Cadungon
Chloe Persson
Joel Macatana
Leonie Roberts

The following are some of the stories from the families:

"Our family lost their house."

"Our family has lost everything."

"My family is homeless and they were fisherman and the boat they had has been destroyed too"

"This money will help our family with food and shelter"

"My family lost their house, we have sent them to Manila for now as there is no house"



Typhoon Haiyan/Polanda Appeal

"Our family lost their house."

"Everything is flat, gone. No house."

"I cannot find my sisters. I cannot find my family. I have sent my nephews and nieces who have been found and sent them to Manila. I am sending them the money for food"

"My family needs medical help."

"Everything is gone."

