

Project Piti Pami

EDUCATION · ADVOCACY · SERVICE 2022 Annual Report



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Mission

Project Piti Pami (3P) is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization that exists to promote sustainable healthcare and wellness for the people of Haiti through education, advocacy, and service.



Vision

3P aims to be seen not as leaders of change in Haitian communities, but as partners with Haitian community leaders and citizens in effecting positive, sustainable change.

Message from the CEO & President

To our valued supporters,

In the year 2022, we celebrated our fifth birthday as a non-profit organization and took the opportunity to reflect on what we have learned in these first formative years. In our first few months as an infant organization, Project Piti Pami was little more than a collection of legal documentation, a website with a donation page, and a handful of enthusiastic graduate students with a shared vision.

We have seen members come and go, various projects succeed where others failed, multiple changes and pivots along the way as we learned what it meant to run a non-profit. How do we hold ourselves accountable to our donors and our partners? What does it take to win others over to our cause? And when the rubber meets the road, what does it mean to truly serve "the least of these"?



Since being founded in 2017, we have raised over \$100,000 collectively for our programs with Haiti Medical Project (HMP) and the communities we serve. For a small group of young professionals each with

"...a handful of our leadership team who are graduates of Saginaw Valley State University were nominated for the Distinguished Young Alumni Award..." full-time jobs in addition to our work with 3P, this is no small feat! We have hosted a number of large fundraising events and have connected with a significant number of individual donors along the way, several of whom have been with us from day one and remain to this day.

Reflecting on the past year alone, 3P celebrated a number of key events. In March, a handful of our leadership team who are graduates of Saginaw Valley State University were nominated for the Distinguished Young Alumni Award in recognition of our work with 3P - incredibly encouraging, an honor, and brought the spotlight to our work and the people of Haiti in a new way. Later on in June, we hosted our second annual Hit the Links for Haiti Golf Scramble fundraiser, our most successful fundraising event to date at over \$15,000 raised, leading us to

ultimately raise over \$24,000 for the fiscal year, our highest yet. We welcomed new faces throughout the year, including a few volunteers and our newest Administrative Director, and we laid the groundwork for a volunteer internship for college students that would ultimately be unveiled in 2023.

As we have learned is typical for this line of work, we also met a number of unprecedented challenges with clinics shifting operations to more remote regions that are generally safer for our partners to practice in. As we wait out this season of unrest, the HMP has shifted their focus to more preventative health projects including drilling wells for clean

"...a surge in gang violence in

Port-au-Prince and the surrounding

communities forced HMP leadership to

drastically taper down and ultimately

pause mobile medical clinics in high-risk

areas."

water access and investing in education for new mothers - and we have shifted our financial priorities for 2023 to follow suit, in hopes that we will be able to resume our previous number of mobile clinics in the future.

HMP was also forced to relocate their headquarters from Croix-des-Bouquets (a small community adjacent to Port-au-Prince) to San Raphael several hours north, where it is currently relatively safe for our Haitian partners to continue working, but is, unfortunately, still unsafe for anyone who is obviously non-Haitian, further delaying our plans to return to Haiti and reunite with our friends



and partners. This has been a painful season as we find ourselves having not set foot physically in Haiti since December of 2018, following which our plans for 2019 travel were delayed by unrest following the presidential assassination on the heels of a devastating hurricane, and since 2020 delayed by COVID and the persistent political unrest that has followed and is still present currently.

As we look back on the path we have traveled, the things we have learned - often in the midst of unprecedented hardship - and the organization that we are today as a result of it all, my reflections are thus summed up. This work is equally difficult and essential. It is the hardest thing we have ever done, and the most rewarding thing we'll ever do. I am honored to be a part of it all. And I am eager for what is coming next. We hope, dear supporter, that you are too.

- Jordan Place, CEO & President

What We've Done! 2022 & a look at the past



Completed 3 team-led trips to Haiti, bringing over 300 pounds of donations and supplies



Support mobile clinics in 4 partner villages



Sponsored the production of a clean-water system in our partner community Savanette



Honored by New Life Church to fundraise through it's Hub for Haiti



Hosted our second golf scramble!



Support local Mother's clubs



Led three 5K fundraisers on SVSU campus



Nominated for SVSU's Distinguished Young Alumni



Took part in Giving Tuesday & Amazon Smile



Surpassed \$100,000 in fundraising since our inception in 2017!

2022 Board of Directors



Jordan Place, D.O.
CEO & President,
Co-founder, Advisory Board
Director
Emergency Medicine Resident
Physician at Ascension Genesys
Hospital, Grand Blanc, MI
D.O. MSUCOM
B.S. SVSU
Committees: Budget, Strategy,
Clinical Logistics



Logan Gatza, MA
Administrative Director
Client Advocate, Jacksonville FL
B.A. Business Management, SVSU
B.S. Sociology from SVSU



Jesse Place
Chief Financial Officer,
Co-founder, Budgeting
Director
High school teacher, chemistry
& environmental science,
Grand Blanc, MI
B.S. & B.Edu. SVSU



Alexa Giovanatti, D.O.
Public Relations Director
Internal Medicine Resident
Physician, Beaumont Royal Oak
D.O. MSUCOM
B.A. University of Michigan
Committees: Public Relations,
CR&D



Thomas Taugher, D.O.
Chief Revenue Officer,
Co-founder, Fundraising
Director
Emergency Medicine Resident
Physician, Central Michigan
University
B.S. SVSU
Committees: Budgeting
D.O. MSUCOM



Jill Solomon, MPH
Community, Research, & Development Director
Behavioral Scientist, Michigan Medicine
MPH, University of Michigan
B.S. Michigan State Uni.
Committees: CR&D

2022 Members, Volunteers & Advisors



Ashlee Taugher
Benefit Dinner & Annual
5K Leader, Co-founder
Client Service Associate,
Independent Bank, Saginaw,
MI
Associates of Science, Delta
College
Committees: Fundraising



Isaiah Timm
Financial Advisor
Financial Advisor, East
Lansing, MI
B.A. Business Admin. SVSU
Committees: Fundraising

Volunteers

Mallory Timm
Brandon Huntoon
Taryn Taugher
Steven Krieg
Tori Krieg
Owen Tosh
Leigha Tosh
Matt Commet
Matt Sikorski
Mark Cosio
Rebecca DiManche

Board of Advisors

Dale Minnich, B.S., M.A.
Brian Thomas, M.S., PhD
Hez Naylor, FNP-BC
Nate Polzin, B.S., M Div.
Cindi Place, B.S., MLS
Eric Gilbertson, M.A., J.D.; D Lit., D Mgt.
Kimiko Sugimoto, MD
Paul Ullom-Minnich, MD, MPH

Ground Team in Haiti



Bernard Gachelin Host / Volunteer



Francois Marie Josette Petit-Homme Pharmacist



Max Gaetyens Saint Jean Translator / Volunteer



Dawine Camille Translator / Volunteer



Dr. Verosnel Solon Clinic Physician for Haiti Medical Project



Pastor Yves Pastor, Savanette



Dr. Cherenfant Clinic Physician for Haiti Medical Project



Meteyer Dorothy Pharmacist

Our Sincere Gratitude to our Donors:

Monthly Partners

Andrew Scales
Brandon & Claire Huntoon
Chad Bambrick
Cindi & Andrew Place
Dennis Ward
Donna & Dennis Krieg
Jesse & Jordan Place
Jill Solomon
Logan & Brandi Gatza

Margaret & Terry Taugher
Paul Solomon
Robert Laduke
Steven & Tori Krieg
Thomas & Ashlee Taugher
Tina Blair
Tobias Timm
Tyler White

Other Donors

David Wollenweber
Denise Gundle-White
Elizabeth Hoose
Kellie Zawisa
Nathan Binder
Owen & Leigha Tosh
Randall Felsing
Roya Caloia



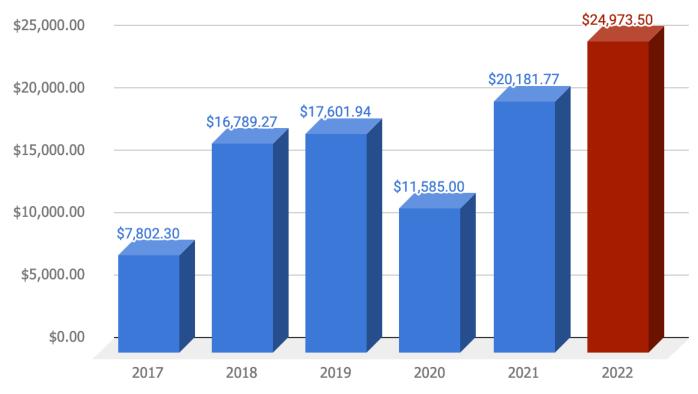
2022 Event Spotlight Hit the Links for Haiti! Golf Scramble

Saturday, June 18, 2022 - \$13,000 raised Beech Hollow Golf Course in Freeland, MI

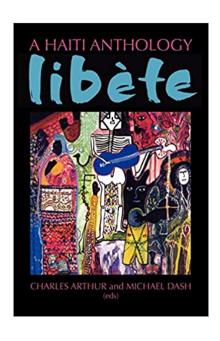


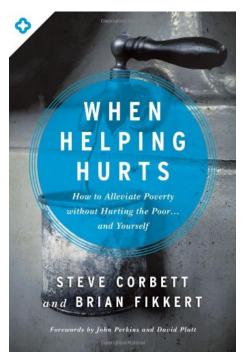
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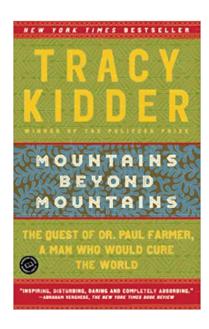
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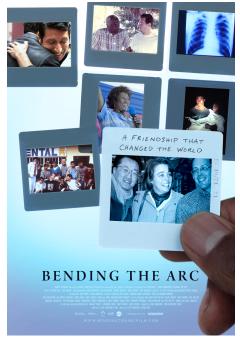


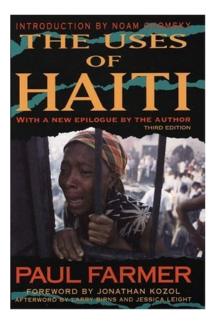
Recommended Media

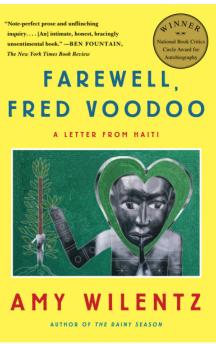












Ways to Support

Become an Advocate



Tell people in your community about Haiti! Host fundraisers, supplies drives in your community. Help gather supplies:

- Hygiene items
- Medicine
- Recreational items
- Miscellaneous supplies

Go to <u>3pHaiti.org/supply-requests</u> for the full list.

Become a Volunteer



Do you have skills that could help us?

- Are you a photographer? An event planner?
- A Nurse or Doctor or other health care worker?
- Do you have some expertise in running an organization? Are you eager to get involved in whatever capacity you can?

If any of these things sound like you, becoming a volunteer might be an excellent fit!

Applications are available at <u>3pHaiti.org/get-involved</u>.

Become a Donor



Because we have specific donors who cover our overhead costs, the funds donated to us are used only for supporting our projects in Haiti. Not a single person in our organization, from volunteer to CEO receives any kind of financial compensation for their work. The costs of our annual trips to Haiti are funded entirely out-of-pocket by the volunteers who attend.

For funds that are donated online through our secure PayPal system, Paypal receives 0.05% as credit card insurance, but the entirety of what remains from your donation makes its way to Haiti

For more information, see our online catalogue at <u>3pHaiti.org/give</u>, which allows you to donate to something you feel passionate about.