

## **GIVING BACK TO BALI:**

Green School at the Kul-Kul Campus Announces Scholarships for Local Children

Sibang Kaja, Bali, 19 June 2008 – Green School, Bali's newest independent school, is proud to demonstrate its support of Bali's youth by announcing a generous scholarship program for local children aged two through thirteen. The School will offer more than a dozen scholarships in its first year. This will enable Bali's brightest, most creative, and most engaged students the chance to receive a world-class education for a minimal cost.

Green School is actively seeking and evaluating prospective scholarship students. According to Ben Macrory, Head of Admissions, "We've identified over fifty scholarship candidates who are being evaluated based on school reports, teacher recommendations, and interviews. I'm anticipating over one hundred students will complete the application process."

The School has organized an Open House exclusively for scholarship applicants on Sunday, June 29 from 9:30 – 11:30 am. Students and their parents will have an opportunity to tour the eight-hectare campus in Sibang Kaja, meet faculty and staff, and obtain application materials and have their questions addressed.

Green School seeks to ignite a passion for learning, inspiring its students to be curious, self-motivated, enthusiastic participants in their education both on the campus and within a global community. Drawing upon a rigorous curriculum that educates the whole student with unique opportunities to link learning to life, the school provides the foundation for life-long moral and intellectual growth. The founders of Green School want to share this educational opportunity with as many Balinese children as possible. The school is currently soliciting donors to sponsor children in order to increase the scholarship budget now and in the future.

According to Ted Levinson, Business Manager at Green School, "There aren't more than a handful of independent schools worldwide that have made such a substantial commitment to financial aid. Every scholarship represents a meaningful investment in Bali's future." With inaugural enrollment of 90 – 110 students, Balinese students are expected to represent more than 10% of the student body.

Brad Choyt, Director of Green School said, "We are educating the next generation of leaders and we're proud to be able to offer a Green School education to many deserving Balinese children. I believe that our community will be enlivened and enriched with their presence." Purnami Lestari, Admissions and Enrollment Manager, considers the scholarship program "a great gift to all of Bali that will make a lasting difference."

Scholarship students will be expected to contribute towards their education at Green School, but the fees charged will be based on the family's ability to pay. Those of limited means will pay little more than the price of a public education while those of more substantial means will be asked to pay a few million rupiah per month. In all cases, the tuition paid will be a fraction of the full price of attending this innovative school.

Questions about the scholarship program can be directed to Purnami Lestari at +62 361 801 3793.

More information about the school may be found at [www.greenschool.org](http://www.greenschool.org). To schedule a visit and a tour of the campus, please email [admissions@greenschool.org](mailto:admissions@greenschool.org) or call + 62 361 469 875.