

# FRIENDS OF MONGOLIA

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## WHO WE ARE

Friends of Mongolia is organized and operated exclusively for charitable, educational, and developmental purposes. We aim to improve the lives of Mongolians and facilitate cross-cultural understanding between the USA and Mongolia.

## COMMUNITY GRANTS

We awarded more than \$2000 in community grants in Mongolia in 2016. The funded projects include the "Voices for Equality" concert organized by the LGBT Centre of Mongolia, a teacher's methodology seminar, and a project to improve children's English learning by increasing parental involvement.

## SCHOLARSHIPS

Together with the Matthew Girvin Scholarship Fund, we awarded nine university student scholarships for the 2015-2016 school year, totaling nearly \$7000.

For the 2016-2017 school year, we are awarding ten university student scholarships, totaling over \$8000.

"Thank you very much for giving me the opportunity to accomplish all my successes, and share with you. I shall educate more and upgrade my knowledge with great motivation to contribute to make a better world."

## COMMUNITY OUTREACH

In 2016, Friends of Mongolia sponsored community outreach activities, such as:

- Tsagaan Sar celebrations with the Mongolian School of National Capital Area
- 25th Anniversary of Peace Corps in Mongolia celebration with the Embassy of Mongolia in Washington, DC

Thank  You

for your generous support. Together, we can accomplish much. As a small non-profit organization, we are operated by volunteer officers and board members. All donations go directly to supporting meaningful projects.

"You gave me a marvelous chance to spend more time on not only developing myself but also helping others."

## HOW CAN YOU HELP?



- **Donate today**
- **Sign up for our mailing list**
- **Volunteer with us**

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