



SewHope

**2023 Miles for Missions Event Sponsorship Request**  
**Tuesday, August 8, 2023, 6:30 PM**  
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SewHope is a Toledo-based, nonprofit organization whose mission is to partner with the poor, marginalized, and exploited in Guatemala to help end the injustices of poverty and to bring about sustainable communities.

Every year SewHope holds a local running event/fund-raiser called Miles for Missions, which helps to raise awareness of SewHope's efforts and provides funds to support our work. ***On August 8, 2023, we will hold our 16th Annual Miles for Missions Raffle Run***, and we expect over 200 participants!

***SewHope would be very grateful if you could consider supporting our efforts through a monetary sponsorship, or donation of an item that we could use in our raffle.*** By becoming a sponsor, you will play a significant and crucial role in addressing hunger, medical needs, poor education, inadequate housing and sanitation, and lack of clean water for some of the most destitute people in the Americas. Below, you will find our different sponsorship levels available for our Raffle Run. Together, we can make the plight of some of the planet's most poor a little better.

Thank you for your consideration and support! Attached you will find our sponsorship form that can be completed and submitted by email or mail. If you have any questions feel free to contact me.

Best,

Randy Ruch, SewHope Board Member  
E-mail: [randall.ruch@gmail.com](mailto:randall.ruch@gmail.com)





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## ***Sponsorship Levels:***

*Sponsorship levels for the Miles for Missions Raffle Run:*

### **Presenting Sponsor: \$1,000**

- Company name/logo largely printed on race t-shirts
- Recognition in Annual Report
- Opportunity to set-up a vender booth on race day
- Social media recognition
- 10 complimentary Raffle Run registrations & t-shirts

### **Gold Sponsor: \$500**

- Company name or logo printed on race t-shirts
- Recognition in Annual Report
- Social media recognition
- 5 complimentary Raffle Run registrations & t-shirts

### **Silver Sponsor: \$250**

- Company name or logo printed on race t-shirts
- Recognition in Annual Report
- Social media recognition
- 2 complimentary Raffle Run registrations & t-shirts

### **Bronze Sponsor: Donation of Raffle Item**

- Recognition on social media and at event



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## Miles for Missions Sponsorship Form

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**1. Sponsorship Level (please circle one):**

**Presenting (\$1,000)   Gold (\$500)   Silver (\$250)   Bronze (Raffle Item)**

2. Artwork and logos should be submitted to [cecilia@sewhope.org](mailto:cecilia@sewhope.org) as follows: Logos for t-shirts **will be printed only in one color** and should be submitted as hi-res JPEG or EPS files **by July 5<sup>nd</sup>, 2023.**
3. Checks can be made payable to **SewHope, Inc.** and mailed to 3828 Brookside Rd, Toledo, OH 43606 **by July 5<sup>nd</sup>, 2023** or you can pay via our website at [www.sewhope.org](http://www.sewhope.org)
4. Additional Questions? Feel free to contact Cecilia ([cecilia@sewhope.org](mailto:cecilia@sewhope.org); 419.297.4864)

Company Name as it should appear in print: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact email: \_\_\_\_\_

Website Address (URL): \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Completed Sponsorship Forms should be submitted via:**

**Email: [cecilia@sewhope.org](mailto:cecilia@sewhope.org)**

**Or mail:**

Randy Ruch

3828 Brookside Rd, Toledo OH 43606



# SewHope

## Public Health Programs

Providing the supplies, education, and opportunities local families need to create and sustain cleaner, safer living environments and improve their overall health.

We partner with Guatemalans to help them obtain the tools and skills they need to determine their own futures.

## Current Projects

### Chispa Stoves

- Replaces typical open-flame cooking with highly efficient, low emission stoves
- In 2022, 20 stoves were installed and this year an additional 20 will be installed
- These stoves require less wood and vent the smoke out of the home, keeping families safer and healthier.

### Poultry and Tilapia

- Four pools house up to 2000 tilapia to be sold and to feed students
- Chickens are raised to feed students, as part of the at-home sustainable foods initiative, or sold

### At-Home Sustainable Foods Initiative

- Teaches local families how to grow and sustain gardens and how to raise poultry
- SewHope provides the seeds, the feed, and the chicks while the families are held accountable for the outcome

### Solar Lights and Eco-Filters

- Solar lamps provide light for those without electricity, ensuring families can work and students can continue to study after the sun sets
- Eco-Filters filter drinking water, removing 99% of harmful bacteria
- 29 water filters were installed in 2022

### Agriculture on Campus

- 30+ variety of fruits and vegetables are cultivated year-round
- Drip-irrigation system waters the gardens while reducing over all water usage and man-hours

