

ZMBB GRANT RECIPIENTS AND OBJECTIVES

- 2006** **Recipient ---- Adam French**
- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o The Ishinca Peace Toilet, a composting toilet in Huascarán National Park
 - o More toilets were built as the arrieros learned that the composted waste would increase crop production to feed their llamas and alpacas for work
 - **Alpine objective**
 - o Climb several peaks in the Cordillera Blanca
 - I have more data on the objectives
- 2007** **Recipient ---- Lizzy Scully/Fabrizio Zangrilli**
- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o Build schools and educate Muslim girls in Pakistan and Afghanistan
 - o New organization called Girls Educational International
 - **Alpine objective**
 - o Attempt new route on K2 – the Magic Line
- 2008** **Recipient ---- Ben Mapes**
- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o Along with Engineers Without Borders
 - Build and teach to build gravity fed water filtration systems in Ecuador
 - Several GFWF Systems were built in remote villages
 - **Alpine objective**
 - o Climb Cotopaxi (one of the three large volcanoes in Ecuador over 16,000’)
- 2009** **Recipient ---- Clint Estes**
- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o To teach residents of remote earthquake prone and landslide prone villages how to shelter themselves in the event of catastrophe, to proper shelters with easily attainable materials and construct shelters in 3 villages including Kande and Hushe in the Karakoram
 - **Alpine objective**
 - o The alpine objective was to explore and climb some of the many unclimbed peaks of the CLOSED Kondus Valley with “special permits”.
 - I have more info if needed
- 2010** **Recipient ---- Jonathon Mingle**
- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o In Zaskar/Ladakh India teach sustainable cooking and passive heated home to move away from heating with fires burning dung that leads to black carbon and destruction of glaciers from thermal heating
 - Help move the village of Kumik to a new area that has water
 - Glacier decline resulted in Kumik one of the highest habitable village in the world w/o water
 - Teach the teacher follow-on work
 - Jonathon wrote a book “Fire and Ice” to draw attention to black carbon and melting glaciers
 - **Alpine objective**
 - o Investigate and ski new ski mountaineering route in the Ladakh and Zaskar area

- 2011 Recipient ---- Asa Firestone**
- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o Establish climbing program and build climbing wall in local community centers in the favelas in Rio De Janerio for at risk kids; Centro de Escalada da Rocinha CER to help poor kids escape the favelas through personal life skills learned through climbing like dedication, problem solving, perseverance, etc.
 - o Asa opened the Boulder Lodge in Boulder
 - **Alpine objective**
 - o First ascents, granite walls, (Dois Irmaos Formation) near Rio and creating outdoor climbing areas for the favela kids and the Centro De Escalada
- 2012 Recipient ---- No Recipient**
- 2013 Recipient ---- No Recipient**
- 2014 Recipient One ---- Sean O'Neill**
- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o Enable and encourage the disabled by climbing-leading El Capitan Salathe Wall by a paraplegic climber
 - This was not a great objective by Sean's brother Timmy O'Neil was going to go on a speaking tour with his brother Sean and Timmy is/was a famous climber
 - Timmy and Sean were on the Today Show with Katie Couric
 - **Alpine objective**
 - o A paraplegic, Sean, climbing-leading the Salathe Wall on El Capitan in Yosemite
- Recipient Two ---- Asa Firestone**
- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o Offer outdoor adventure for personal growth and development for at risk Denver school children. In association with Denver Public Schools and Outward Bound
 - This was not an exciting ZMBB Humanitarian objective but since we had not awarded the grant in two years the committee agreed to offer the two grants
 - **Alpine objective**
 - o Climb Long's Peak with some at risk kids (again not worthy of the grant but it had been two years since an award)
- 2015 Recipient ---- Lilliana and Mike Libeck**
- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o Install solar panels at Kilimanjaro Kids Community Orphanage (Human Outreach Project) in Bomang'ombe, Tanzania. This was the idea of 11 year old Lilliana and not her National Geographic Explorer Of the Year father Mike Libeck.
 - They trained the trainer on installation, repair and management of the solar system, computer etc.

- They had follow support for materials and training
 - Also provided medical supplies and equipment of the local hospital
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- **Alpine objective**
 - o A 11 year old young lady and her father climbed Mt. Kilimanjaro

2016 Recipient ---- Lilliana and Mike Libeck

- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o Deliver and install solar panels and generators in Nepal at two hospitals and dental clinics. This was the idea of 12 year old Lilliana and not her National Geographic Explorer Of the Year father Mike Libeck. .
 - They trained the trainer on installation, repair and management of the solar system, computer etc.
 - They had follow support for materials and training
 - Also provided medical supplies and equipment to the hospitals and dental clinics.
- **Alpine objective**
 - o A 12 year old young lady and her father climbed Mt Mt. Lobuche (20,076 Mt.Mera (21,247) ---both 'trekking peaks' and typical acclimitization peaks for the bigger mountains of Nepal.

2017 Recipient ---- Lilliana and Mike Libeck

- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o In Peru --build a computer center with 10 PCs, power them with solar panels, install a generator and teach locals how to use the computers. Connecting them to the internet and the world. Again Lilliana is at it...!!! ..
 - They trained the trainer on installation, repair and management of the solar system, computer etc.
 - They had follow support for materials and training
 - o The Liebeckis will also take 1000's of socks, toothbrushes, sleeping pads, etc.
- **Alpine objective**
 - o A 13 year old young lady and her father climbed Tocclaraju 6.034m (19,797)

2018 Recipient ---- Lilliana and Mike Libeck

- **Humanitarian objective**
 - o In NE India, build a computer center with multiple PCs, power them with solar panels, install a generator and teach locals how to use the computers. Connecting them to the internet and the world. I told Mike and Lilliana one day someone will apply with a better grant but....???
 - Provide continuing education and support.
 - They trained the trainer on installation, repair and management of the solar system, computer etc.
 - o The Liebeckis will also take 1000's of socks, toothbrushes, sleeping pads, etc.
- **Alpine objective**
 - o A 14 year old young lady and her father climbed 4000m Peak in Bhutan and 18,000' peak in NE India

2019 Recipient ---- Lilliana and Mike Libecki

- Humanitarian objective

- o In Palawan, Philipines, build a computer center with multiple PCs, power them with solar panels, install a generator and teach locals how to use the computers. Connecting them to the internet and the world. I told Mike and Lilliana one day someone will apply with a better grant but....??
 - Provide continuing education and support.
 - They trained the trainer on installation, repair and management of the solar system, computer etc.
- o The Liebeckis will also take 1000's of socks, toothbrushes, sleeping pads, etc.

- Alpine objective

- o A 15 year old young lady and her father climbed Mt Cleopatra's Needle in Palawan

2020 Recipient ---- No Recipient Due To COVID19

2021 Recipient ---- No Recipient Due To COVID19