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# Impact report 2018

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# Community income

Total amount of village income generated from **village provided goods and services** during 2018 was **8356USD**

Total amount of money generated from WV for the **villages communal fund** during 2018 was **755USD**

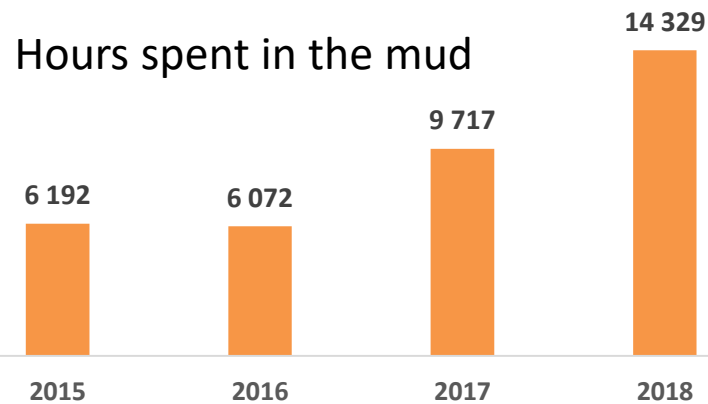


# Hands on hours

Total number of volunteer hours generated throughout the **2018** was **14 329 hours**

...that is **358 40-hour work weeks**

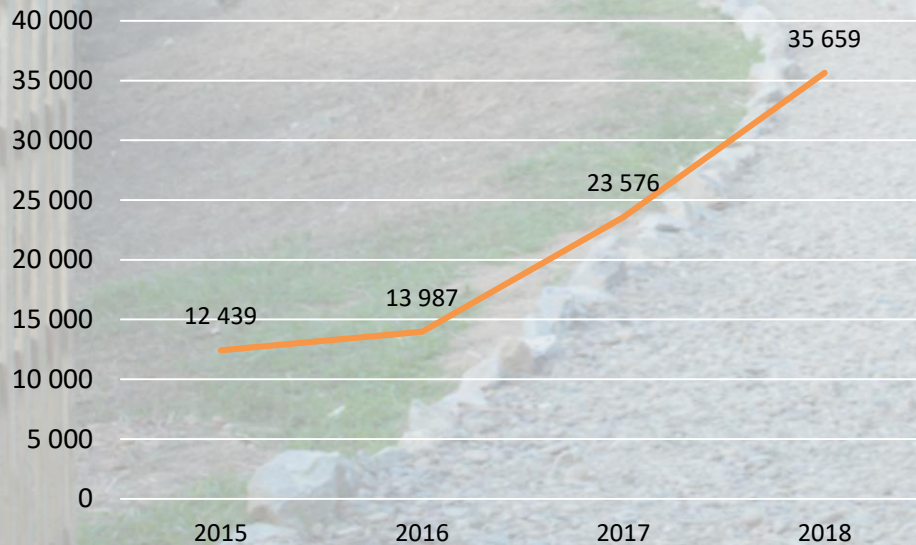
Changing lives is not a spectator sport – you need to get your hands dirty and so do we.





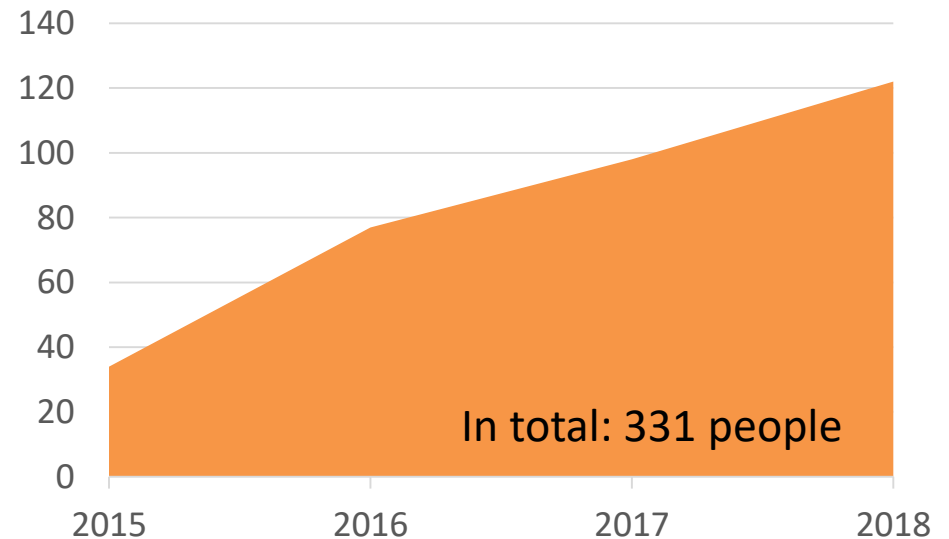
# Community income - Earth house for rent

Total amount of **village income generated for homestay families throughout the year was 35 659USD**



# Come as a visitor leave as a friend

Total number of **visitors staying overnight** in one of the Bungalows during **2018 was 122 people**





# Join the global effort



“ Unique, off-the-beaten track experience that gives you a real sense of village life. ★★★★★ ”

“ While staying here I moved from that day tripper “Kodak Tourist”, to a live in guest - and that made a big difference. ★★★★★ ”

Being advocates of social change is a multilayered, full-time gig, therefore we have to adapt with the times ensuring that we can offer our community partners maximum social impact. Since the launch of the original Eco-Bungalow the world has advanced and so has the potential to create sustainable change.

In early 2016 our community owned Eco-Bungalows were listed on Airbnb for the first time, allowing their existence and services to be exposed to wider audiences. This demonstrates how social change is limitless as it filters across borders and onto platforms all over the world. This has led to an upsurge in bookings and thus an increase in village income, as the new generation of responsible travelers can learn about and be part of the Eco Bungalow initiative before they even arrive in Laos! When will you book in?

This is only the start! Our growth has allowed us to open two new Eco hubs in Thailand and Nepal, where we work with low socio-economic communities for social and environmental change. So as 2019 starts.....make the resolution....and join the **global effort** with World Volunteer!





***“Because work, like life, is collaborative”***

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