Thank you for contributing to the vision of a world improved with solar cooking.

Together, we offer hope and a solution for women and families where fuel is too scarce and expensive to even heat water to kill germs.

Our donors make it possible to offer free solar energy as a solution for three billion women, children, and men who face fuel shortages, but have no alternative—yet—to cooking over open fires.

One gift to solar cooking impacts a human life in so many ways. With your help for solar cooking, women breathe cleaner air, conquer waterborne diseases, gain time, escape violence, and preserve habitats. Free, no-emission solar energy every day the sun shines means more food, time gained for education or income generation, less exposure to violence away from home, and more trees left in the forests.

The majority of Solar Cookers International’s funding comes from donors like you. There is so much work to be done; you can help us accomplish much more. Please tell your friends and encourage them to join all of us who offer the solar cooking solution to people in need.

Every gift matters.

Gratefully,

Julie Greene
Executive Director

Women demonstrating a parabolic solar cooker in Nepal. Feb, 2014
KEY PROGRAMS AND INITIATIVES

Making Progress: Our Future

PROJECTS

Free solar energy for cooking can be life changing, especially for the world’s poorest three billion people who rely on open fires to cook their food and make their water safe to drink.

There are 12,000 households in the Lower Nyakach region of Kenya. Sixty percent of the inhabitants live in absolute poverty. Approximately 10,000 of those households were too poor to afford the cost of even the simple cardboard and foil CooKit as most live on less than $2 per day.

One of Solar Cookers International’s goals is to ensure that these 10,000 vulnerable households in Lower Nyakach have access to solar cooking. From December 10, 2012 through June 30, 2014, Solar Cookers International’s community-based partners had selected households in need and successfully distributed 1,266 Safe Water Packages provided by SCI donors. These packages include a solar cooker, improved cookstove, retained-heat container, water pasteurization indicator (WAPI), and safe water storage jars. These partners also provided the follow-up training families needed to get the maximum benefit from these Safe Water Package tools.

With the help of insightful donors, Solar Cookers International is working to provide community-based Kenyan partners with the tools and training they need to complete this work. In spring 2014, donors provided three Directors of community-based partners in Kenya with training in appropriate technologies and sustainable project design. Solar Cookers International is working closely with these partners to ensure all poor families who want solar cooking technology and skills have access to them. Our goal is to alleviate poverty in Lower Nyakach with solar cooking.

In Lower Nyakach alone, from July 1, 2013 through June 30, 2014, Solar Cookers International donors helped:

- Distribute 964 Safe Water Packages (an almost 400% increase since the previous fiscal year)
- 5,784 people to solar cook and drink safe water in the Lower Nyakach area
- Save up to 434,010 kg of fuel wood, the equivalent of 781 tons of CO₂ emissions, or the amount of electricity used in 107 US homes in one year
- More than 11,413 people learn about solar cooking through community demonstrations by Solar Cookers International partners in Kenya
In Kathmandu Valley, Nepal, Solar Cookers International donors helped provide a solar cooking workshop for 57 people. Preference was given to single women who are heads of household, burn survivors, women in leadership roles, and orphans. Participants learned about different solar cooking designs and how to build solar cookers using locally available materials. Participants were also taught the alternative to overdependence on forests for family cooking fuels, and the importance of alternative, renewable, and appropriate technologies, such as solar cooking, biomass briquettes, and retained-heat cookers. Solar cooker designs were specific to the high altitude climate found in Nepal. Workshop participants were given the opportunity to construct their own solar cookers at the workshops and take them home. This was especially important given that many participants would not be able to afford to purchase solar cookers, or the supplies to make them, on their own.
Solar Cookers International donors helped inform global leaders and decision-makers about solar cooking’s benefits for citizens and the environment.

Solar Cookers International donors helped bring an expert in solar cooking adoption and safe water technology to the Commission on the Status of Women 58 Conference, United Nations, New York. Thanks to Solar Cookers International donors, Ms. Dinah Chienjo, Director of Friends of the Old, Kenya participated in this United Nations conference. Greene and Chienjo taught more than 100 global community leaders about the advantages of solar cookers for cooking and water pasteurization for the women in their communities.

Dinah Chienjo and Julie Greene taught community leaders from around the world about solar cooking and solar water pasteurization.
United Nations New York, March 2014

Solar Cookers International collaborated once more with Solar Household Energy to bring Mr. Deepak Gadhia, former Solar Cookers International board member and champion of solar thermal cooking technology in India, to present at the TU Berlin Microenergy Systems/Berkeley Rural Energy Research Group (MES/BREG) joint symposium on Innovation in Energy Access for Remote Areas at UC Berkeley, USA. (Picture on following page)

Dr. Arline Lederman, Vice President of Solar Cookers International, introduces guest speakers at a Commission on the Status of Women 58 meeting, United Nations New York.
Photo: J. Greene, April 2014.
At a UC Berkeley symposium, Deepak Gadhia, former SCI board member, proposes solar cooking as an important energy source in rural areas.

Solar Cookers International donors furthered a global effort to include solar cookers in a worldwide process to design cookstove standards. In February, 2014, Solar Cookers International and Solar Household Energy collaborated to send Dr. Paul Funk, former SCI board member, as the Solar Cookers International Network delegate to the International Organization for Standardization Technical Advisory Group (ISO/TAG) 285 Clean Cookstoves and Clean Cooking Solutions Plenary in Nairobi, Kenya. Because solar cookers have no emissions, they can be difficult to classify and are sometimes excluded from clean cookstove projects. Dr. Funk’s participation will help solar cookers be considered appropriately for future clean cooking standards.

ISO/TAG 285: the world sets standards for clean cookstoves. Solar cookers are the cleanest.

Photo: P. Funk, Nairobi, 2014
This year, Solar Cookers International donors expanded its education efforts so people worldwide would learn about alternatives to cooking over an open fire.

**Knowledge Source**

With the strong support of Agua Fund, Inc., Solar Cookers International focused efforts to update and consolidate articles on www.SolarCooking.org, expanding the world’s premier solar-cooking resource. With translation available in 30 languages, donors are helping Solar Cookers International to make it accessible worldwide. This is especially important in places where books are scarce, but mobile Internet access exists.

2.7 million page visits from people seeking solar cooking knowledge at www.SolarCooking.org, a wiki site funded by Agua Fund, Inc. and Solar Cookers International donors.

Solar Cookers International donors helped provide expertise to create a solar cooker display at the Sacramento Food Bank and Family Services in Sacramento. Pictured: (L) Solar Cookers International Program Assistant Svetlana Hristova. (R) SFBFS Vista volunteer.
Solar Cookers International donors helped spread news about successful solar cooking projects to more than 12,000 people worldwide in three editions of the Solar Cooker Review.

Solar Cookers International was selected to be a part of the Laura and John Arnold Foundation Giving Library.

Executive Director Julie Greene was interviewed on the Renewable Energy Hour radio program about solar cooking on July 29, 2013. Listen to it at www.kzyx.org.

Solar Cookers International volunteers gave solar cooking demonstrations at 33 community events across the United States.

Shine On! 2013 gathered solar cooking supporters from Northern California. Guest speaker: Allart Ligtenberg of Friendly Appropriate Solar Technologies (FAST), with solar cooking projects in Nepal, Mongolia, Indonesia, Peru, Bolivia, and Mexico.
With the help of insightful and educated donors, Solar Cookers International leads the global network of solar cooking innovators.

How can one organization accomplish this? By using communication tools that help solar cooking organizations worldwide to understand trends, develop working relationships, and access the most current developments in solar cooking.

In February 2014, Solar Cookers International responded to a growing need among solar cooking project partners and researchers to gather for a global convention. Solar Cookers International began planning a fifth International Solar Cooking Convention—the first since 2006. Solar Cookers International donors understand clearly that success is built on strong professional relationships that are initiated and developed through face-to-face, real time conversation, communication, and collaboration.
Darwin Curtis awarded Solar Cookers International’s Order of Excellence 2013
Darwin Curtis, Co-Founder of Solar Household Energy, was the 2013 recipient of Solar Cookers International’s Order of Excellence. Established by Solar Cookers International in 1995, this honor recognizes individuals whose sustained efforts have contributed most to empowering people to cook food and pasteurize water with solar energy.

SOLAR COOKERS INTERNATIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBERS 2014
Solar Cookers International is privileged to work with the following members of the Solar Cookers International Advisory Council to further the cause of solar cooking and its global implementation:

- Mr. Deepak Gadhia, Gadhia Solar Energy Systems Pvt. Ltd., Retired
- Ms. Louise Meyer, Vice President and Secretary, Solar Household Energy
- Dr. Paul Funk, Researcher, Co-author of ASAE Standard for Testing and Reporting Solar Cooker Performance
- Dr. Catlin Powers, Harvard University, COO at One Earth Designs

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Solar Cookers International wishes to thank Agua Fund, Inc., for its support to make the solar cooking wiki possible at www.solarcooking.org.

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Legacy Donors: Ensuring the Future of Solar Cooking
Solar Cookers International wishes to thank this group of insightful donors who have made their commitment to a future that includes solar cooking. If you would like more information about including Solar Cookers International in your will or estate plan, please visit www.solarcookers.org/donate or call 916-455-4499.

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Solar Cookers International wishes to thank donors who have given each year for the previous 10 years or more. If you should be added to this list, please let us know.

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A NEW ENDOWMENT FOR THE FUTURE

This fiscal year, Solar Cookers International established the new Solar Cookers International Endowment Fund. With donor support, this endowment will help ensure Solar Cookers International can continue its important work in the future.

The scale of our vision for solar cooking is vast. If you are interested in making a gift that helps bring long-term success for solar cooking, please contact Executive Director Julie Greene at 916-455-4499.

ENDOWMENT FUNDS

Solar Cookers International Endowment Fund
Interest from this fund at the Sacramento Regional Community Foundation provides general support to where it is needed most.

Mary Euwer Memorial Fund for Latin America
The family of Mary Euwer, an early supporter of Solar Cookers International, established this fund to promote solar cooking in Latin America.

STAFF

Thanks to our supporters, Solar Cookers International added two new full-time staff members (Database and Development Manager Jack Garvey, Jr. and Program Assistant Svetlana Hristova) and one part-time staff member (Solar Cookers International Network wiki Webmaster Ben Hedrick) this fiscal year to handle the increasing demand for solar cooking worldwide. Solar Cookers International is now more able to do the work required to share knowledge about solar cooking worldwide.

From left to right:
Julie Greene (Executive Director)
Jack Garvey (Database and Development Manager)
Svetlana Hristova (Program Assistant)
Patricia McArdle (Solar Cooker Review Editor)
Paul Hedrick (Solar Cookers International network wiki Webmaster)
Ben Hedrick (SCInet wiki Webmaster)
Tom Sponheim (SCInet wiki Web Manager)
VOLUNTEERS AND BOARD MEMBERS

Volunteers contributed 1,363 hours. The fair market value of volunteer contributions is $35,901.

From left to right:

Volunteers: Kirstie Wilson, Cathy Vollmer, Charley Cross, Don Coan, Linda Hayward
Board members: AJ Lederman, Jeffrey Dorso, Patty Roberts, Jason Gray, Rajinder Sahota, James Moose, Honey Walters, Eric Hafter, Stephan Saffold, Monica Woods, Bill Hudson
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UN representatives: Kathy Adler, Terri Brooks, Sonia Heptonstall, Joyce Jett, Marilyn Janow
IN MEMORIAM: JOHN COLLENTINE 1920 - 2014

John Collentine was an outstanding, visionary leader for Solar Cookers International. John’s expansive vision for Solar Cookers International and solar cooker are evident in this excerpt from the “President’s Corner” of the 1996 Fall Solar Cooker Review:

“We continue receiving requests to bring solar cooking to people and environments in other areas of the world. When I think of SCI and all of you individual supporters who are making this happen, the word “synergy” comes to mind: individuals working together to accomplish much more than they could alone. SCI is synergistic. By your membership and support you are helping bring sustainable energy to people of the world....Many are coming to us for collaboration and consultation.”

Solar Cookers International is thankful for all SCI donors who continue to fulfill John’s vision for the role of solar cooking, particularly for its impact on the world’s poorest citizens. Solar Cookers International is grateful to Mrs. Tess Collentine and their family, who generously suggested donations to Solar Cookers International in John’s memory.
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**Statement of Activities**

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Solar Cookers International meets all 20 Standards for Charity Accountability Standards established by the Better Business Bureau Wise Giving Alliance.
Thanks to our donors, Solar Cookers International has accomplished a lot in the past year. However, there is extensive work to be done, requiring local partner capacity building, and enhanced advocacy and collaboration.

**Our world is changing more rapidly than ever.** Providing one solar CooKit or Safe Water Package at a time is a temporary fix and makes a world of difference for one household, but this is not a permanent solution. With 8,734 more households needing solar cooking in the Lower Nyakach region in Kenya alone, our partners need investment in their training and skills, too. With your support, we can prepare solar cooking to benefit the next generation also.

We use your donations to help global decision-makers learn that solar cooking means fewer people will die because of breathing thick smoke caused by cooking fires, or from burns caused by small children falling into the fire, or loose clothing igniting.

Partners living in the poorest parts of the world are the ones with the greatest need to collaborate with peers to share valuable expertise in project and research design. Each $2,000 gift from a committed SCI donor helps bring a partner from the global south to an International Solar Cooking Convention, and makes the future of solar cooking brighter.

Your organizations' philanthropic dollars can have enormous social impact with a gift to Solar Cookers International.

Every meal cooked in a solar cooker makes a difference.

**How You Can Help**

- Make a donation
- Help Solar Cookers International secure a grant
- Volunteer
- Make a Legacy Gift for Solar Cooking
- Donate In-Kind Support
- Donate Professional Expertise
- Spread the word about solar cooking and Solar Cookers International

Solar cooking empowers women, protects the environment, improves human health, and unleashes human potential. Your gifts for solar cooking will continue to save and change lives.

**Your gift to Solar Cookers International matters!**