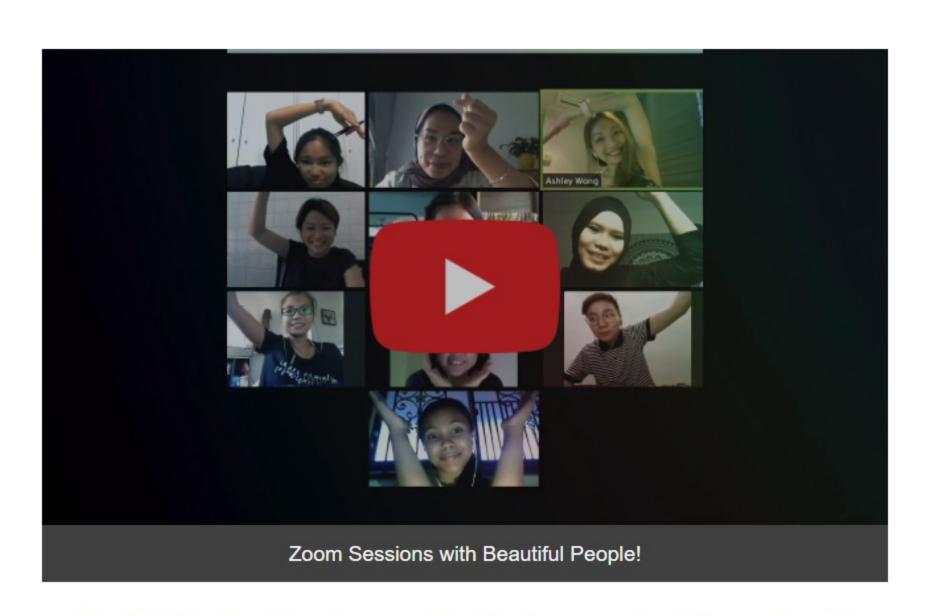
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We'd like to thank you for being part of the Circuit Breaker with us.

It has been – and continues to be – a difficult and uncertain time for not only our mentees and their families, but also for us as mentors.

Nothing can stop us from continuing to connect. We have learnt how to stay engaged with our mentees via video conferencing. Zoom sessions are meaningful; relationships are strengthened; and we are learning new skills.

We've received many acts of kindness during this period:

- · A donation of 250 surgical masks before the start of the Circuit Breaker
- A mentee formerly from The Tent donated 10 refurbished laptops using her own savings, despite having just graduated and without a job
- A 16-year-old student organised a Bake Sale and donated 50 reusable masks
- HopeFull donated boxes of home-based activities Tinker Boxes for children in Families for Families during the school holidays
- Bridge The Digital Divide donated refurbished laptops for students doing HBL and mentees looking to improve their skills for better jobs

Through the generosity of our friends and family, we raised \$29K within 10 days for an Emergency Fund to support our mentees and their families with groceries, baby formula, diapers, and more.

Now we hope to raise at least \$50,000 for the <u>Dream Fund</u> for mentees continuing their education.

- \$7,500 will support 1 secondary or ITE student for 2 years
- \$24,000 will support 1 university student for 3 years

We believe if we invest in their education today, there will be hope for their tomorrow. This is all the more critical with the current coronavirus pandemic.

We hope you will donate generously to ensure that 'Every Dream is a Possibility' for our mentees.

DONATE TODAY!

Hear from our Dream Fund Mentees:



"I've been in the Dream Fund since last year when I decided to continue my studies. I am staying with my aunt and 7 other members in the household. I worked part time to earn my own school pocket money and for other expenses like transportation, school books and stationery. I could not focus on my studies when I had to work 4-5 days a week. The Dream Fund has helped me a lot. I now have more time to focus on my studies and my school projects. It is also helping my aunt as she doesn't have to worry about my school meals and transportation."

~ Juliana

"Dream Fund has been a programme that has been a constant source of support for me, both financially and emotionally, since I entered University. I can now maximise my time in University, without having to worry that much about my finances. The internship I have received at the Beautiful People office has helped me prepare for the workplace. My mentor is a great source of motivation and comfort to me. I know she will always be so supportive in everything I do.

I understand that times are hard now to continue supporting us with Dream Fund but without it, I would not be able to juggle schoolwork and part-time jobs to continue my education."

~ Leo

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