

## Haiti Brochure



Since the January 12th earthquake, Airline Ambassadors has helped facilitate the arrival of 17 airplanes delivering desperately needed humanitarian assistance for the people of Haiti.

Join Ruth Matranga, Nancy Rivard and Michael Brewer on a 4 day (3 night) mission to Port au Prince and see for yourself the devastation caused by the earthquake.

You will provide support to Haiti Street Kids, Trinity Music School, the L'Athetique soccer program, New Life Orphanage and tent camps in Port au Prince.

Itinerary envisioned:

Day 1 -- Meet at airport in Miami for flight to Haiti. Arrive in Haiti, claim luggage (donations). Depart for Airline Ambassadors house in Delmar 33, drop off your luggage, receive a tee shirt and depart for New Life Orphanage. Then take a tour of the city to survey the destruction and devastation caused by the massive earthquake of January 12.

Afterwards we will proceed on to visit Trinity Music School. This music school was badly damaged by the earthquake. The children and staff were safe but many instruments were not salvageable. We will deliver donated musical instruments to the children. Later, we will listen to the children's choir. Dinner at The View which overlooks Port-au-Prince.

Day 2 -- We awaken to fresh coffee and breakfast. Solino is our first stop. This neighborhood of Port-au-Prince is home to the poorest of the poor. Many families living here have nothing except the strength to survive.

After lunch we will visit Camp Benedictine. This is another area of Port-au-Prince where most people lost their homes and now live in tents. Our coordinator, Ruth Matranga, has spent many nights with the people of Camp Benedictine and describes the experiences as life-changing. You will have the choice of staying in a tent or heading back to the house. Dinner.

Day 3 -- We will begin our day with a beautiful drive into the mountains of Haiti to Baptist Mission where we will visit the village and tour the crafts and souvenir shops. Baptist Mission is home to the famous berry used in Christa Palm Oil. This oil is known all over the world as a medical remedy. Then, off to L'Athetique soccer camp. Boby Duval converted this area close to the airport into a magnificent soccer field serving over 2000 local children. We will deliver soccer uniforms and watch a match. Join in and play if you choose.

Day 4 -- On your last day, you may choose to stay and visit the Bishop Moise orphanage or catch a flight back home.

*Thank you for supporting our programs, which are designed and developed to help the Haitian people forge a self-sufficient future. We combine tourism with a contribution to relief efforts to make your trip a memorable experience putting your compassion into action. Thank you for your contributions to our programs assisting the institutions you will visit. We hope that your experience in Haiti seeing your donations at work will motivate you to do more to help this country rebuild itself.*

Join our Airline Ambassadors team.

For more details, please contact our coordinator, [Ruth Matranga](#) or call 954-336-8334.



## Haiti Registration



### Packing List

It is very hot and humid in Port-au-Prince, so pack accordingly. The rainy season has begun, so you should bring an umbrella and/or light rain gear as well as boots if you decide to stay in the tent camp overnight. Electrical power is 120v (the same as the U.S.).

You should follow the Centers for Disease Control guidelines regarding shots etc.

Bring toys, clothing or gifts for kids in the orphanage as well as one towel and a sleeping bag if you can.

AAI will provide two t-shirts for each participant as well.

A non-refundable registration fee for this trip is \$200.00.

Please contact the coordinator for details pertaining to in-country costs.

Airfare cost and reservations are the responsibility of the participant.

Mission Coordinator: *Ruth Matranga* at [ruthmatranga7@gmail.com](mailto:ruthmatranga7@gmail.com).

Please submit the Registration Fee via the PayPal link under the Haiti - Street Kids Mission

in our Travel Calendar, or you may pay by check

(indicating Haiti Street Kids Mission, in the memo section).

Please send checks to:

Airline Ambassadors International  
418 California Avenue, PO Box 459  
Moss Beach, CA 94038

*For questions and registration confirmation,*

*please contact coordinator:*

*Ruth Matranga* at

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To Sign-up and register:

- You must be a current Airline Ambassadors member. Please visit our Membership Section to join or update your membership if necessary.
  - You must sign an AAI Release Form and send it to:
 

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  - To confirm your interest and participation in the trip, please proceed to our Travel Calendar.
  - Print your Volunteer Donation Receipt and record your donations for tax deduction purposes.