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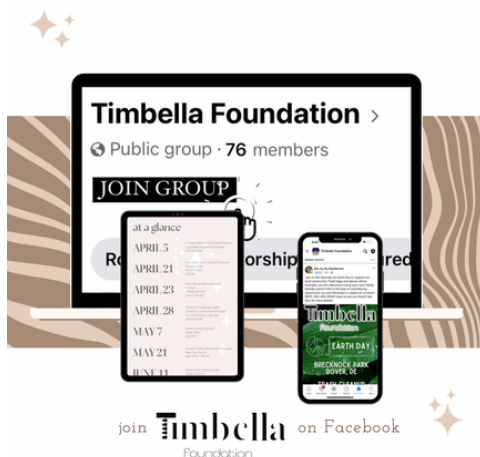
Foundation

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Members of The Fig Tree band with TIMBELLA FOUNDATION founder, Timothy Parsons, at Tre Sorelle Dulce (Camden, DE) for Family & Friends Jazz Night benefit on April 28, 2022.

"Changing the world by helping others succeed "



Greetings all, and welcome to our second issue of *The Monthly Update*. We hope that you feel as inspired as we do by our monthly publication.

In addition to our monthly publication, we also encourage you to stay, in real time, up to date on all TIMBELLA FOUNDATION news by joining us on Facebook. Simply search: "Timbella Foundation" in the search bar and click "Join Group." In the *Featured* section at the top of our group page you will find important dates and announcements, as well as receiving instant notifications when important announcements and brand new events are added.

READING

The Cambodian Genocide

April 17, 1975 - January 7, 1979

I was left without words. One could say astounded. Completely disturbed. Disgusted. I was left in complete awe at what was before my eyes.

If you have not already, I highly encourage you to take a moment of your time, ten minutes or so, to familiarize yourself with not only Cambodian history, but also our Founder, Timothy Parson's, adoption story, of which was filmed in the tallest building in Cambodia (insert link).

Timothy was adopted from a government orphanage in Cambodia in the year 1990 (approximately). It is from this place, where Timothy's passion for Timbella Foundation was both ignited and fueled.

But before we become entirely captivated with Timothy's story, let us first immerse ourselves into the troubling reality that became that of many between the years of 1975 and 1979. The Cambodian Genocide involved the mass killing of millions (it is estimated that between 1.5 and 3 million were killed) at the hands of a

communist political group, the Khmer Rouge, who had gained control of the country following the Cambodian Civil War

(<https://cla.umn.edu/chgs/holocaust-genocide-education/resource-guides/cambodia>). Their end goal? To create a classless agrarian society.

But before we glaze our attention with merely "the facts," let us pause to deeply feel the human impact that came as a result of this reality. Families torn apart. The country itself, devastated. Loved ones lost.

It is history such as this, that entirely pulls at our heartstrings, opening our eyes to total global need.

Join us as we save children now from human trafficking. *Cambodia, November 2022.*



<https://www.baylor.edu/library/index.php?id=974732>

READING

Kay's story: A Story that Moves

Part One of Two

The following story has been adapted from the personal account of Kay Eva, the founder of STITCHES OF HOPE, an Australian women, Believer, wife and mother of four.

I would love to share with you and your team, snippets of the exciting journey which has developed over many years and led to serving with a wonderful team of people and friends in Australia to empower and restore dignity to hundreds of people living in rural Cambodia.

As a teenager growing up on a farm in rural Western Australia, I belonged to a Christian Youth group. A visiting group spoke of their trip to a third world country and the flame was ignited in my heart, but my parents were against me being involved. Fast forward many years of a very happy marriage and four beautiful children, the desire to help others never left me. After my second child was married, I was diagnosed with ovarian cancer and held firmly onto the promises of God during my miracle healing.

God promised me I would not die, but live and proclaim His promises. Five years later 2004 I had the awesome opportunity to travel to Cambodia with a group of people from my Church. This was life changing and I was determined to give whatever I could to restore and rebuild broken dreams and lives in this war-torn country following the Pol Pot genocide of 1975 to 1979.

My commercial dressmakers certificate opened the door of opportunity to teach women and girls a skill that they desperately needed to enable employment and business opportunities. It was exciting times, traveling up to Cambodia twice a year for a month each time. I often took someone with me to help teach in a rural village, a Children's home in Phnom Penh and in the Women's prison in Kandal province. Women were now being employed and children had the opportunity to attend school.

To be continued...



Timothy Parson's sharing the Gospel with Ms. Kay (circa 2009)

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Parsons

Tim, hello and good afternoon, it is a pleasure to chat with you on this lovely Spring day. TIMBELLA FOUNDATION outreach and events are popping up everywhere. We are currently standing on site for our first ever, Earth Day "trash clean up," local outreach event here at Brecknock Park in Camden, DE. There is a Tre Sorelle Dulce Sweet Treat and jazz benefit to take place this Thursday, April 28th, as well as several upcoming events to take place within the local community.



Timothy visiting Assembly of God orphanage in Cambodia (circa 2008)



Timothy's outreach group at Southeast University (circa 2007)

So tell me, what one pivotal moment in your life inspired you to create TIMBELLA FOUNDATION?

When I was attending college at Southeast University, I was presented with the opportunity to partner with a homeless shelter in an effort to bridge the gap of need between students and the homeless shelter. It was then that I realized the absolute need, and as a result, switched focus from music and worship on the stage to worship with our hands and feet. Being Jesus in the community and sharing God's love.

We saw immense growth, from just three volunteers to 300 monthly. This completely changed my perspective and calling, at large.

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What is your vision for the future of TIMBELLA FOUNDATION, both locally and globally?

Based on our mission statement, of which is two fold, first, that every child deserves the opportunity to shine on stage no matter what hardship they are facing. The second, to change the world by helping others succeed. To combine both together, my greatest dream and goal is to use the music and arts community to cultivate a group of people that have the same common core goal of sharing God's love locally (i.e., homeless shelters) and globally through local and global outreach (i.e., Stiches of Hope).



Timothy visiting his orphanage that he grew up in (circa 2008)



Timothy pictured at Code Purple local outreach event with CP president, Ennio Emmanuel (April 4, 2021)

I wanted to take a moment to speak on your involvement with local non-profit, CODE PURPLE. For those that do not know, CP is an organization that provides education, housing solutions, resources, counseling, and guidance to those in need

How did you initially become involved with CP and what is your role at present?

There was a need for a business developer to grow the organization through partnership with companies and donors of that sort. Originally, it was simply to update their website. I have a digital marketing company, so we were able to help them in that regard.

Our first partnership was my "birthday," two years ago. Rather than going out to eat at a restaurant, I host a birthday fundraiser. For that particular year, I used the funds raised to purchase 100 beds for CP. We have collaborated on several projects since, including grant writing and an Easter benefit.

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**Lastly Tim, what lasting remark
would you leave with someone
who has or who currently feels led
to become involved locally and/or
globally?**

I would encourage *you* to take the first
step by getting involved in one of our
outreaches. We host a once monthly
mission's meeting (please see
"EVENTS" section of this newsletter).

I have a life statement that I live by:
What if three hours can change
someone's eternity?

Start with just an hour, and see how
you enjoy the experience, because
ultimately, what we do is greater than
us.



Timothy in a group photo the day he was
adopted in 1990.

EVENTS

DATE: 1ST SUNDAY OF MAY
TIME: 5:00PM
LOCATION: RSVP FOR LOCATION

If you're interested in learning, supporting, and/or joining the Cambodia mission trip for November 2020, we encourage you to join us each first weekend of the month at 5:00 PM, for our monthly Cambodia team meeting. Our next meeting will be held Sunday, May 1st 2022. Kindly RSVP (302) 317-1490.

DATE: SAT., MAY 7TH 2022
TIME: 2:00 PM
LOCATION: DOVER PLACE, 1203 WALKER ROAD, DOVER DE 19904
Private event

A private elderly outreach event will be held at the Dover Place assisted living home on Saturday, May 7th, as a way to brighten, enlighten and entertain the senior citizens within our local community.

See attachments at the end of this newsletter.

DATE: THURS., MAY 12TH 2022
TIME: 10:00-11:00 AM
LOCATION: BRECKNOCK PARK, CAMDEN

Mommy & Me Missions with
TIMBELLA FOUNDATION

A gathering of mamas that have heart for local and global missions. The first half of our gathering will be to clean our park and the second half to gather, converse, and let our kiddos play on the playground. Kindly RSVP (302) 317-1490.

DATE: SAT., MAY 14TH 2022
SUN., MAY 17TH 2022
TIME: 7:00 PM & 2:00 PM
LOCATION: IN-STUDIO THEATRE, 522 OTIS DRIVE, TUDOR PARK

TIMBELLA PRODUCTION in partnership with The Dance Conservatory presents the "Classics & More," from the ballet PAQUITA to an exploration of mythological themes in OF GODS AND MORTALS, with special guest Izabella Parsons, world renowned violinist.

A music and dance tribute to the people of Ukraine.

To purchase tickets to attend please visit: [eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com).

EVENTS

DATE: THURS., MAY 17TH 2022
TIME: 7:00-9:00 PM
LOCATION: 20 BALTIMORE AVE.,
REHOBATH BEACH

TIMBELLA PRODUCTION in partnership with Clear Space Theatre Company presents the "Arts for Peace" a rendition on The Dance Conservatory's "Classics & More," from the ballet PAQUITA to an exploration of mythological themes in OF GODS AND MORTALS

With special guest Izabella Parsons, world renowned violinist.

A music and dance tribute to the people of Ukraine.

To purchase tickets to attend please visit:
<http://www.clearspacetheatre.org/>

DATE: THURS., MAY 21ST 2022
TIME: 4:00 PM & 7:00 PM
LOCATION: NEW CITY CHURCH, 761
S LITTLE CREEK ROAD, DOVER DE
19901

TIMBELLA PRODUCTION in partnership with The Dance Conservatory presents "The Joys of Being a Kid" Musical Theatre Showcase. Songs and dances from Peter Pan, Mary Poppins, and Matilda.

To purchase tickets to attend please visit: <http://Timbella.com/musical>

WHAT WE'VE BEEN UP TO

Earth Day "Trash Clean Up" at Brecknock Park

The TIMEBELLA FOUNDATION global mission's coordinator, Becky Anderson, organized a "trash clean up" effort in light of Earth Day on Saturday, April 23rd at local park, Brecknock Park, in Camden, DE.

Awe inspiring and successful. Volunteers from the community, along with TIMBELLA FOUNDATION, hauled several large garbage bags from the park (adults and children alike!).



TIMBELLA FOUNDATION members



TIMBELLA FOUNDATION Global Missions Coordinator, Becky Anderson, husband, Marc and son, Salvatore.

"Sweet Treat" Family & Friends Jazz Benefit at Tre Sorelle Dulce

The "Sweet Treat" fundraising event organized and held by TIMBELLA FOUNDATION on Thursday, April 28, 2022, surely attracted a crowd, as locals within the community gathered for handmade, gourmet ice cream, tasteful jazz, mini golf, and raffle prizes.

The first of its kind, the TIMBELLA FOUNDATION raised several hundred dollars for Ukraine relief and Cambodia support.

WHAT WE'VE BEEN UP TO

ENCOURAGING GOAL UPDATE

We want to thank our sponsors, donors, family, friends, and local community for their support and donations. Without you, none of this would be possible.

UKRAINE

We have thus far been blessed to receive upwards of \$4,000 (of our \$10,000 goal) for Ukraine relief.

Your donations have and continue to bless Ukraine refugees as they migrate to shelter, covering the costs of transportation from the border to shelter, food, and again, shelter costs.



WHAT WE'VE BEEN UP TO

CAMBODIA

As for Cambodia, we have so far raised \$4,000+ (of our \$10,000 goal) for the Cambodia orphanage that we are directly supporting.

Donation money will be in total support of musical instruments (i.e., keyboards), equipment, and all necessities needed to build a summer camp. The Cambodia mission's team so far consists of seven members. You can visit Timbella.com/missions to learn more. If you would like to support the mission's team, please contact Timothy, the founder, at (302) 492-5938 and/or Timbellamusic@gmail.com.

Additionally, if you feel led to join the founders network, a group of partners that make a monthly commitment to pray and contribute and support financially, please contact the founder Timothy, at the above number. Thank you again

DEAR EDITOR,

Dear Editor,



We encourage you to submit all questions that you may have surrounding our upcoming mission trip to Cambodia. Travel? Team member concerns? Culture-related questions?

Send questions to
Timbellamusic@gmail.com (302) 492-5938,
to have answered in our April issue.

FLYER ATTACHMENTS



In partnership with



The Dance Conservatory
Official School of The Ballet Theatre of Dover

Presents

"THE JOYS OF BEING A KID"


MUSICAL THEATER SHOWCASE

New City Church | May 21 Show Times at 4pm & 7pm
761 S Little Creek Rd, Dover, DE | Tickets at [Timbella.com/musical](https://www.timbella.com/musical)

Songs and Dances From...



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BALLET THEATRE OF DOVER
presents

**Classics
& More**

From the ballet PAQUITA
to an exploration of
mythological themes in
OF GODS AND MORTALS

**SAT, MAY 14, 7 PM
SUN, MAY 15, 2 PM**

**IN-STUDIO THEATRE
522 OTIS DRIVE, TUDOR PARK**

**TICKETS \$15 ADULTS
\$12 SENIORS & STUDENTS**


Available at [eventbrite.com](https://www.eventbrite.com)

For more info, call (302) 734-9717

**A Music and
Dance
TRIBUTE
to the people
of Ukraine**

Ms. Parsons was a
member of ALIZMA,
a violin trio, who
played for the
Grammys and toured
internationally

A portion of receipts
goes to TIMBELLA
FOUNDATION for
refugee assistance
to the Ukraine



FLYER ATTACHMENTS

The flyer is set against a background of a passport cover with a blue globe and a white airplane. The title 'Passport Performing Arts Camp' is written in large blue letters over the globe. The Timbella logo is in the top right. A white box in the top left contains the text 'The Dance Conservatory Official School of The Ballet Theatre of Dover'. The main text 'TRAVEL THE WORLD WITH VOICE, DANCE, THEATRE MONDAY-FRIDAY 8AM-4PM' is in blue. Below this, six Disney movie logos are arranged in two rows, each with a region and dates. A white box at the bottom contains registration details.

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**TRAVEL THE WORLD WITH VOICE, DANCE, THEATRE
MONDAY-FRIDAY 8AM-4PM**

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Clear Space Theatre & Timbella Foundation
presents



Izabela
Parsons
violinist



ARTS FOR PEACE
A BENEFIT FOR UKRAINE
An Evening of Classical Music & Dance to Benefit
UKRAINIAN Refugee Efforts
MAY 17, 7 PM

**Clear Space Theatre
Company**
20 Baltimore Ave, Rehoboth Beach

Tickets \$ 25.00
Order at www.clearspacetheatre.org
(302) 227-2270



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Global Missions 2022

Timbella Foundation is making efforts to raise funds to support the **Ukraine Emergency Relief**

Quote from the Founder:

" We are working with my wife's, Bella, family to rescue the families in need. We are truly blessed to have them stop their general business operations to help those in need. While we do have churches in Poland helping with some of the cost, there is much help we need to give them!

Thanks from the bottom of our hearts for your amazing heart to give! Together we can change the world for the Kingdom of God."

- Timothy Parsons, CEO & Founder



Ukraine

Timbella Foundation (TF) is currently working hand-in-hand with a hotel in Poland that is housing Ukraine refugees, providing basic needs. This hotel is close and dear to the CEO and Founder of Timbella Foundation due to it being owned by his inlaws. TF set the goal of reaching \$10,000 to aid in the Ukraine crisis. On the first day of the Emergency Relief launch, \$3000 was raised! The amount in it's entirety was sent the first week of April. Please consider helping aid Ukraine through Timbella Foundation's efforts.

NEEDS: Funds go toward...

Bunk Beds Food Water
Emergency healthcare needs
And More...



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