



**SPORTDISCIPLINE™**

Discipleship – Sport Leagues – Community Service – Feeding Program – Medical – Powerlifting – Job Creation – Education

**We want to thank all of our sponsors** for another amazing year in 2018. Thousands of children and adults were loved, fed, mentored and healed both physically and spiritually!

Through your committed, selfless contributions God has blessed Sport Disciple and our family with the ability to serve so many. We are ready to do **even more** in 2019!

**We are excited to share the following 2018 accomplishments:**

**3,110**

Children and adults participated and mentored in free, year-round programs.

**175,000**

Protein and nutrient dense meals served to participants, orphanages and the community.



**1,000+**

Pairs of cleats and balls donated.

**86**

People like you visited Haiti on mission trips to volunteer with Sport Disciple.

**1,400**

Students received free physical education classes, mentoring and discipleship from 12 Haitian coaches at local schools.

**9**

Major community events including soccer tournaments, a powerlifting championship, and youth church programs.

**230**

Physicals provided by visiting medical teams.

**14**

Jobs created for local contractors.



**100**

Elderly Haitians received weekly food, help with chores, and love from Sport Disciple players.

**38**

Students were provided the means to continue their education.



**1,670**

Lessons in discipleship, leadership, conflict resolution, health and personal hygiene.

**5,120**

Haitians received medical care from our onsite clinic, as well as transportation and financial support for medical procedures facilitated by our advocate assistance program. Procedures included: hernia repairs, orthopedic surgeries, sonograms, X-rays, CT scans, C-sections, physical therapy, and TB/HIV/STD testing and treatment, etc.

**50+**

Haitians employed and providing for their families and community stimulus.

**30**

Haitian staff trained in family preservation, reunification and orphan prevention.



**10,000+**

Hours of community service performed by players serving the elderly.



**Is it working?** This is the first time since we started the Sport Disciple program that we've documented numbers. I'm going to be honest with you, when you are focused on the child in front of you, you don't think about the numbers. You think about that child. I guess based on the numbers it looks like we actually help a lot of people. It looks impressive (at least to me) but I guess I'm never going to care about the numbers. I'm going to continue to care about each child in front of me.

This summer we had a small rash of thefts; soccer cleats and balls kept disappearing. To say I was disappointed is an understatement. I even asked myself "is it working?" The coaches were just as disappointed. We didn't have any plausible ideas of how to stop it. Richy, our Haitian Director, and I went to the office and prayed about our problem and its frustrating challenges. As we lifted our heads, there were three little boys standing in front of us with a soccer ball. The one in front said that he and his friend saw the third boy playing with the ball in their neighborhood. They told him it was a Sport Disciple ball and that he shouldn't have stolen it. They explained to him that he needed to bring it back and ask forgiveness and not to steal. I turned



to the boy who they said stole the ball and asked him if this was true. He said "yes" and apologized. I thanked him for doing the honorable thing by bringing back the ball and asked him if he would like to stay in the program. He said "Yes, please." Richy and I both told him we loved him, we forgive him and he is always welcome here. We also told the other two boys we were proud of their leadership and all shared a big hug. As soon as they walked away, Richy and I both cried.

Is it working? Yes. Do the stats look good? Absolutely! Will we continue to focus on each child in front of us instead of the stats? Always.

Carrie and I want to offer a HUGE "thank you" to the hundreds of sponsors who have provided the means to accomplish so much. Your love and support has been literally life changing!

*Barrett*

We couldn't do what we do without people of faith and compassion like you who keep stepping forward to be part of this great cause.

**Please continue to support Sport Disciple by becoming a monthly donor (the backbone of our ministry) or making a tax-deductible gift today.**

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