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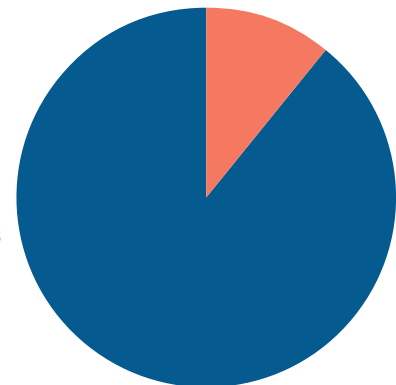
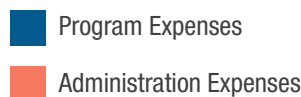
Thank you for your generous support. As Transforming Futures looks forward to 2021, we would like to pause for a moment to thank you for your support in 2020. Your contributions allowed us to continue transforming the lives and futures of thousands of children in need in Guatemala. 2020 was a challenging year for the world and we were not an exception. The restrictions implemented by the Guatemalan government to prevent the spread of Covid-19 affected our operations.

Despite these restrictions and lock down, here is a summary of the things we have been able to accomplish in 2020.

This report presents the main achievements in 2020 of Transforming Futures.

### FINANCIAL SUMMARY

In 2020, for every \$1 you donated to Transforming Futures, \$0.89 was used for program expenses and \$0.11 for administration expenses.

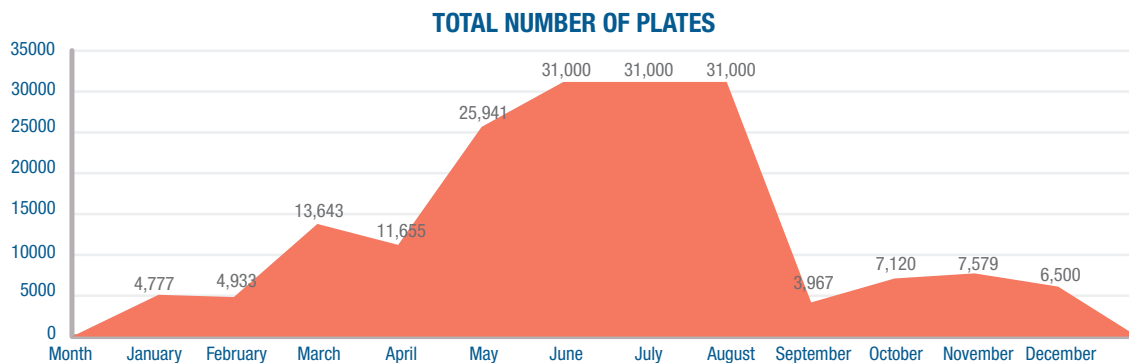


### PROGRAMS

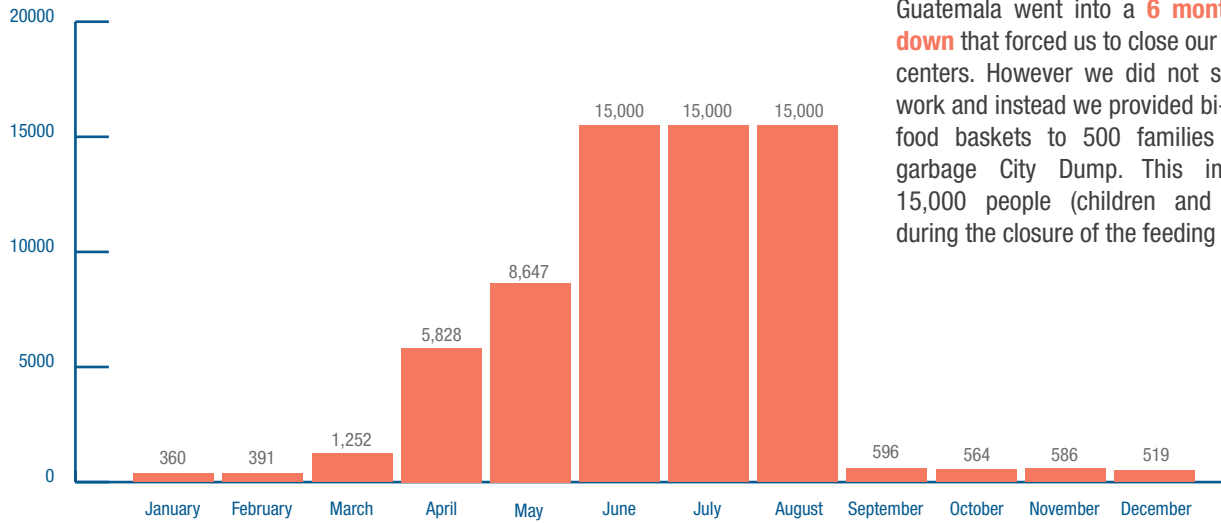
#### 1. NUTRITION

##### Data summary:

Data Collector: In 2020, an online system was created to update real time information from the Feeding Centers. Data includes menu, plates served, and days that the locations are open. As a result, 2020 was the first year that Transforming Futures had real time data to make decisions and to communicate impact to supporters.

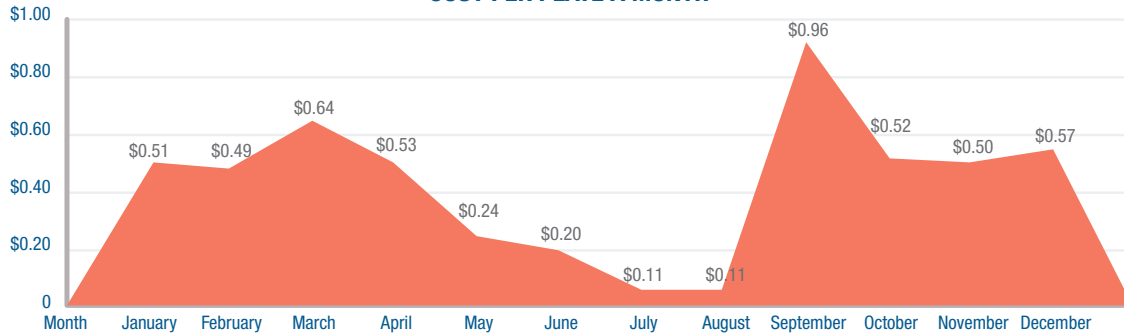


### AVERAGE PLATE PER DAY



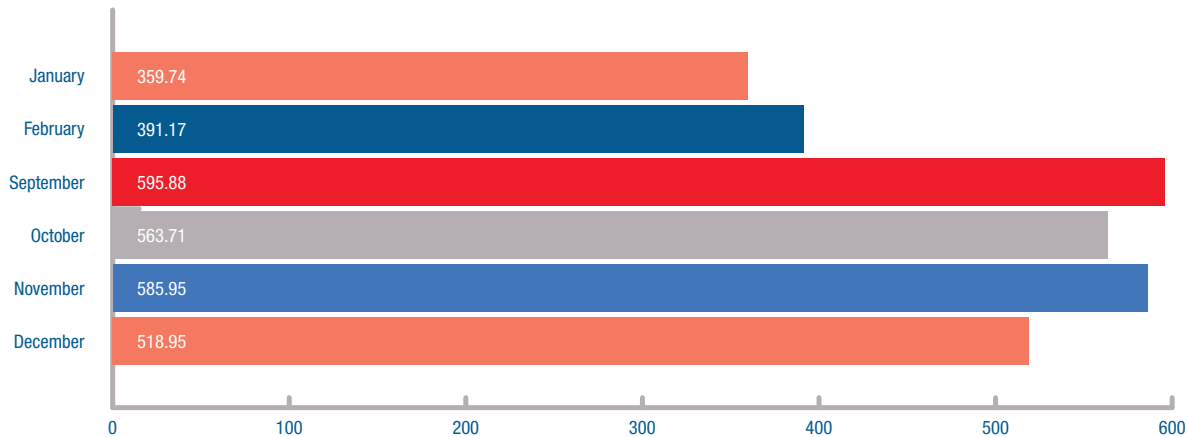
Guatemala went into a **6 month lock down** that forced us to close our feeding centers. However we did not stop our work and instead we provided bi-weekly food baskets to 500 families at the garbage City Dump. This impacted 15,000 people (children and adults) during the closure of the feeding center.

### COST PER PLATE A MONTH

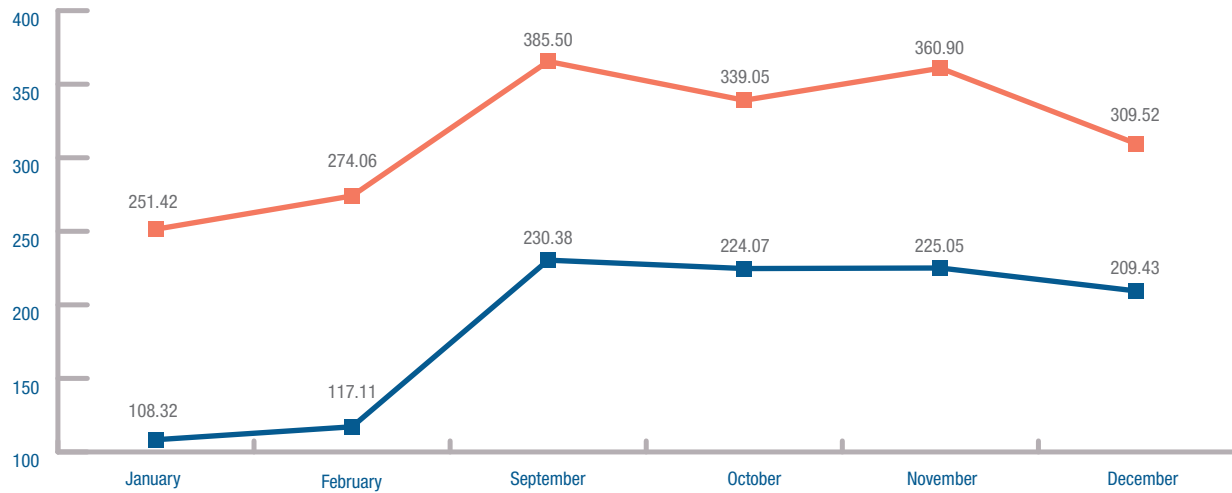


The following graphs show the average plates served per month, when the doors of the feeding center were opened:

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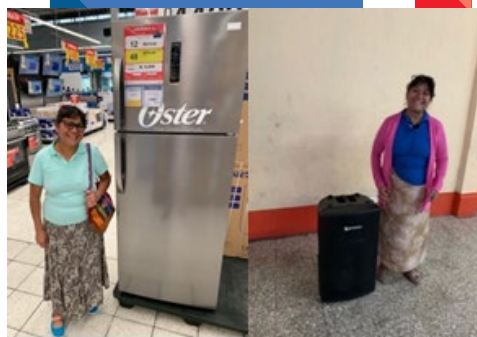
## FEEDING CENTER 1 (FC1) AND FEEDING CENTER 2 (FC2)



## REPAIRS AND EQUIPMENT

### NEW CLASSROOM

The second classroom was remodeled for the educational program. This classroom will allow Transforming Futures to provide general education, English, and computer classes.



New refrigerator, speaker, and microphone was purchased to provide daily devotions to children from the feeding center.

A water project was executed to provide running water to the facilities. In addition, a handwashing station was installed to support children from the educational program and a new stove was purchased.



## FOOD DONATIONS

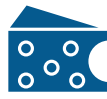
In 2020, Transforming Futures receive the following donations from local food companies.



**\$1,000.00** in pork meat from the biggest food company in Guatemala.



Donation **3,412** bags of healthy (Simply 7)chips.



Donation of cheese from the second biggest retail store in Guatemala.



Donation of tamales from a food company.



**600+** eggs donation was provided by an egg company.

Transforming Futures will continue to build relationships with food companies in Guatemala to provide more sustainability to our nutrition program.

## EDUCATION

In 2020, Transforming Futures supported 20 children with school material for remote education. Due to school shut down, TF continued supporting children from the educational program. In addition, new school supplies were purchased for 25+ children to start their school year. The program focused on 1st graders and aimed at providing school supplies, tutoring, food and spiritual formation from Pastor Mercedes.



## NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Our new elementary school and community sport court began construction in October 2020. The construction is 25% complete and is expected to finish 3Q, 2021.

## TRANSITIONAL PROGRAM FOR ORPHANS:

THINKING OUTSIDE THE BOX



The Guatemalan government has shown an interest in partnering with TF through a Legal Agreement aimed at helping young orphans during their transition into adulthood.

# 2021

A pilot program will initiate in 2021.



A potential candidate to initiate the program has been identified.

## ADMINISTRATION:



Transforming Futures held **9 board meetings** in 2020 to report and discuss main organization decisions.



Transforming Futures (TF) was registered at the Superintendencia de Bancos de Guatemala to implement a policy aimed at **preventing money laundering policy** and the funding of terrorism



Transforming Futures was **affiliated in Canada** through an agency agreement with “The Great Commission Foundation Canada”.



Transforming Futures hired **2 full time staff members** to support the feeding center and educational program in the Garbage City Dump.

## OTHERS:

### BAYER PROJECT:



A new kitchen and equipment were donated through a partnership with the Bayer company. In addition, we built a recreational area for the children.

We encourage you to continue supporting Transforming Futures in 2021 as we plan to expand our support to many more children in need in the garbage dump, the rural areas of Guatemala, and our new initiative to mentor and equip teen orphans in Guatemala.

## PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AND WAYS TO GET INVOLVED:



Pray for the health of the Transforming Futures' Team.



You can become a monthly donor and help us invest in the nutrition, education and development of children and orphans in Guatemala by visiting [www.transformingfutures.org](http://www.transformingfutures.org)



You can come on a Quick Trip to Guatemala! Participants will be exposed to some of the needs in Guatemala and have the chance to serve hundreds of children living in extreme poverty.



Transforming Futures now offers Guatemalan coffee in the United States. If you would like to order some contact us at [info@transformingfutures.org](mailto:info@transformingfutures.org)



President of Transforming Futures, Pablo Villagran was selected by a local news outlet as a member of a group of Guatemalans that are giving the extra mile for their Country. This visibility aims at providing more awareness and mobilize resources to Transforming Futures in Guatemala.

