



CHEEK TO CHEEK CONCERT

The evening of an elegant encounter of Jazz and Classical songs organized at Residence of the Dutch Ambassador H.E. Mr. Joan Boer and his wife, Mrs. Wendelmoet Boer-Schippers

A high-profile benefit concert with Classical and Jazz songs by mezzo soprano Liv Lange and jazz singer Athalie de Koning, with piano accompaniment by Paul Bebington. Fabulous wines and hors d'oeuvres sponsored by Fin-wine, a complimentary gift bag to take home, and an exciting live auction, all to support the LEAF foundation.



The evening begin with welcome wine from Netherlands by Fin-wine, welcoming speech by Ambassador Joan Boer, and followed by Cheek to Cheek concert performed by Liv Lange and Athalie de Koning inside the resident of Netherlands Ambassador before ending with live action: bid for a private concert at your resident, and all proceeds go directly to LEAF. All Vips guests were impressed with performances, and arrangement



LEAF Charity: Life Encounter Asia Foundation (LEAF) was founded by Dutch couple Dick and Johanna de Koning, who have been living and working in Thailand for more than 20 years. With this foundation, they give underprivileged people a second chance to achieve their dreams using an integrated approach of micro-financing, education, and coaching. In other words, LEAF gives small communities (families, tribes) a starting amount, but also provides education to help these communities learn how to spend the money wisely. By building a relationship with these communities through on-site coaching, LEAF can ensure that they continue to make wise decisions for their families long-term, both on a personal and financial level.



Example: Bee's family in the North of Thailand
Bee's family members are farmers, but they did not have money to buy tools to continue their farm. LEAF provided the money for their first two farming machines, and is now helping the family to set up a plan of how to become self-sustained. LEAF helped Bee to get an education as a school teacher, so she can make a basic income for the family while her husband works the land. LEAF continues to support this family by visiting their farm regularly and coaching them how to manage their finances and keep the family-work life balanced.