

RFL QUARTERLY REPORT #2

July 2026



**“It’s not how much we
give that counts, it’s
how much we care.”**

Summary

The second quarter of 2026 marked an important phase in the continued development of Rise for Life Foundation (RFL). While our first quarter focused on launching the Foundation and establishing our operating framework, this past quarter has been dedicated to strengthening the partnerships, processes, and governance arrangements that underpin our long-term impact.

RFL remains committed to its mission of expanding access to further education for underprivileged high school students in Thailand and supporting them through to securing meaningful employment. During the quarter, we made significant progress in formalising partnerships, enhancing student oversight, strengthening financial governance, and exploring sustainable funding opportunities.

During this period, 6 new students started the next stage of their education with the support of RFL, while 8 students continued with their studies. You can see our student list on the last page of the Report.

Key Accomplishments

Strengthening Our Partnership with Asia Center Foundation

Partnerships remain central to RFL's model of delivering meaningful and sustainable support to students. During the quarter, RFL signed a formal partnership agreement with Asia Center Foundation (ACF), building on the close collaboration that exists between our organisations. ACF will continue to play a vital role and work with our Selection Committee to identify suitable students for support. ACF will also work with our Follow-up Committee to provide ongoing follow-up support throughout the academic year. This ensures an efficient means to select and support students, and ensuring accountability and effective use of RFL funding.

Enhancing Student Follow-up and Evaluation

Fundamental to the philosophy that drives RFL, we recognize that supporting students requires more than financial assistance. Students require understanding of their progress, recognising challenges early, and ensuring they receive the support needed to succeed. With ACF, our Follow-up Committee developed and approved a structured process for monitoring and evaluating student performance, through regular evaluations of academic performance, attendance, wellbeing, and personal circumstances. This framework enables RFL to identify students who may require additional assistance and allows the Board to take timely action when appropriate.

Strengthening Financial Governance

The Board maintains a detailed multi-year financial plan designed to ensure that sufficient resources are available to support students through to the completion of their studies. By aligning projected funding requirements with

expected student commitments, RFL can assure students and their families of our support while maintaining financial resilience.

As the Foundation grows, strong governance and prudent financial management remain essential. During the quarter, RFL initiated a process to identify an independent audit firm to provide external oversight of the Foundation's financial reporting and governance practices. This initiative reflects RFL's commitment to transparency, accountability, and the responsible stewardship of donor funds.

Fundraising and Future Growth

Ensuring long-term sustainability requires the continual development of diverse and reliable funding sources. While individual donations and community fundraising events remain important components of the Foundation's approach, we now feel it is appropriate for RFL to approach corporate partners and sponsors and share our unique approach to supporting students' post-secondary education. Corporate partnerships have the potential to provide stable, long-term funding while also creating opportunities for mentoring, internships, employment pathways for students, as well as meaningful CSR engagements for groups of employees in Phuket.

Looking Ahead

As RFL evolves, our focus remains on balancing growth with discipline. The systems and partnerships developed during this quarter provide a strong foundation for expanding our support to more students while maintaining the accountability and quality that define our approach. Through the continued support of our partners, donors, volunteers, and community, we remain confident in our ability to create life-changing opportunities for young people and break the cycle of poverty through education.

Acknowledgements

RFL's continued progress would not be possible without the dedication of our volunteers, Board members, partners, sponsors, and supporters. We extend our sincere gratitude to Asia Center Foundation and to everyone who continues to contribute their time, expertise, and resources in support of our students and our mission.

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