

Mr. Paul Bernhard Otto



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History

1967 to 1979 ; Attended St John's Lutheran Primary School and Concordia College.

1979 to 1981 ; Apprenticed to Acromat Sports Equipment as a Structural Steel Welder.

1981 to 1988 ; Worked for various tourist companies operating passenger cruise vessels on the Murray River in South Australia.

1984 ; Attained my Master Class 4, River Boat Masters Certificate of Competency

1989 to 1990 ; Operations Manager of the cruise vessel "Proud Sydney" on Sydney Harbor, New South Wales, Australia.

1991 to 2000 ; founded the environmental tourism business "Murray River Educational Nature Tours" providing environmental tourist products and education to passengers travelling on various cruise vessels on the Murray River in South Australia.

2000 ; Travelled to Cambodia for 5 weeks volunteer work for Sunrise Children's Village, Saang District. I returned to Cambodia to do further volunteer work in 2003 and again in 2007.

2001 ; Became a board member of the Australia Cambodia Foundation .

2000 to 2009 ; I continued to operate Murray River Educational Nature Tours and opened "Illawonga Camp", an environmental education program for school children. The camp accommodates up to sixty children for three day camping programs. In 2008 approximately 3,000 school children visited Illawonga Camp. I sold Murray River Educational Nature Tours to a friend who continues to operate the very successful Illawonga Camp program. During this period, I also worked for the Murray Darling Basin Commission as part of the environmental education program "Murray Mysteries". I hosted Teacher Professional Development programs in conjunction with the South Australian Department of Education and provided field excursions for University students studying environment and cultural tourism.

2009 to 2010 ; I took a year off work to build a 15 meter paddle steamer with my father.

2008 ; I commenced planning and design work for the development of Sunrise 3, Sihanouk Province, Cambodia.**2010** ; Relocated to Cambodia and started as a full time volunteer for Sunrise Children's Villages. My main responsibility was to continue planning for the construction of Sunrise 3, Ream, Sihanouk Province. During this period I supervised major building and renovation works at Sunrise 1, Saang District, Kandal Province and at Sunrise 2 at Siem Reap.

2011 ; Relocated to Sihanouk Province to manage the construction of Sunrise 3.

2012 to present ; Founded AllKids and was nominated Country Director.