

OK College to help Ethiopia

SIFE (Students in Free Enterprise) Okanagan College are embarking on a new social enterprise that will offer those seeking adventure with a conscience the opportunity to visit Ethiopia and make a

difference in the process.

Says Matthew Cosar, co-organizer "We wanted to offer people a sustainable and engaging way to travel the world."

A key part of the trip is to visit an elementary

school library that the participants will support a community in building.

In Ethiopia, there are no public libraries outside of the capital and schools have few if any books.

Says Nicole Rustad, a long-time volunteer with Partners In The Horn of Africa, the charity whose projects the tour will be visiting: "There is nothing like celebrating with the kids of a community the completion of a project that will change their lives."

To learn more about this opportunity there will be a half hour information night at the Kelowna campus of Okanagan College in Room E107 in the Centre for Learning on Thursday, Feb. 4.