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MARY'S MEALS WILL BE FEATURED COMMUNITY STORY AT GLOBAL SALESFORCE 2022 NONPROFIT SUMMIT

Charity brings hope to 2.2+ million school children every day in 20 countries



Mary's Meals' founder Magnus MacFarlane-Barrow with students at school sponsored feeding program in Haiti. Young students cheering before school lunch.

What: Global charity Mary's Meals will be one of two featured community stories during the 2nd annual worldwide Salesforce Nonprofit Summit taking place online May 17-18, 2022.

Who: Magnus MacFarlane-Barrow, founder and CEO of [Mary's Meals](https://www.marysmeals.org), will share the inspiring story of Mary's Meals and growing a global movement to help end world hunger.

Mary's Meals is an international school feeding charity serving more than 2.2+ million children every day in 20 countries. Since 2002, Mary's Meals has provided children with a nutritious daily meal in their place of education. This simple solution to help end world hunger also enables children to earn an education that can help break the cycle of poverty.

Magnus MacFarlane-Barrow is the 2015 CNN Hero of the Year and is the Sunday Times best-selling author of the book, [*The Shed That Fed Two Million Children*](#).

When: Magnus MacFarlane-Barrow will open the Main Stage of the Salesforce 2022 Nonprofit Summit on Tuesday, May 17 at 8am PT/11am ET.

Mr. MacFarlane-Barrow will join Lorraine Orr, COO of the US-based community organization Boys & Girls Club of America, as one of only two featured community stories in this international Nonprofit Summit.

About: This summit is a free virtual event and will offer 28 sessions from May 17-18 in areas such as growing and managing a nonprofit, harnessing data, marketing and fundraising.

Mr. MacFarlane-Barrow will join renowned speakers such as journalist Soledad O'Brien, nonprofit

expert Joan Garry, and chef and humanitarian José Andrés among other nonprofit leaders.

Where: Registration is free and open at salesforce.org.

Quote: “We have seen repeatedly that the provision of a daily school meal really can transform the lives of the poorest children by meeting their immediate need for food, while also enabling them to enter the classroom and gain the education that can be their escape from poverty,” says Magnus Macfarlane-Barrow.

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About Mary’s Meals

Now in its 20th year, [Mary’s Meals](https://marysmeals.org) is a global movement that sets up school feeding programs in some of the world’s most vulnerable communities, where conflict, poverty and hunger often prevent children from gaining an education. Mary’s Meals works with in-country volunteers to provide one daily nutritious meal in a place of learning to attract children into the classroom to receive an education. This simple solution to help end world hunger also enables children to lift themselves from the cycle of hunger and poverty.

Mary’s Meals began by feeding 200 children in Malawi in 2002. Today, the organization feeds 2,279,941 hungry children every school day across five continents in the following countries: Benin, Ecuador, Ethiopia, Haiti, India, Kenya, Lebanon, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Myanmar, Niger, Romania, South Sudan, Syria, Thailand, Uganda, Yemen, Zambia and Zimbabwe. For more information about Mary’s Meals, visit marysmealsusa.org. Follow Mary’s Meals USA on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/marysmealsusa), [Instagram](https://www.instagram.com/marysmealsusa), or [Twitter](https://twitter.com/marysmealsusa).

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