Host Tip Sheet

Here are a few helpful items for you as a host:
1. Template host emails
2. Host Script
3. A list of our most common FAQs (we recommend viewing in advance)

Template Emails

Invitation

Dear friends,
As you may know, I’m involved with a non-profit organization called Many Hopes that rescues children from slavery and abuse, and equips them to become adults able to rescue others. They are one of the most high-impact and transparent organizations that I know (so much so that 100% of all donations go directly to rescue and education because a private foundation sponsors all of their “overhead”).

They released a short (18-minute) film this year and I think it’s so good that I’m hosting a screening and dinner/cocktail event and would love to have you join. The details are:
• Date
• Location
• Time

Will you join me? Kindly reply by XX/XX.
Gratefully,
Sarah

P.S. – You can see a short preview of the film here.
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TEMPLATE EMAILS

Follow Up

Dear friends,
Thank you so much for joining me last night. I hope that you left with a better understanding of why I am so passionate about the work of Many Hopes. As I mentioned last night, there are a few ways you can get involved:

1. Join me as a member of The Rising at $20/month, or whatever you would like. Join us here: manyhopes.org/rise/
2. Host your own screening for your friends (I can help!)
3. Share the film with your friends and family: manyhopes.org/therising

Ask me anything.

Gratefully,
Graeme

HOST SCRIPT SAMPLE

• Welcome, my name is Graeme and Thank You for being here. I’m involved with Many Hopes because … Tonight you’ll hear a little about the work we’re doing around the world and how you might be involved.
• (If you’re hosting a dinner it can help to have some table discussion questions to get the evening started. Here are a few of our favorites:

  • What was your first job?
  • Who is one person that opened a door for you in life that you wouldn’t otherwise have had access to?
  • What do you see as the greatest philanthropic need?
  • Have you ever been involved with a charity before? If so, what did you do?