

EBENEZER CHILDREN'S MINISTRY QUARTERLY REPORT, JANUARY TO MARCH 2023

Introduction

Ebenezer children's Ministry was founded to contribute to improved wellbeing of vulnerable children through care and support. Giving health, education, spiritual grooming and livelihood Ebenezer's unique intervention has caused a smile not only to the children but the guardians and community at large.

Children's Home

I would like to report that courtesy of support from Friends, Partners, and Well-wishers, we were in position to support with minimum basics as per our strategic work plan, the country suffered double digit inflation which saw the prices of basics rise up. Despite of such inflation surge, the ministry was able to provide the required basics in a rationing manner.



Ebenezer home children;

Health Care

There has been a serious outbreak of malaria in Kibuku district of about 57% of the population that visit the healthcare are positive to malaria. However we have managed to acquire some medications for the pupils who were affected, we do thank God for the divine healing towards them. We have managed to get some mosquito nets from the Man up and Go team that visited and from some friends and this need is well met.

We are sure that with the procurement of the mosquito nets will help to reduce the malaria infection among our children.



Children receiving mosiquito Nets

Schooling

The school reopened on 10th Jan 2023 for candidate to have holiday studies and this was to enable them cover up most topics so as to have enough time to do revision for their final papers.

Thank you Hope GraftedIn for the school fees towards our boarding children.

All our children are in school and doing well in class except Shanati who is waiting to Join in June



Ebenezer School in Session

The P.L.E results for the 2022 candidates came out on 27th Jan, 2023 and I therefore report to you that out of the 44 candidates who sat for their final examination, we managed to register 13 first grades and 31 second grades with a one Gabiri Bruhan emerging among the best pupils in the district with 8 aggregates in 4 subjects.



Bruhan among the best kids in Uganda

Also we had our girl Scovia join The Suubi Centre for her skilling program, we are thankful to God for Scovia that after this course she will be able to implement what she has learnt



Scovia at the Suubi Center.

Some of our other children also managed to sit for their Uganda certificate of education papers 2022. They all managed to excel well. The best was Shanati Namugaya Nzirani with 21 aggregates in 10 subjects. She is soon joining the nursing course.



Shanati got first Grade

Fish pond.

The school ministry has one fish pond, we thank all friends, partners, well-wishers for the finances used to excavate the ponds and purchasing the fingerlings. The establishment of the pond was to generate income for the school and extra proteins for children. About 3000 fish was

excavated, we harvested 2000 fish due to un expected death, out of 2000 fish harvested, we managed to sell out about 1000 fish at an average price of 4000/= per piece. The remaining 1,000 fish harvested was used for feeding the children and staff so as to improve in health of the children.

The money obtained from fish selling was used to acquire some 1000kgs of maize flour at a cost of 2,400/= and 300kgs of beans at a cost of 4,500/= and the balance was used in purchasing ingredients such as cooking oils, tomatoes, onions, curry powder and so on.



Fishing farming at school

Current Needs

- We have a Need of **250 dollars** to get the maize seeds and fertilizer to use in the three and half acres of land the school has hired. To be used before end of April, 2023
- Shanti's schooling, in Kampala international university under nursing course will **630 dollars** per semester for 5 semesters which will all Cost **3150 dollars**.
- Scovia's contribution to The Suubi center inform of tuition and her requirement will cost. Tuition 69 dollars and 50 dollars for requirement totaling to 119 dollars per semester and she is to study for two semesters totaling to **234 dollars** to finish her course
- Purchase of sizable water tanks to harvest water for watering crops (Farming purposes), domestic consumption estimated to cost **USD 1550 dollars**
- Purchase of scholastic materials, school requirements for the orphans and the needy, it is estimated to cost **USD 400 for term two**
- Registration fees for Ebenezer kids who will be seating the National exams this year, Muhammad , Ambrose, Fred O at senior six , Kenneth, Diana, Rebecca , Hussein , Saadi Bashir, will be sitting for primary Seven will all cost **440 dollars** needed by end of April, 2023.

PRAYER NEED FOR PR .GEORGE AND SYLVIA:

Pray with us to raise **18,000 dollars** that we are able to construct a permanent home in kibuku. For the last 10 years we have been hiring and every year that passes by the hire

/rent Fees increases. Instead of paying more **2000 dollars** for next year we ask you kindly to pray and stand with us to raise the required amount.

We plan to have an extra bed room to accommodate two other guests whenever they come by, we have also considered our extended Ebenezer family, where some kids may need special attention and care so they are required to live with us.

Thank you.

In service: Pr.kooli George