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**ANNUAL REPORT 2016.**

The year 2016 has been good and Child2Youth Foundation continued to work towards providing a supportive and improved livelihoods to needy children, youth, families and rural communities through Education Child Sponsorship, Community Development, Water and Sanitation and Health programs. Indeed we have managed to register success stories in all the four areas.

- i) **CHILD SPONSORSHIP:** This is the major program with sponsored children from Nursery to Vocational Institutions and Universities. All the sponsored children ended the year very happy as were provided with the scholastic materials needed for their successful education. They got text books, exercise books, uniforms, shoes and tuition was paid



Happy and optimistic sponsored children singing



Jalia Nabatte c-f-1-0648 is also happy with her exercise books and shoes.



Eseza Nabayego c-f-1-0673 with her exercise books.



Esther Kigongo c-f-1-0702 and Grace Nampijja c-f-1-0705 also happy with exercise books and shoes.



Richard Kulumba c-f-1-0647 happy with his books and school uniform



Eric Sempala c-f-1-0651 with his shoes, exercise books and school uniform



Little Angels Primary School pupils very happy with their scholastic materials.



St. Josephs Namagunga High School students with their exercise books.



Liahona High School students with their exercise books and school uniforms.



Najja Educational Centre students with their exercise books.



God's Angel Primary School pupils happy with their school needs.



Kanonko Parents Primary school pupils happy with their shoes, uniforms and exercise books.



Buyomba Community Academy Primary school pupils happy with their scholastic materials.



St. Lwanga Secondary School students with their exercise books.



St. Lwanga Malongwe Technical students with their black books.





Eseza Nabayego c-f-1-0673 with her text books



St. Andrews Secondary School students with their text books



Edith, Daphine and Patience with their text books.



St. Joseph's Namagunga High School Advanced level Students after receiving text books



Liahona High School Students very happy with their text books



Liahona High School students with their text books.



Kanonko Parents Primary school pupils happy with text books.



St. Lwanga Secondary School students with their text books.



Lugasa Parents Primary school pupils happy with their text books



Light College students with their text books.



Najja Educational Centre sponsored students with their uniforms.

We thank God that most of the children were promoted to next classes though we had some few who repeated classes. Children also wrote end of year letters to their sponsors wishing them happy Christmas and New Year-2017 and thanking the sponsors for their financial and materials contribution towards their education and wellbeing in 2016.



Judith Akiki c-f-3-0160 writing end of year letter to her sponsors



Victor's Junior School Pupils writing end of year letters to their sponsors.

Kanonko Parents Primary school two permanent classrooms were constructed during the year. Grateful and thanks goes to TRUE Africa Sponsors.



The two classrooms foundation construction



The front part of the completed two classrooms.



The behind part of the completed two classrooms.



We had 11 students who graduated from Vocational Institutions (9) and Universities (2) in 2016, they are very much grateful for the love, care and support extended to them by their sponsors, TRUE Africa, R.E.A.CH International and Child2Youth Foundation organizations.



Moses Mujaasi c-f-3-0142 (Building) & Senku Silver c-f-1-0671(Motor Vehicle Mechanic) also graduated.



Sajjabi Yusuf c-f-2-0287 completed his electrical course



Joel Kazibwe c-f-1-0635 completed his building course



Nalwanga Victo c-f-2-0162 (with a microphone) graduated from University.

The sponsored children had their end of the year social day at St. Josephs High School, Namagunga. The theme for the social day was **“Skilling for Development”** where children were advised not only to focus on theoretical knowledge but also practical skills through attending Vocational Institutions which will enable them become job creators rather than job seekers. In addition to gaining counsels, also special gifts like clothes, food items, beddings, mosquito nets, goats and chicken were given to the children.



Kairu Nagib c-f-2-0607 of Uganda Christian University encouraging his fellow students to read hard



The Guest of honor giving out gifts to best performers(Nankabirwa Daisy c-f-2-0315 & Were Aksam

c-f-2-0185) in P.5



Allen Nabanaabi c-f-1-0630 and Sekibuule Michael c-f-1-0180 receiving their gifts for best performers in S.2.



Some children with their Christmas gift of chicken.



Another group with their chicken as a Christmas gift



Mukiibi Gift c-f-3-0151 of Kyambogo University with his bed sheets as a Christmas gift



Joan Namuziba c-f-1-129 with her bed sheets



Bruhan Kikomeko c-f-1-028T happy with his bed sheets

**RURAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT:** Achievements have been observed in beneficiaries especially those with poultry, cattle and goats in the areas of operation. There is reduction on poverty since products like milk, chicken are being sold to meet some basics of life for the families. Some members are paying fees for their children in time, completed their houses and bought clothes for their children after selling products from their animals.

However, the families are still handling issues like market research, quality, security, medication/health of the animals and birds, how to use by-products as manure to improve soil fertility for plant growth.

New members have been and will continue joining the projects through the famous *'give a goat', 'send a cow' and 'place a pig' schemes.*

Beneficiaries are also exchanging visits on different progressing farms where they exchange ideas on how to produce qualitative products, medications and vaccinations. Also sensitizing seminars to improve in productivities have been held and in Kyambogo community members formulated saving schemes.



Kyambogo Community members on training by Mr Kakonge Joel who is a Veterinary Doctor



Mr. Kalemba very happy with his cow donated to him by the Foundation



A farmer milking a cow





Kyambogo Community and Kikakanya women were also given sewing machines



A modern cow structure for zero grazing



A progressing woman with her goats



Visitors from US to the Foundation visiting one of the piggery project



- ii) **WATER AND SANITATION:** During this year, Buwooya SDA Primary School and St. Maria Goretti Girls Vocational Training Centre received Lined pit latrines from Organisation, the schools and surrounding communities are very happy for the gifts.



Above lined pit latrine construction going on and Global Education Agency volunteers actively participating in the construction. This Agency donated the funds for its construction.



The completed lined pit latrine being handed over to the school. The ceremony was done and witnessed by US visitors from Idaho, one of the visitors is preparing to cut the tape while Steven, Headmaster of the school and school children are looking on.



The Lined pit latrine which was handed over.



The Idaho team leader at the handing over receiving GEA certificate of appreciation from the Headmaster



Director (Foundation) receiving C2Y certificate of appreciation from the Headmaster.



Steven Ssenyonjo, Prof. Peter Ward from BYU, USA, Rev. Sister Mathias Mulumba and some students of St. Maria Goretti Girls Vocational Training Centre behind the donated and completed lined pit latrine



Also St. Maria Goretti Girls Vocational Training Centre received a donation of five sewing machines to boost the training of tailoring skills.



Lora Cook from US addressing the students moments before handing over the donated Sewing machines

Many people and schools are benefiting from this program. The safe drinking water which has been lacking in most communities has been provided. Improved sanitation has played a acritical role in controlling waterborne diseases especially in children.

In addition to the 12 spring wells which were constructed in the past, the thirteenth well was constructed at Kazansaya for the village and two primary schools.



Kazansaya village water source before its construction





Water source being constructed



The construction of the water source was funded by Judy and Farrell Brown, a very happy Judy Brown is standing on the constructed water source.



The completed water source, the day of its handing over to the village and schools. Lora Cook of Global Education Agency, USA and Steven Ssenyonjo, Director Child2Youth Foundation take water from the source.



Children ready to fetch water from the constructed water source

iii) **HEALTH: Sisters of St. Joseph Clinic, Kyambogo:** During the year, Out Patients Department (OPD) received 2,657 patients, 41 mothers came for Antenatal care and 16 delivery cases were registered. Most cases received were those having malaria, Arthritis, Ulcers, and respiratory tract infections.

Immunization is still going on at the clinic each month and a total of 216 children were immunized in 2016 where different types of vaccines were provided like for polio, DPT, Tetanus, Measles, BCG, Vitamin A and de-worming tablets.

In September 2016, a six days Health Camp headed by Dr. Peter Crane from Idaho, USA was organised and conducted in four rural communities of Kyambogo, Kikakanya, Buyomba and Buwolero near Jinja. General Health treatment of Malaria, Flu, Cough, Syphilis and Arthritis and Voluntary Counseling and testing were done during the camp period. The medicine and tools used in the camp and the reading glasses were donated by the US team.

In total 847 clients attended the Health Camp and 16 clients were referred to other Health centres for more thorough medical check up and medication.



Judy Brown, Nanduudu Zainah (*the girl treated of heart diseases using funds contributed by Dr. Peter Crane, Judy Brown and their team*), Kristy Crane and Dr, Peter Crane at the clinic



Steven chatting with some of medical volunteer team.



Judy Brown donating beads to the women



Teddy, the Nurse at the clinic with a Volunteer medicalmember giving out medicine



Dr. Peter Crane, Ronnie Kyambodde and a patient explaining her health problems



Judy Brown and other volunteer members



Medical Volunteers happy to be with children in one of the camps





In both photos, the donated medicine by the medical Volunteers



The medical Volunteers receiving lunch prepared by community members





A display of reading glasses



An eye patient trying the suitable reading glasses



Testing blood of the patient



Some medical volunteers with a patient





In both photos, medical volunteers with patients





In both photos, Dr. Peter Crane at work

- iv) **SPECIAL DONATIONS:** In support for its programs, Child2Youth Organisation received two motorcycles to ease the work especially in the fields. We thank so much the people who donated the funds for the motor cycles.



Some Children also received gifts from their donors like goats, a cow, beddings, food, shoes and clothes.



Abenakyo Siyab c-f-1-056T very happy with her clothes



Allen Nabanaabi c-f-1-0630 with her food



Uwiyeze Christine c-f-1-0733 with her mosquito Net



Judy Brown donated bags to these children



Nambi Naomi c-f-3-0176 with her clothes



Chrizestom Senyondo c-f-3-0190 with his food and beddings.





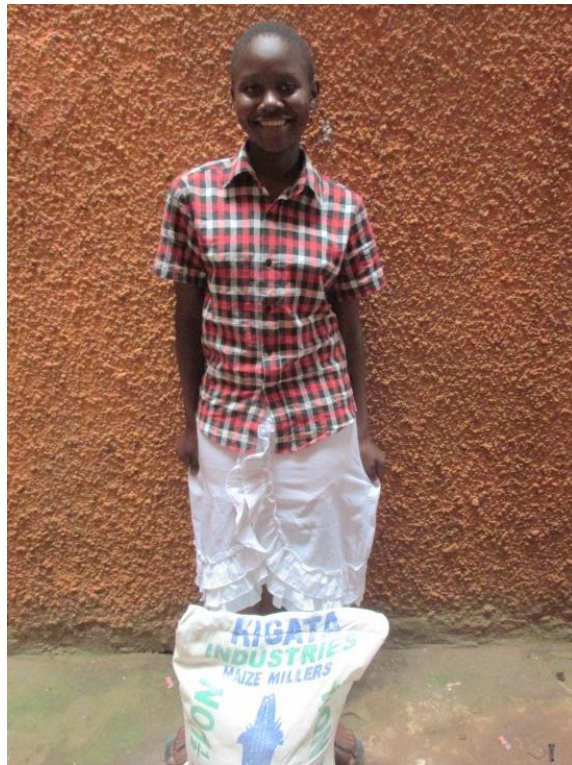
Gloria Nakimuli c-f-2-0182 happy with her beddings



Catherine Kirabo c-f-1-0715 happy with her goat



Regina Nassuna c-f-3-006T with her beddings.



Gorret Nabakooza c-f-1-0603 happy with her food



Ntale kirabo c-f-1- 0726 with his food



Mary Nantume c-f-3-0193 happy with her food



Elizabeth Nakalema c-f-1- 0723 with her clothes



Peace Nalumansi c-f-3-0194 with her clothes



Sophia Birungi c-f-2-0214 very happy with her clothes



Edith Nakyejjwe c-f-2-0168 with her clothes



Francisca Nambugo c-f-3-0150 with her beddings



Arnold Bbira c-f-1-0734 with his food and chicken



Arnold Bbira c-f-1-0734 with his pig



Nakigudde Zainah c-f-1-0720 happy with her goat

**VISITORS:** The Foundation first received students from BYU headed by Professor Peter Ward who visited some schools where children were trained in life skills. Also schools were donated with cartons of chalk, distilled water, soccer balls and books.



Prof. Peter Ward and his son visiting a home of a sponsored child

The Foundation also received a team Medical Volunteers from USA headed by Dr. Peter Crane and Judy Brown who were so much involved in Health and Child Sponsorship programs. These treated clients in different communities as elaborated above in health program.



Some of the visitors at Sezibwa falls.



## **ACHIEVEMENTS:**

- 12 sponsored children joined higher institutions of learning in August and others graduated this year.
- Most children are happy and serious with studies since they have known the value of sponsorship.
- Some communities currently have safe drinking water and two schools with lined pit latrines.
- Under community development, some beneficiaries are able to meet their basic needs since they sell out some and their products.
- Health program is expanding since there was a lot of support put in this year.
- Child Sponsorship program got some new sponsored children
- There is reduction on water borne diseases for areas with protected spring wells.

## **WAYFORWARD:**

- We are looking forward for more sensitization on impact of each program to beneficiaries.
- More counseling is to be extended to children on discipline and academic performance.
- More partnerships needed to be done with other Organizations in all programs .
- Empower households and communities to take greater control of their health by promoting health practices and life styles.
- More sensitization meetings are to be made for children and parents on especially the value for education.

## **CONCLUSION:**

Grate thanks still goes to all our stake holders who have made a positive change in children's' lives, their families and entire communities. May God reward you all.

