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Kanjanji Orphan Project

His heart, His hands, His little children

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Dear friends and family

The month of July was quite a hectic time for us here at Zamulimu with many children from the different schools as well as a group of friends from Pretoria, S.A. who came to install the next phase of the solar system. The solar system was kindly donated by the Rotary Club thanks to our dear friend, Les Blignaut, who was the major link in the chain! The big donation from Rotary also included two huge agricultural plastic tunnels for growing vegetables as well as another submersible pump which would make life so much easier for us! Tobie Vente and Pieter Bos were organizing the project with great help from Willie, Henry and his wife, Elsje. Maryna Vente must get a special thanks for she managed to keep everyone going with her great cooking! Gerhardt Fourie must also get a special mention for he came all the way from England to do the connection of the solar system as well as many other electrical stuff. Gerhardt, you have become part of the family in such a short time!

Tobie got thirty of the local people to help with the digging of holes and erection of the plastic tunnels. We also had to dig a great big well for housing the submersible pump which had to be lined with bricks and mortar.

A group of 16-mission students all the way from Kabwe, under the leadership of pastor David and his wife, Liz, also came to visit. The students were spreading the Gospel in the village with help from an amazing donation of soccer balls we received just two weeks prior to their visit from Manie du Toit's "Living Ball"-ministry from George, South Africa.

In the mean time we started a small pre-school at the

Above: Thank you ROTARY for the amazing donation for the project!
Below: Gerhardt Fourie came from the UK to help with the Rotary grant.!!

Liewe vriende en familie,

Die afgelope maand was lekker bedwrywig met 'n groot groep kinders van die skole af asook uitreikgroepe wat die volgende fase van die sonkragsisteem kom installeer het. Die sonkragstelsel is moontlik gemaak deur 'n groot donasie van die Rotariërs danksy ons ou groot vriend, Les Blignaut, daar in Engeland. Die donasie van die Rotariërs het ook twee groente-tonnels ingesluit asook 'n tweede sonkragdompelpomp wat ons lewens so veel makliker gaan maak. Tobie Vente en Pieter Bos was aan die stuur van die projek met hulp van oom Willie asook Henry en Elsje. Maryna Vente moet uitgesonder word met al die lekker kos waarmee sy ons aan die gang gehou het! Baie dankie Maryna!
Gerhardt Fourie moet uitgesonder word vir 'n spesiale dankie! Hy het al die padl van Engeland af gekom om die elektriese installasie en baie ander bedrading te kom doen. Gerhardt het in 'n kort tydjie baie diep in ons harte ingekruip.

Pieter en Tobie het dertig van die plaaslike mense indiens geneem om te help gate grawe en tonnels oprig. Daar moes ook 'n groot put op die walle van die rivier gegrawe en met stene uitgevoer word om die dompelpomp te huisves

'n Groep van sestien sendingstudente vanaf Kabwe, onder leiding van pastoor David en sy vrou, Liz, het ook gedurende hierdie tyd by Zamulimu kom besoek aflê. Die studente het gehelp om die evangelie te versprei met behulp van 'n wonderlike donasie van sokkerballe wat ons net twee weke vantevore van Manie du Toit, vanaf George, se "Living Ball"-bediening ontvang het.

Ons het intussen met 'n voorskoolse groepie begin by die Mutemwa skool wat een van ons nabygeleë

Mutemwa School, one of our local schools, with Likezo, one of our children, as the teacher with guidance from Betty Chirwa. We are using Crossroad's "Playprof"-system which makes use of materials found in nature all around us to teach the young ones.
We are also sponsoring fourteen small children from the Kanjanji Project attending the St Josephs Catholic pre-school at Lusu, the other school in our area.

Lastly we also want to congratulate two of our children with their teachers diplomas. Choolwe and William went all the way back to Kitwe were they received their diplomas at a diploma ceremony and while pa and ma could not attend the function we at least have some pictures. They have both been volunteering their services at the two local schools for the past year and many children are benefitting from that. We are very proud of these two boys and we want to thank everyone, involved in the project, yet again, for playing a part in securing a future for these two boys.

Prayer requests:

-We say thank you for the massive grant and the difference it is going to make in so many lives.
-We thank God for everyone praying for us.
-thanks to everyone involved with the container from England -packing and donating
-please pray for wisdom concerning the orphans.
-please pray for a Godly man to replace the retiring induna.

Love and blessings from the heart of Africa.

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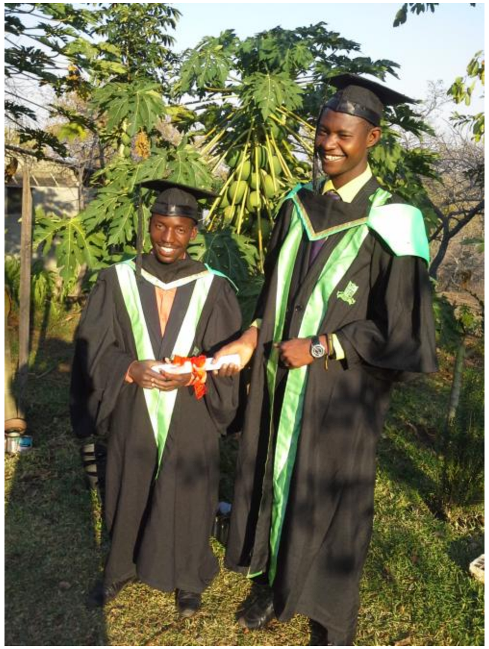
Above: Workers on the project received "Living balls"

Below: William and Choolwe graduated and are teaching at the base.



skooltjies is. Likezo, een van ons kinders, is die onderwyser en Betty is daar om leiding te gee. Ons gebruik Crossroad se "Playprof"-sisteem, wat baie van natuurlike materiale gebruik maak om die kindertjies te leer.
Intussen is daar nie minder nie as veertien klein kindertjies van die Kanjanji Projek in die St Josephs Katolieke voorskoolse groepie Lusu, die ander skool in ons opvangsgebied.

Laastens wil ons net vir twee van ons seuns baie geluk wens met hulle gradueering. Choolwe en William het hulle onderwysdiplomas op 'n deftige geleentheid in Kitwe in ontvangs gaan neem en alhoewel pappa en mamma dit ongelukkig nie kon bywoon nie, het ons darem heelwat foto's. Ons is baie trots op hulle twee. Hulle gee al heeljaar vrywilliglik onderwys by die twee plaalike skole. Hulle twee is net nog twee weeskinders wat deur die Kanjanji Projek 'n sport in hulle lewens bereik het wat andersins nie moontlik sou wees nie. Nogmaals dankie aan almal wat deel was en nog steeds is!!!

GEBEDSVERSOEKE
-Se saam dankie vir die groot donasie van Rotary wat soveel lewens gaan aanraak en verander.
-Baie dankie aan almal wat saam met ons bid.
-baie dankie ook aan almal wat deel het aan die krat wat van Engeland gestuur gaan word! - pak en skenk!
-bid asb.saam vir wysheid met die weeskinders.
-Bid asb. nogsteeds dat ons 'n goddelike man sal kry as nuwe induna.

Liefde en seën uit die hart van Afrika.

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