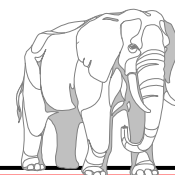


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According as recent years Dacha Malachi as treasurer of MES Committee informed us temporary about the financial status and results of the students. Because of illness Marijke and Bert Rieks this fall could not travel to Kenia. So from The Netherlands they supported MES members Kevince Odongo and Erick Mbuga. Kevince, as youth leader, regularly keeps in contact with MP's.

Erick Mbuga followed successfully course Financial Administration 1, provided by our adult education program. At the same time Donex Doxins joined the MES Committee. Former student Donex last year passed university successfully and is now English teacher at Agai Secondary school.

Thanks to a number new sponsors beginning 2016 we were able to add 8 children in our program. From now on we do not transfer anymore students of Kapmaso Secondary School. Because of increment of school fees we hereafter request the parents/guardians of the students to contribute in the study costs. The inflation in Kenia and the weak position of the Euro diminish our liquidity and therefore we had to conclude to rise the year contribution from € 250 to € 300. Fortunately our treasurer was able to take in all the outstanding sponsor money t/m 2015.

With the support of their sponsors James Ogola Omondi and Collines Kiplangat started at university. At the end of this year 10 students passed their final examinations at Agai Secondary School and 3 of them can proceed to university. Due to results of their harambee we will contribute to the entrance costs. Their sponsors we asked to support a new student again. Beginning 2017 we decide how many new children can join our sponsor program.

Pregnant women living faraway, in case of problems, cannot or with effort reach a hospital. After deliberating Dr. David and Health Officer Dr. Padmore this year we started building a motor ambulance. In 2016 Rotaryclubs already made this available, by sponsoring € 1300 whereupon we instructed a welder in Sondu to build a motor ambulance, in the frame of local reliefwork. Towards hygiene, issue and controle the garage of the motor ambulance is placed at Maraboi. Therefore is an important role for Kevince Odongo and Erick Mbuga, who both know many pikidrivers (motorbiketaxi). The Piki Pona project (Pona=salvation) corresponds



perfectly to the earlier unrolled CHW network.

Because of busy activities Carla Remmen had to finish treasury for our foundation. Fortunately we found a successor in Rob Snelders, who is taking over her role as soon as the annual accounts are established. In October we participated the autumn market in Hemmen and in December the Christmas market in Heteren got a lot of interest and a revenue of € 105. Our stand costs were cancelled.

In the meantime our webmaster keeps all information on our website up to date. In April, June, August and December by newsletter we informed our sponsors and interested people, including the recent developments and the temporary study results of our students.

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