

TANZANIA RURAL REVIVAL UBORESHAJI MAISHA VIJIJINI TANZANIA

This Annual Report tells you about some of the main projects TRR has been involved with during 2016. Please get in touch if you want to know more about anything we do, we are happy to answer questions.

Thank you to Makete and Nkasi District Councils and their officers for their help and support. Heartfelt thanks as well to all of our donors, including many generous individuals, Water for Kids and Lincolnshire Economic Action Partnership.

In 2016 in Makete District ...

Education

TRR has been supporting students through schools in Makete for more than 10 years. We are currently working with seven primary and five secondary schools

We are proud that four more students will be starting university in 2017. We will help them with travel and other expenses. TRR is now also helping to support 13 A-level students.



A-level and University Students supported by TRR, with Mama Tunginie



Kipagalo dorm - work is nearing completion



The finishing touches - Ipelele dorm

Secondary education is now free for those who pass the exam - a huge change. TRR continues to help with food subsidies, especially for girls. We have also funded extra science teachers at Kipagalo and provided books and science equipment for Usililo and Mwakavuta Schools. The dormitories at Ipelele and Kipagalo are now almost finished and are just starting at Usililo and at Makete Girls' School.



Muhulu kitchen (above) and Gaidon Hamuya, Idende head showing their kitchen store



New kitchens came into use at Muhulu and Idende Primary schools as well as new toilets at Madihani Primary. Work has started on rebuilding a classroom at Bulongwa Primary which was threatening to slide down the hill.



New toilets at Madihani

We are now supporting two more primary schools locally, Ulumba with a much needed kitchen and Katenga with building works to improve the classrooms.



The current Ulumba School Kitchen

Water

The new Iniho Intake, is designed to increase both volume and pressure of water in the well-established gravity system serving many of the villages in the area. Those at the end of the line have not always received water regularly.



Iniho intake volunteers and the pipe



On our site visit in October we met a whole crowd of people from nearby Bulongwa who were volunteering their time and

energy in helping to lay the pipes, cheerfully continuing through a storm of very wet rain!

The Intake is now finished. We understand the water supply has improved. Thanks to Water for Kids who helped fund this. And the volunteers!

Health

The washing machine at Makete District Hospital is still working well. Hooray!



*The washing machine is in daily use
Below Dr Gasper with the old scanner*



We are now looking to install an up to date ultrasound scanner. "This will stop some of our problems before they become problems," as one of the doctors said. Around 60% of patients at the hospital are

HIV positive, regardless of other conditions they may be being treated for. It is one of the reasons a suitable washing machine was needed. The good news is that information, testing and medication have vastly improved for people with AIDs/HIV in recent years, though there are still some issues. TRR continues to support many orphans in local villages.

Local Economy

We were approached by two local Village Agricultural Officers for financial help with a pilot scheme to work two plots side by side using traditional methods on one and more modern seeds and inputs on the other.



Looking at sites for field tests



They hope to show that modern methods improve yields and thus persuade locals to change their ways. We agreed to fund this experiment - we will see what happens.

TRR continues to support Juhudi Women all of whom run small businesses set up and sustained by loans from the group. They have plans to invest in more group enterprises following the purchase of the

chain saw. We are helping them buy a cow so they can sell milk, and a shared interlocking machine to produce a more professional finish to the clothes several of them produce as individuals.



Some of the pigs reared by Juhudi member Denise

We also support another co-operative venture, Maendeleo, with contributions to their loan fund.



Benito at the Maendeleo plantation

When people have the capacity to generate extra income, the knock-on effects are wide ranging, from being able to mend the roof to being able to buy uniforms and school equipment to get the children through school.

In 2016 in Nkasi District ... Education

We are currently supporting three secondary and three primary schools in Nkasi in various ways and offering occasional help to others.



Work has started on toilets at Mkole

This includes helping Mkole Primary school with new toilets and Swaila Primary with the floors in the classroom the community is building.



Work has also started on the new classroom at Swaila Primary School

We have provided food for girls for Mkole and Mkwamba Secondary schools and science supplies for Nkomolo and Mkwamba.

We have also provided money towards locally made beds for Mkwamba Girls' dormitory and have worked with a local electrician to ensure solar lighting remains in working order in two schools.



Joiners are constructing beds to replace mattresses on the floor

Sadly, a fire at Nkomolo later in the year caused serious damage to the dormitory, though no-one was hurt. We are contributing to the rebuilding.



The fire damage at Nkomolo was extensive



Water

Two new pumps were installed in Chonga and Makupa with help from Water for Kids.

Alongside the Council's Water Department, again with financial help from Water for Kids, we are working with



The new pump at Chonga is working well

Kate village to improve the water intake at Kantete. This will include repairs to the system's pipework and storage tanks and means a better water supply for three villages.



Kantete intake and storage tank



Two broken pumps at Mwai have been replaced

We tried to visit the intake but were defeated by a river in flood.

Mwai village had two new pumps this year. Lincolnshire Economic Action Partnership helped and the Village Committee also made a large contribution. Villagers are being trained in pump maintenance and water hygiene.

Health

Local leaders in Mtenga had previously discussed building a new maternity room at the local dispensary. We were pleased to discover they had already started building it in January. It's an ambitious plan. We have agreed to fund part of it.



Mtenga Dispensary and new construction



Preparations, the start of building and hand washing at Kipili Dispensary.

In Kipili, a staff house is being built next to the dispensary and we are helping with that.

Local economy

Members of Akinamama took part in training funded by TRR on how to run a business in April and found it useful. The women have their own small businesses and are planning to work together as well. TRR also made a contribution to their loan fund.



'Mama Tripo' shop, named in honour of the owner's triplets



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Tanzania Rural Revival works with local people in two rural and remote districts of Tanzania, helping to fund their priorities and support their aspirations. We work through existing structures like local government, schools and Savings and Credit Co-operative Societies, and, at times, through individuals.

Uboreshaji Maisha Vijijini Tanzania hufanya kazi kwa kushirikiana na wenyeji waishio kwenye wilaya mbili zilizoko maeneo mbali na miji, ikitoa misaada ya fedha kusaidia kutatua matatizo yaliyopo kufuatana na mapendekezo ya wenyeji hao ili kufikia malengo na matarajio ya maisha yao. Tunafanya kazi kupitia mifumo iliyopo

tayari kama vile serikali za mitaa, mashule, vyama vya ushirika wa akiba na mikopo na wakati mwingine watu binafsi.

ANNUAL ACCOUNTS 2016 (UK)

| INCOME | 2016 | 2015 | BALANCE SHEET | 2016 | 2015 |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Donations and grants | £34,096 | £30,968 | General Projects Reserve | £7,948 | £3,979 |
| Donations for Administration | - | £100 | Administration Reserve | £406 | £656 |
| Gift Aid | £7,916 | £1,936 | Total | £8,354 | £4,635 |
| Christmas Cards | £168 | £120 | Represented by | | |
| Interest | - | £2 | Bank Balance | £8,334 | £4,340 |
| Transfer from Admin Reserves | £250 | - | Cheques Outstanding | £20 | £295 |
| Total Income | £42,430 | £33,126 | Total | £8,354 | £4,635 |
| EXPENDITURE | | | | | |
| Transferred to Tanzania for projects | £38,000 | £32,000 | | | |
| Bank Charges (UK) Transfer Costs | £175 | £160 | | | |
| Audit Certificate | £36 | £36 | | | |
| Tanzania Administration | £250 | - | | | |
| Transfer to General Projects Reserves | £3,969 | £930 | | | |
| Total Expenditure | £42,430 | £33,126 | | | |

Thank you to everyone who has given to TRR this year. We couldn't do it without you or without the people in Makete and Nkasi who make it all work.

All donations are spent on people and projects we support, unless they are specifically given for administration.

TRR is – Anselmo Kapandila, Careb Nsangalufu, John Fowler, John Hough, Lesley Hough, Mary Nsemwa, Rosemary Fowler, Stewart Kiluswa, Sophia Ng'wango, Tony Janes, Tulizo Sanga

