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INTRODUCTION

Its exciting to share a little bit of what has been done at SOCH from early July to late September, 2022. The activities are basically normal but have made a difference.

SOCH LOOKS

The face of SOCH still stands in good shape as it were. It is still operating as a great home of orphans.



CAPITAL PROJECTS

During this period, a borehole was sunk and its helping to provide water on reservation when the supplying company fails to consistently supply SOCH with water. The hammermill and the Guesthouse are also operating well.



CARPENTRY PROJECT

This project has a lot of advantages. It is very much required to be sustained whether children are on training or are yet to join. Its an assuring project where our older orphans who have interest in carpentry can be attached and learn the skill. Next year, 2023, we are expected to attach our two orphans and other orphans from the community to learn the skill and contribute to its sustainability through sales. This workshop supplies the best doors in the district as at now.



OUR WONDERFUL VISITORS, Judith Adams and Coline Fischer

What a moment it is to host the visitors who represent our sponsors after an approximate four years of receiving no visitor from our lovely sponsors. The visit by Judith and Coline has refreshen our direct contact and interaction with friends in the west and all sponsors at large. These guys are doing a lot of activities at SOCH as illustrated bellow:



Jude set for Data entry



Coline helping with Physiotherapy





Coline and Matron doing some clothes repairs



Three girls do repairing also



Jude is good at helping them all learn more



Jude teaching



Children practice and do exercises

ORPHANS CLOTHING AND THE BANNER

SOCH has a banner room that is used to keep clothes that occasionally are given to children when they need urgent replacement of a clothes.



THE GARDEN

In preparation for rainy season, the garden is being cleared and vegetables and corns will be planted soon. The garden has got chicken run, fruits orchard and vegetable bets are being made.



OTHER GOOD NEWS

This year we are having two girls, Blessings Musonda and Sylvia Tembo, graduating as Environmental Health practitioner and teacher respectively. How good it is to celebrate their success in academics and career.



Blessings Musonda, The graduate

CONCLUSION

No words can match to fully express our gratitude as SOCH to our sponsors. SOCH has been sustained without stoppage since 2004 because of the great support of sponsors. We thank you all for such a great cause of work.

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