

UGANDAN LAMBS ASSOCIATION
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General Information

702 million people around the world still live below the poverty line, mostly in sub-Saharan Africa. For this reason, Ugandan Lambs Association USA is devotedly supporting the Sustainable Development Goals set by the United Nations for 2030. The aims of the 17 global objectives are ambitious, one of them being the ending of extreme poverty through education. Such a large goal cannot be reached for our Lambs without the intervention of the Ugandan Lambs Association USA aiming at improving lives of vulnerable children through education and caring for their basic needs.

Introduction

Currently, Ugandan Lambs Association is supporting **53** children; this is done through sponsorship and donations. Children are nurtured through them attending Child Evangelistic Fellowships and ensuring that they have basic needs - for example, food, shelter, clothing, medical care and quality education. This is done in a safe and nurturing environment to facilitate, monitor their education and promote their physical and spiritual well-being. The main purpose of supporting the children is to break the cycle of poverty and dependence in order to allow each child to fulfill his or her God-given potential. The supported children together with their guardians are grateful for the support rendered so far.

Activities done during the month of January 2024

1. Visiting of children in homes
2. Praying for and offering counseling of the Lambs
3. Children given gifts
4. Children celebrate end of year
5. Primary seven results released
6. Sick Children

Visiting of children in homes

Children that reside in Kayunga and Namugongo Ugandan Lambs Association homes were visited. This was done by Ugandan Lambs Association Staff members to ensure that children are safe and healthy. The house mothers were thanked for the great work

done. The children were few in number because many of the Lambs left the Ugandan Lambs homes due to the fact that they finished their studies, graduated and are now working.



Lambs and house mother plus Ugandan Lambs Association staff at Kayunga home



Lambs and house mother plus Ugandan Lambs Association staff at Namugongo home

Praying for and offering counseling of the Lambs

During the visits that were done to the homes, the Lambs were dedicated in the hands of the Lord so that they can study well and be successful in their studies. Additionally,

guidance and counseling was offered to the Lambs by the Ugandan Lambs Staff and the house mothers. Counseling was offered so that children can be responsible people when they grow up. Children were encouraged to continue behaving well even when at school since good behavior can in one way or another lead to having good grades. During the counseling session, they were also advised to avoid bad peer pressure *which can lead them in actions hence leading to bad behavior.*



House mothers offering counseling to children at Namugongo home



House mother and Reginah offering counseling to children at Kayunga home



House mother and Ronald offering counseling to children at Kayunga home

Children receiving gifts

During the month, female Lambs were able to receive gifts in form of sanitary towels and under pants made by His Handiwork Guild of Cornerstone Church, Long Beach and delivered to Ugandan Lambs Association USA. They were brought to our ladies by the Sebabis. The gifts were to help the girls improve their hygiene; they were super happy and they thanked the Guild so much for thinking about them.



Girls receiving their gifts at Kayunga home



Girls receiving their gifts at Namugongo home

Children celebrating end of year

During the visit to the homes, there was an opportunity to celebrate the end of the year with the Lambs. Children, house mothers and the Ugandan Lambs staff were able to cut cake and also have lunch together. This helps to build up teamwork as staff and the house mothers for the betterment of the Lambs.



Children and house mothers plus Ugandan Lambs Association staff celebrate the end of year at Namugongo home



Children and house mothers plus Ugandan Lambs Association staff celebrate the end of year at Kayunga home



Children receiving lunch during end of year celebrations at Kayunga home



Children receiving lunch during end of year celebrations at Namugongo home

Primary seven results released

During the month, primary seven results were released for pupils who sat for Primary Leaving Exams. Ugandan Lambs Association had two of the Lambs who sat for their Primary Leaving Exams and they were Saida Nanyanzi who scored 21 aggregates in division 2 while Ssekyanzi Joel scored 32 aggregates in division 4. Both children were studying at St. Kizito Junior Primary school and will both join secondary school soon, even though their results were not very good.

Caring for sick children

One of the core values of Ugandan Lambs USA is caring for sick children as a way of meeting their physical needs. A paramount objective of all Ugandan Lambs Association USA's programs is addressing health vulnerabilities by improving access to quality health services, disease prevention and psychosocial counseling in a bid to enable the Lambs have good health, which is a precondition for living a life of dignity. During the month three of the Lambs were sick: Nsubuga Emmanuel had a toothache, Nalumansi Magdalene had stomachache and stomach ulcers while Saul Galabuzi had eye problems. The children were taken to Tendo medical center for treatment and are fine except for Saul who still has eye problems, but he will also be fine.

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