

UGANDAN LAMBS ASSOCIATION
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Robinah Namboyera on the left with friends on the graduation day.

Introduction

Currently, Ugandan Lambs Association is supporting 58 children; this is done through sponsorship and donations. Children are nurtured through them attending Child Evangelistic Fellowships, 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.

Activities done during the month of April 2021

1. Graduation of one of the Lambs
2. Children sitting for final exams
3. Caring for sick children
4. COVID 19 updates
5. Situation at the schools

1. Graduation of one of the Lambs

During the month, success was registered whereby one of the lambs was able to graduate with a diploma in Pharmacy at Uganda Allied Institute for health sciences. Nambojera Robinah was offering a course in Pharmacy and was selected to volunteer at Platinum Hospital found in Kampala. She is at the moment receiving transport refund as she gains more expertise while volunteering at the Hospital. This is seen as a big success due to the fact that Robinah has been a well-behaved committed person towards her studies which enabled her to complete her studies well. She hopes to be committed too when she gets a job. Additionally, she is so grateful to her sponsors for meeting all her school requirements.

2. Children sitting for final exams

During the month children in the candidate classes (Senior Six students) were able to do the Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education Examinations (UACE). The exams were set by the Uganda National Examination Board. Children were urged to keep on observing standard operating procedures since COVID 19 is still rampant. The table below shows children who sat for Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education Examinations (UACE).

NO.	ID NO.	NAMES		GRADE	VILLAGE	SCHOOL
1.	UL-008	Daniel	Kitunzi	S 6	Kayunga	ST. Kizito High School
2.	UL-035	Misusera	Sekamatte	S 6	Kayunga	ST. Kizito High School
3.	UL-059	Christopher	Mujjabi	S 6	Namugongo	ST. Kizito High School
4.	UL-066	Godfrey	Mukisa	S 6	Namugongo	ST. Kizito High School
5.	UL-081	Noeline	Nashema	S 6	Namugongo	ST. Kizito High School

3. Caring for sick children

Ugandan Lambs Association USA has one of its core values which is caring for sick children as a way to meet the physical needs of the children being cared for. During the month there were two cases of Lambs that fell sick. Kirya Jonathan and Mukisa Godfrey fell sick and were suffering from malaria. They were taken to Tendo Medical Centre for medication. Hopefully they will be fine and will be able to report back to school.

4. COVID 19 Updates

The coronavirus epidemic is an ongoing public health emergency of international concern caused by the COVID 19 virus, first identified by health authorities in Wuhan, China. The virus spreads so fast through droplet infection especially in crowded places and causes illness. It is spread from person to person through sneezing or coughing (droplet infection), human to human contact and contact with contaminated surfaces.

4.1 Signs and symptoms of COVID-19 include:

- Fever
- Running Nose (flu)
- Cough
- General Weakness
- Difficulty in breathing if the patient develops pneumonia

At this time, there are no specific vaccines or treatments for COVID-19. However, there are many ongoing clinical trials evaluating potential treatments. Confirmed cases are 42,152 as at 7th/April/2021 and death cases are 345, cumulative recoveries are 41652 infected people who are still sick are 38 and masks distributed are 24,997,096.

4.2 COVID 19 Vaccination

Uganda received vaccinations for COVID 19. The vaccinations were going to first cater for the target worker, i.e.: Health workers, security personnel and people with chronic illnesses. The number of people that have been vaccinated to-date are 339, 607.

5. The COVID 19 situation of the schools at the moment

The situation that is at the schools at the moment has not changed much; schools still do not allow any visitors due to the fact that there is fear that children at school might contract the coronavirus disease because it is still rampant. The schools therefore still allow in visitors on condition that there is an emergency at the school or at home. This has affected the way monitoring of children's education performance has been done of late. Contacting of teachers on phone is still on to do a follow up on how the children are faring in school with regard to studying.