

KENYA CHARITABLE ORGANISATION

ANNUAL REPORT 2018/2019



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Introduction

The primary purpose of this annual report is to explain how the organisation has performed over the past year. The Kenya Charitable Organisation was set up to work towards helping Kenyans in need and in distress, promoting and improving the health and education of people in Kenya. Its main objects are to:

1. To overcome poverty and suffering for those members of the population of Kenya who are in conditions of need, hardship or in distress.
2. To preserve and protect the health of such people and their families
3. To advance the education and training of these people in need so as to enable them to advance in life

The Committee

The committee for the previous year was:

Trustees

Rev Dr Joyce Muiruri – Chair of trustees

Bishop Dr Julius Muiruri – Trustee

Irene Mwai Trustee

Charity Mbui – Trustee

Sebora Kamara – Trustee

Administrator

Denis Mungai Mbui

Achievements and Challenges

During the past year, Kenya Charitable Organisation has been able to accomplish the following which has brought some relief to people in distress and need in Kenya.

- 10 wheelchairs were donated to The United Disabled Persons of Laikipia in November 2018 for distribution to 10 of their members.



Wheelchairs delivered



Wheelchair recipient

- Fees sponsorship for 2 boys and a girl. Two boys at Ilpolei School and a girl at St Jude School in Nanyuki in Laikipia County were provided fees sponsorship to cover uniforms, boarding and school fees.
- In February £2500 was provided as a grant to nursery for disabled children in Nanyuki in Laikipia County in Kenya.



Challenges

- ✚ The organisation is struggling to recruit volunteers. This has had an impact on the extent to which its programmes can be extended to a wider area in Kenya.
- ✚ More funding is needed to help many of the poor, needy and distressed in Kenya.

Future Plans

- ✚ Continued support Day Care Centre For Disabled Children in Nanyuki, run by the United Disabled Persons of Laikipia (UDPL). Fundraising ventures to be undertaken to achieve this.
- ✚ To help save the Ewaso River in Kenya and the wildlife, livestock and people that depend on this river from the effects of climate change.
- ✚ Project to save the Ewaso Nyiro River, the people, wildlife and livestock in the counties through which it flows in Kenya from environmental disaster.
- ✚ Gardening project to improve the livelihoods of women in the Ewaso Nyiro River Basin in Laikipia North sub-county in Kenya
- ✚ Rehabilitation of bore holes
- ✚ Eco project to tackle the problems of deforestation and plastic waste in the Mt Kenya region, where a lot of deforestation has taken place and plastic waste has become a serious problem in the towns and cities in the region.