

Greetings to you all in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. We thank you for the services rendered to us over this side may God bless you abundantly.

#### WEEK 1

This week we visited some schools which needed school fees since children we sent back home. We received a call from the office informing us about the visitors who were coming third to see children at school and in their homes.

On 3<sup>rd</sup> the visitors Shelly and Leslie arrived at around 11am as we were waiting for them. During this time they visited one school Kokutu primary school and shared a lot with the administration there after they visited four homes within the same village. The guardians were very happy to see them as they shared a video recorded by Shelly at Sunshine High showing them some presentations by one of their girls from Bukedea. Lots of old women came to share with the visitors after their visits in the village.

This very week as they say that visitors come with blessing we received a lot of rain after a period of one and a half weeks when it was dry. People are now busy with garden work. Health wise we registered some minor cases of sicknesses like malaria, flu, cough and wounds. They were treated at the unit they were all healed we thank God for that.

This very week we visited some homes in the villages of Gwaramoti, Oupe and Akuoro. People are busy with gardens, during these visits we met one of our girls who was doing tailoring last year and got married, we followed up because we wanted to course but she refused and got another husband. We are expecting a camp next week on 13<sup>th</sup>/08.

#### WEEK 2

In this week, Charles left Bukedea to Jinja on 9<sup>th</sup>, he reached well and had a meeting at the office where they told to start taking new photos for all children. He came back safely on the 10<sup>th</sup>, he did shopping along his way back at home.

We visited some schools like Kokutu primary school, Eli-shaddai, Eliza and Janet, Akuoro primary schools to pay school fees since we had requested for a pardon last week. The administrations for these schools were so happy for the KIDS support towards their development.

On 13<sup>th</sup>, we held the camp, however the attendance was not all that good (56 children) attended. Some went for a burial and others were still at school. During this program we, lots of things were done like, clearing the well, plays and entertainment. We gave them some pieces of soap, and we also able to give Luci solar lights, pants for girls and bags which were purposely for big girls.

This week, we bought 28 pairs of bed sheets adding on the first ones of last month making a total of 80 pairs. The place is still cool due to the rains and we are preparing the gardens for the season.

This week, we had 3 children who were sick and were all referred since we didn't have medicine in our first aid due to the funds taken to schools to clear the term.

We are anticipating a guardians meeting next week on 20<sup>th</sup> and we believe God for a good term.

### WEEK 3

On the 14<sup>th</sup>, private and secondary school had started their exams which marks end of term 2. We also visited children informing the guardians about their meeting on Saturday.

This week, we started on the work of making benches as we were given a special fund for it. We met the carpenter and he has started the work and by next week the work will be done.

As we reported last week about the guardians meeting, we thanked God for those who turned up though they didn't turn up all due to some hindrances and a burial which was at the near by village. Lots of things were discussed where ;

-emphasis on childrens education by making sure they are all at school at the right time.

-weakness of some children and requesting if we can take them and acquire vocation skills.

-some agricultural seeds like sukuma wiki, spinach, tomatoes, egg plants etc to enable them earn an income outside their food crops.

We also gave out five pieces of reading glasses to guardians on that day which were remaining.

On 21<sup>st</sup>, children from sonshine Christian high school came back home safely and we thank the administration for the good work they have done in the lives of these children. Indeed they have changed morally, spiritually, academically and discipline wise.

However this week we thank God because we had no cases of illness though those whom we referred last month they have undergone the treatment and they are okay.

Since some children are back from school, we are expecting a camp next week on 27<sup>th</sup>.

### WEEK 4

We have photographed 5 children we are making a new update. This week, the rest of the schools have started also their end of term 2 exams. Some private schools have also got their holidays and we thank God because at least there was an improvement in the performance. We had two children and two guardians who reported at the office when they sick.

On the 26<sup>th</sup>, we had a camp where at least 95 children registered and 8 non registered attended. During this period, we took 66 photos for children and our battery for the camera went off and we expected to continue in the following day which was a Sunday. The children also harvested our maize which we

believe will take us for some three months since the harvest (yield) was not all that good due to the weather.

We are planning to have a guardians meeting next month in week 1 for children in sonshine. We also continued with the photo program me which will be completed early next month.

Furthermore we have also visited homes in villages of kokutu, okolimeri, kamon, okumbi, Aloet where we found most of the children at home since most of them were done with their exams and had got their holidays. We also gave out 8 bibles to the children.

Actually the month has been some how cool, we thank God who has enabled us push it up to the end which was by his grace. Thanks goes to River valley and its staff, we also give thanks for the support towards the 25 benches for our children since we have been longing for them. they were very happy and this help them so to be clean.

May God bless you as you continue supporting, praying and encouraging us.

## PRAYER REQUEST

-God's protection over our lives and property since there is insecurity and theft in the place.

-knowledge, wisdom and understanding.

-salvation of guardians, children and our relatives.

-Good health for prince.