

News from Tanzania

Since our last newsletter, renovations have been completed at our 13th partner school, Kawawa Primary. The UK team visited Kawawa in October and were presented with gifts of cooking pots as a thankyou. Work has since begun on our 14th school Mbuo Primary, and will be completed early this year.

Over 400 Kawawa
Children will
benefit every year



Before



After



December was a month of celebrations in Tanzania for our pre-primary students. Soon to be starting standard 1, the schools held graduation ceremonies for them. One of the schools, Singino, took the opportunity to hold a fundraising event at the same time. The parents and local community successfully raised the equivalent of £55. This is a huge achievement which will enable the school to pay for porridge for the children during the school day.

Left – Lwelu Pre-primary graduation

In October, the UK team travelled to Mikindani. The busy trip included visits to some of our partner schools including Mgao and Mkangala Primaries. A highlight of the trip was meeting up with the pre-primary staff, head teachers and core staff where we were able to share ideas and solve problems.



*Right – The EdUKaid Team
Left – Fatuma with her Mum*



In November, Fatuma visited the EdUKaid offices in Tanzania to show the team her new specially fitted boot. Fatuma lost her foot in an accident and struggled to walk the dusty track to her school. A knee pad provided a temporary solution while at primary school, however when she passed her exams and got into secondary school, more help was needed. Thank you to our generous EdUKaid supporters, because of you Fatuma can continue her schooling.

News from the UK

In October, EdUKaid's 6th Great Vending Get Together took place at the Haven Hotel in Sandbanks, Poole. The most successful ball yet, a massive £16,000 was raised. During the evening, guests enjoyed a competitive auction as well as a three course meal a live band.



*Above – Guests sit down for the three course meal
Left – Guests enjoying the live band*

Our supporters have been busy since our last Newsletter with various fundraising events. Helen and Stuart Middleton held a Bridge Lunch raising a fantastic £2,000. Caroline Murray raised an impressive £420 when she ran a stall at Mill Road Fair with all proceeds going to EdUKaid.



Above Left – The Bridge Lunch Above Right – Caroline Murray with her stall



Over the last few years the children and staff at Amble Links First School have held a number of fundraisers, including a Christmas Jumper Day, raising money for our projects in Tanzania. This year they went the extra mile and provided us with a check for £300 from their PTA. Thanks again Amble Links!

*Left - Some of the Children from Amble Links.
Right – Oli and Jemma*



This year, two brave supporters are putting themselves to the test by running the London and Brighton Marathon. You can support Jemma and Oli by donating to their [just giving page](#).

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