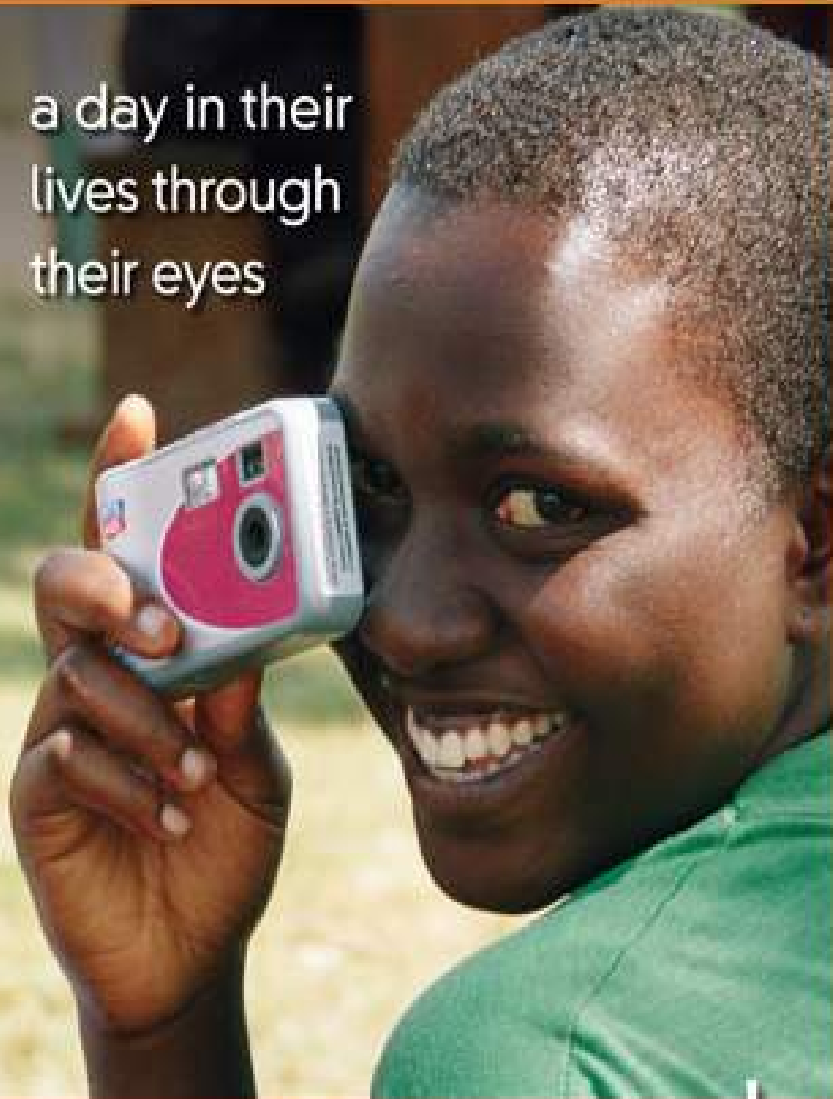


# ZoomUganda

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Thomas Lwebuga

a day in their  
lives through  
their eyes



**zoomuganda**  
*12 girls 12 cameras*

Imagine that you are a girl, orphaned, living in an African village devastated by AIDS.

Imagine holding a camera in your hands for the first time.

Imagine being invited to document your life over the course of 24 hours.

What will you show?

How will you show it?

How will you capture images of your world and hold them up to view?

The ZoomUganda girls



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- ZoomUganda is Photovoice project, directed and produced by Julie Resnick
- ZoomUganda was made possible by volunteer hours and donations of time and money
- Educates the public about the impact of HIV/AIDS on Uganda & Africa
- Raised money to build new science laboratory at St. Andrews Matala Secondary School, Uganda
- ***Please Visit:*** <http://www.zoomuganda.org/>

# Matale Community

- Matale is located in Rakai district Southern Uganda
- It is a small rural community with about 40,000 people
- Community has been greatly impacted by the AIDS epidemic
- St. Andrews Matale S.S school is in this community
- The school is the centre of ZoomUganda and the Harambee Centre work in this community

# St. Andrews Matale Secondary School

- The school has around 400 students.
- More than half are orphaned by AIDS.
- Helping the school to create sound infrastructure, and give opportunities for more kids in the community to go to school.
- Resources that enable students (especially girls) to excel.
- Creating leadership opportunities for students at Southridge High School in Beaverton and Matale through the sister school program.
- Empower young people to transform their lives, families, communities and the world around them.

*Dedication*  
*New Science Laboratory*



# St. Andrews Matale Secondary School New Science Laboratory



Laboratory Construction, Dec 2007



Laboratory, July 2008



Laboratory Construction, Feb 2007



Laboratory Aug 2008



# Science Laboratory Dedication



Laboratory Opening, Aug 2008



Laboratory, July 2008

- The laboratory was dedicated by Hon. Namirembe Bitamazire the Minister of Education.
- The ZoomUganda girls have been benefactors of their school
- Their work has raised most of the money needed to construct a new science laboratory at St. Andrews Matala Secondary School, Uganda
- Need funds to equip laboratory to bring science education to life