

Economic Empowerment of Rural Women: Snail Farming

Report April 2019

Dear all,

On behalf of Africa Youth for Peace and Development, we want to thank you for your support to our Economic empowerment of rural women: Snail project. With your donations, we were able to do many things that are geared towards realizing the goal of the project below you will see the various activities

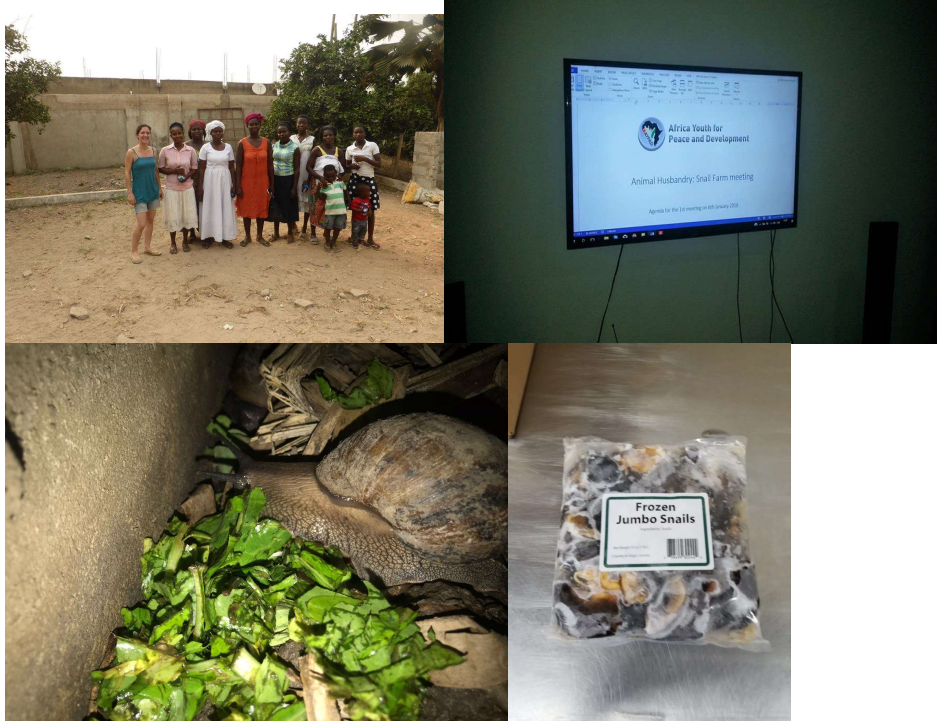
We are glad to announce that our six women have been able to undergo training for a period of 6 months and have been able to learn so much. The Training Range from Farm management, Snail Farming, Business Management and also Field work. Some of the training was conducted by AYPAD Staff Nuria Badiella and Philip Salis Bangura while also the organization had a volunteer from Italy by the name of Sofia melisi from Universitat Bocconi. The women had to come to the farm on a daily basis for 2 hours a day for Training and one 1 for taking care for the snails.

After the completion of the Training, the six women have also been busy in taking care of the snail. We can now say since we commenced we have about 400 matured snails and about 1200 baby snails. We have about 2000+ eggs that are being cared for on a daily basis.

Some of the matured snails were sold to upkeep the farm while also helping in paying for some of the work in the farm .

Our next step

- Provide women with startup kits for them to start their own snail farm. This kit will include snail pen for each woman, 100 snail, watering can and all necessary equipment's for them to start their mini farm and also be able to supply the organization client based.
- We plan to find new customers while we are closely working on take care of the young snail babies and also the eggs for us to have huge amount that will be able to reach our client demand. We plan to also raise fund to be able to secure a land big enough to be have more snail pens and be able to employ more women



Thank you very much for your Support and please do not hesitate to continue to support our project as Phase 3 is about training women and breeding our First Snail Stock. We will also update you with videos on the Phase 1 on our Youtube Channel.

Please we want it known that if you are able to donate the same amount after this report we ship to you the following.

- ✓ AYPAD Handmade bracelett with your name or AYPAD Logo
- ✓ AYPAD Snail Project-T- Shirt
- ✓ AYPAD Snail Project Funder Certificate.

