

PROGRESS REPORT

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A Franciscan Education: To Cherish the Love of Nature

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DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

As we endeavor to explore the year 2023, we recognize the year is still very young and we are optimistic to bring the project, *Provide-Clean-Water-To-Over-1800-Nyamongians*, to a successful completion by the end of the year. Hopefully, the year will end with a new project into the Global Giving Platform. As always, we take pride in considering Our College an open system and that gives us an edge into the available opportunities in the global arena.

Concerns for the changes in the weather pattern is real, and this year our Country was not exempted. Extreme drought right from the onset of the Year has been unfathomable. Perhaps, this is due to Global warming. We can no longer rely on the previously well-known weather patterns for the planting season in Kenya, instead, we have to patiently wait for the rain. Thankfully, through Global Giving; we installed a water pump in our borehole drilled through direct funding.

In retrospect, we may consider the drought a blessing in disguise, because then, it has informed what we need to do moving forward, to keep our compound properly irrigated, according it a learner friendly environment.

The good news is that we are thriving despite the extreme drought, and this is due to the existing borehole equipped with the required facilities. This has been possible through direct funding, and Global giving support bridging the budget deficit as you will note in Table 3 below.

The College remains focused in exploiting every opportunity available to help *Provide-Clean-Water-To-Over-1800-Nyamongians*. At least by achieving the sixth sustainable goal of providing clean water and sanitation will open up new avenues to addressing SDG # 1: No poverty and SDG # 4: Quality education, in this very Nyamonge Community.

We feel privileged to work with you!

Celmo

Sister Celine Omolo, FSJ, Ed. D
Director, St. Francis Training College Nyamonge



“The planet gets only one opportunity to experience your unique and powerful contributions, so share all that you are capable of at this moment” (Eric Jensen).

GOAL OF THE PROJECT

Table 1. Goal of the Project

Title: Provide-Clean-Water-To-Over-1800-Nyamongean		
Objective: -Drill a borehole		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Install a Hybrid solar pump - Install a water tower - Install a digital kiosk 		
Particulars	Allocation	
Amount	Ksh.	US \$
Borehole Drilling	2,070,000.00	20,700.00
Water Tower & Solarization of The Pumping System	2,401,100.00	24,011.00
Digital Water Kiosk	733,133.0	7,331.33
Project Total	5,204,233.00	52,042.33
Global Giving Target	4,500,000.00	45,000.00

GLOBAL DISBURSMENT

Disbursement ID:	387586	
Project Title:	Provide-Clean-Water-To-Over-1800-Nyamongees	
Institution:	St. Francis Training College Nyamonge	
Date	Activity	Amount \$
10/25/2021	September Global Giving Accelerator	\$ 607.33
03/30/2022	Matching Grant	\$ 305.06
05/26/2022	Little by little Fund Raising	\$ 590.83
10/26/2022	Little by Little Matching Funds	\$ 0.00
Total		\$ 1,503.22



Note: No funds were received during the Little-by -little Matching Funds Fundraising.

DIRECT FUNDING

Funds from Global Giving was used to complete phase one and phase two of the project.

The project to Provide-Clean-Water-To-Over-1800-Nyamongean, is divided into four phases as follows:

- Phase 1: Actual Borehole Drilling - **Complete**
- Phase 2: Water Pump Installation- **Complete**
- Phase 3: Installing Water Tower - **Pending**
- Phase 4: Installing a Digital Water Kiosk – **Pending**

Table 3: Bridged Budget Deficit

ACTIVITY	SOURCE OF FUNDS	AMT US \$	Status
Drilling Borehole	Total Cost	20,700.00	
1. Actual Borehole drilling	Direct funding	19,309.36	Complete
2. Water Pump Installation	Global Giving Disbursement	607.33	Complete
3. Solarization of the Pump	Direct Funding	5,300	Complete
4. Water Tower	-	24,011.00	Pending
5. Digital Kiosk	-	7,331.33	Pending
Deficit on phase two		783.31	

Note: Phase one and Phase two of the project has been cleared with direct funding and funds from the Global Giving October disbursement.

Direct funding used to complete phase two: \$ 5, 300.00

PROJECT STATUS

Table 4: Project Status

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	Global Giving Disbursement	590.83	
4. Solarization of the pump	Direct Funding	5,300.00	Complete
5. Water Tower	-	24,011.00	Pending
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A LEAP INTO THE FUTURE YEARS

At the moment, we have completed 70% of the project and we are optimistic the remaining 30% will be completed in the course of the year 2023. We are geared to active participation in the Global Giving Platform to help complete or bridge the unforeseen gaps towards provision of safe and clean water for Nyamongeans. The last two phases of this project to work on during the upcoming funding cycle include, erecting a water tower and a digital kiosk. The efforts towards realizing this is well underway and we look forward to enjoying a green, healthy, wealthy and a serene environment, transformed by the existence of water, equipped with the necessary water facilities.

The concern on the changing weather pattern will easily be addressed upon completion of the project underway. It is envisaged that the outcome achieved from this project will propel the institute to progress more in its strategic development goals. As noted in the director's message above, the two key note goals aligned with the Sustainable Development Agenda remains, eradication of poverty and provision of quality education.

Institutionally, we take it upon ourselves to work towards making a difference in this community now and in the years to come.

The college remain focused on its mission "to empower and prepare individuals to excel in the pursuit of knowledge and truth and to live it well", and its vision to work with individuals to realize their potential and seek new knowledge in making the world a better place in which to live. We are focused in helping students and pupils realize their course file and life file; the ability to make their education count.

We are hopeful to have a successful completion of our next two phases within this year and to reap the outcome magnificently.

Support this course to aid a life!!!

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Time to harvest

Figure 1: With regular watering we are still able to enjoy fruits from our garden



More Pawpaw Fruit

Figure 2: We are sure of more pawpaw fruit



Figure 3: At least we've been able to feed from our garden



**Able to sustain our vegeta
garden & Orchard**

Figure 2: This is just a section of our Orchard

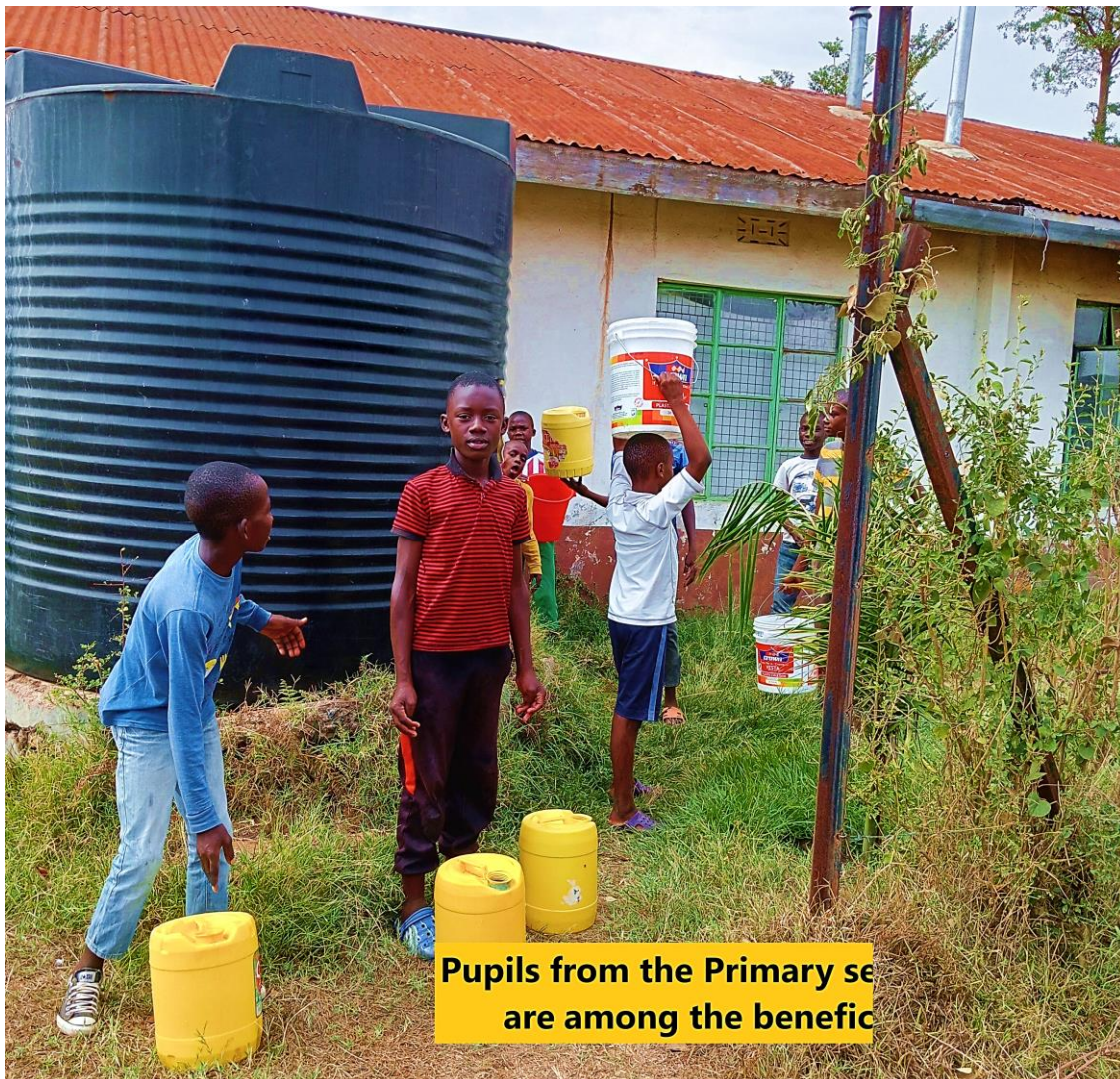


Figure 3: Our Primary pupils are some of our immediate beneficiaries of our borehole water. Very soon they will have water within their premises.



Pupils from the Primary section get water

Figure 4: We do have to walk 4miles away as before to get water



Figure 5: You can see how dry it is at the moment, now since January.



Figure 6 We are grateful to our borehole water, at least we can still keep our trees alive