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KASESE HUMANIST SCHOOL

RUKOKI - MUHOKYA - KAHENDERO

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RE: ANNUAL REPORT ABOUT KASESE HUMANIST SCHOOL – UGANDA

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INTRODUCTION:

Kasese Humanist School is a secular school built on the foundation of science and cherishes humanist values. It stresses for compassion, reason and tolerance.

The school is built on their permanent lands which is very spacious with a great room for future expansion. We are located in Rukoki, Muhokya and Kahendero.

ENROLLMENT AT KASESE HUMANIST NURSERY/PRIMARY SCHOOL - RUKOKI

NURSERY SECTION at the close of Third Term 2023

Class	Number of boys	Number of Girls	Total pupils
Baby	14	31	45
Middle	20	20	40
Тор	17	18	35
Total			120

PRIMARY SECTION

CLASS	Number of boys	Number of Girls	Total pupils
P.1	20	15	35
p.2	18	22	40
p.3	18	18	36
p.4	20	11	31
p.5	10	17	27
p.6	19	10	29
p.7	13	12	25
Total			223

Total pupils in Nursery & Primary at the Rukoki campus is 343

ENROLLMENT AT KASESE HUMANIST NURSERY/PRIMARY SCHOOL - KAHENDERO

Nursery Section at the close of Third Term 2023

Class	Number of boys	Number of Girls	Total pupils
Baby	15	17	32
Middle	12	25	37
Тор	16	14	30
NET TOTAL			99

PRIMARY SECTION

CLASS	Number of boys	Number of Girls	Total pupils
P.1	10	14	24
p.2	13	9	22
p.2 p.3	8	11	19
p.4	9	11	20
p.5	8	8	16
p.6	7	5	12
NET TOTAL			113

Total number of pupils in this school is 212

ENROLLMENT AT KASESE HUMANIST NURSERY/PRIMARY SCHOOL - MUHOKYA

NURSERY SECTION Third Term 2023

Class	Number of boys	Number of Girls	Total pupils
Baby	15	25	40
Middle	12	20	32
Тор	13	17	30
Total			102

PRIMARY SECTION

CLASS	Number of boys	Number of Girls	Total pupils
P.1	17	18	35
p.2	9	21	30
p.3	17	11	28
p.4	16	20	36
p.5	12	13	25
p.6	18	8	26
p.7	9	8	17
Total			208

Total number of pupils at the Bizoha School muhokya is 310

STAFFING:

We have a team of 34 teachers and 8 nonteaching staffs at all the campuses.

SCHOOL LEGITIMACY:

Our schools operate as licensed schools by the Ministry of Education and sports, plans are underway to have them as registered schools in more years ahead.

NONPROFIT STATUS

On a special note, in June 2022, the school was registered as a nonprofit, limited by shares and guarantee by Uganda Registration Service Bureau. Its registered as KASESE HUMANIST SCHOOL LIMITED

SCHOOL SUSTAINABLE PROJECTS:

We do have a number of projects that makes our school sustainable in some way.

- We have got gardens or farming spaces both on campus and in different areas and secured some properties that help provide food for the school and also generate some income that keeps our school on the move.
- We have the Bizoha backpackers hostel, Auto Garage facility and Bizoha hostel muhokya which generate income for the schools.
- We have managed to educate some of the bright needy orphans on these revenues.
- We are also being in position to help sponsor upgrade of some of our teachers at diploma level. About 3 of our teachers who have certificate are enrolled for diploma and degree program.
- We continue to offer free farm lands to our teachers who are passionate about gardening and they plant their own food aimed at improving their livelihoods.
- We have provided shelters to our teachers in different places, giving teachers free
 accommodation is a good gesture and a relief that makes the teaching job enjoyable and
 reduces on the stress for rental costs.

THE CHILD SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM:

The Child Sponsorship program is an initiative of Kasese Humanist school soliciting and lobbying for support from generous individuals and organizations to respond and sponsor less priviledged, less fortunate brilliant children where most are orphans, neglected or school dropouts.

Currently we have 40 sponsored children under our care and the number of such vulnerable children is high especially at our Bizoha school Muhokya and Kahendero school near the fishing landing site.

TREE PLANTING CAMPAIGNS:

We have a forest around the Rukoki campus with different types of trees, these are for environmental conservation, generating firewood, fruits for the children and medicinal trees to help cure several ailments.

We do have some forests in Muhokya near the Bizoha School on the lower side of the school plantation.

We have an array of mango trees at our mango world ecological park off kilembe road.

We also have high hopes that in future the grown up trees will generate income, provide timber for construction and school furniture making.

GARDENING WORKS:

We do have small gardens at the Rukoki School where we grow a number of crops like beans, maize, soya beans, cassava, peanuts and we do have a number of fruit trees around this campus, famous fruit trees are papaya plants, jackfruit trees, orange, avocado, mango and soursop fruit trees.

Some gardens are demonstration farms managed by students, others run by staffs of the school.

SCHOOL ACADEMIC RESULTS: Our school continue to perform better in national exams, This year we managed to enroll 42 candidates and we are optimistic all will pass and join secondary school education next year.

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES: We have football, netball, athletics, participate in music, dance and drama. In the past District soccer gala, our school participated and some of our pupils were selected to play in the District team.

GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:

We participate in keep our environment clean initiatives like removing liter, polyethene bags known as kavera around our school, the forest areas and around majengo trading center.

Our Bizoha Backpackers Hostel is now a medical center helping out offer medical services to people in our communities and our school as a whole.

CHALLENGES OF THE SCHOOL

- Staff salaries payments has not been easy for us especially due to the effects of covid19 and the struggling Uganda economy; we are registering low fees collections from our parents.
- The increasing numbers of children with some from needy and disadvantaged homes who need to be assisted get education through our school.
- We lack adequate hostel facilities that can accommodate children from far distances and some of such children do come from families with potential to clear fees to zero balance, so we miss on that because our housing facilities isn't to standard yet.
- Some of our staffs are not themselves skilled teachers and we need a boost in getting them supported advance their teaching careers.
- Insufficient readable book resources to add in our school library.
- Inadequate computers to match with the increasing number of our pupils.

OUR REQUESTS:

- We kindly request likeminded charities in secular world circles to support our school in all
 ways it seems fit like in helping us boost up our staff salaries by offering Scholarships to a
 specific number of needy, brilliant children or orphans.
- We need more support in building decent hostels to shelter our students especially those from distant places.
- We need training of more staffs at the different universities for diploma and degree courses in education so that we have quality skilled professional teachers at our schools.
- We need to erect a bore hole, an underground water tanks, more rainwater harvesting tanks and fitting more solar panels to light up our school.
- We need more computers to fit in our computer laboratory.
- We request more charities, kind and generous individuals to support us in any way possible.
- We need to install outdoor playing materials for the children especially those in nursery or primary education.
- There is a need of sanitary pads for the benefit of our girls during their monthly periods, some are from poor families and cant afford buying them.

POSSIBLE SCHOOL PROJECTS TO FUND AT KASESE HUMANIST SCHOOL:

- Scholarship program for needy, less fortunate, vulnerable and brilliant children. Full board or day scholar.
- Construction of a classroom, laboratory.
- More computers are needed for computer literacy etc. We welcome laptops, desktop computers, monitors, printers or electronic gadgets for educational usage.

- We need more vocational skills tool sets as in welding, tailoring, auto mechanics, farm implements etc.
- We need a boost to Staff salaries.
- We welcome volunteers to work with us or help in fundraising for our school in their respective countries.

APPRECIATIONS:

On behalf of Kasese Humanist School, I thank Uganda Humanist School Trust for supporting us with book supplies that we have always added to our school library year by year

We thank Humanist Victoria for supporting us at different times in the year. The funds were distributed amongst our teachers.

I appreciate Atheist alliance International for standing with us for several years to the present times. The accept donations on our behalf and funds come in as tuition fees, scholastic items, gifts to sponsored children or as contribution on staff salaries.

I am so thankful for our latest friendship and collaboration of Kasese Humanist School with Springwell Foundation under the Polestar Project UG and look forward for better outcomes.

We received some support from the Manitoba Atheists towards Bogere John Education and the little boy is joining Form 4 next year.

We also thank the Uganda government, Education ministry for providing learning resources for the children and our school library as well.

I appreciate secular communities, groups, associations and likeminded individuals for continuing to follow and support our works over the years, you have made us who we are and scores of Ugandans have succeeded in their education.

With science, we can progress



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HOW YOU CAN SUPPORT US:

Potential donor individuals and organizations are encouraged to help us through our partner organizations listed below:

Atheist Alliance International: https://www.atheistalliance.org/campaigns/kasese-humanist-school/

Uganda Humanist Schools Trust UK: https://ugandahumanistschoolstrust.org

B Sundry Charities USA: https://kasesehumanist.blogspot.com/p/donate-to-us-via-b-sundry-charities.html

The Springwell Foundation/Polestar Project UG: https://www.thespringwell.org <

