

# JUNGLE DRUM

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## Editorial Message.

Dear Friends,

With the recent news reports of the Coronavirus, there is a growing need globally for spiritual help, encouragement, and peace. Amidst all this we are strong, focused and moving forward with all our working plans. Please below, we share with you some of the events that happened in the previous months. Please we are with you, we shall continue to pray for speedy solution and healing for all of us.

Thanks

Robertson

### HOSTING OF VOLUNTEER FROM SENIOR EXPERT FROM GERMANY.

With support and collaboration of Rainbow eV Germany we hosted Dr. Maria as volunteer from Senior Expert Germany. Hosting Dr. Maria was such great and fundamental step to addressing some of the organization capacity challenges.

Dr. Maria engaged the entire Rainbow team in series of meetings and mini-workshop. Dr Maria majorly focused on production of market-driven and customer-oriented products and dealing with basic economic concepts and market skills among the staff.

This engagements culminated into what we are calling Maya shifting 2021 Action Plan as working document for the organization. We are proud to inform you that this plan was adopted by the organization and is being followed and implemented. The plan highlights the major steps and milestones that have to be followed and captured to successful shift to Maya by 2021.





## Hosting of students of Regenal –Gyamnsium Nittenaum Germany



Students interviewing Micheal



Students going through a cultural Dance

Hosting team of students and some staff members of Regenal-Gymnasium Nittenaum Germany, has and will always be memorable and profound event in history of Rainbow. The school of Regenal-Gymnasium Nittenaum Germany is great and committed partner of Rainbow. For so many years, Rainbow Uganda has impacted many lives of children and communities with financial support from the school. Therefore we were so much excited and pleased to host them again. The students were engaged in several activities during their stay at the organization ranging from cultural exchange gathering that involved learning how to prepare local dishes, songs, dance, Tree planting at Maya to documentation and interview of some Rainbow team.

## **Construction of New Building at Maya Ground.**

With financial support from Rainbow eV Germany, the construction of new building that will accommodate the Staff at Maya that include Security worker and animal and chicken caretakers commenced and it's at 90% of its completion. The building will solve the accommodation challenge that has been an issue for Rainbow.



## **Effect and coping of coronavirus disaster**

In addressing the coronavirus disaster the organization has seriously taken government preventive measures and effected them at the organization. The first step was to hold workshop for all staff and trainees on corona virus, how its spread and preventive measures conducted by Germany Volunteer and fixing of Sanitizers, water and soap facilities at the office. The second step was to put on hold our Vocational training, Brass band, Sports and Dance and Drama programs until 21 of April 2020. Right now we have few key staff members who are running the office. The other staff have been encouraged to once in week to work from Maya the new ground until situation normalizes.



## Donation of 2000 Litres water Tank and Instalment and trees at Maya by Towanika.

Water remains one of the biggest challenge for Rainbow at Maya the new ground. However short-run measures have been done to address this issue ranging harvesting rainwater and storing. We are very proud to inform you that Towanika Germany through Brigitte the founder has been at the forefront of the short-run measures of addressing the water challenge through donation of water tanks at Maya. This year Towanika Germany has again donated 2000 liters water tank and instalment cost at Maya ground. This donation will significantly partly solve to water challenge at Maya ground. With this tank we shall be able to harvest rain water and store. This water is used to irrigate the vegetables and crops and watering of animals and chicken. Additionally Towanika Germany also supports the environmental conservation cause through promotion of Tree planting at Maya ground and community schools. Towanika Germany donated trees to Rainbow and two community schools.



Brigitte joining pupils to plant a tree in the school compound



School pupils with trees given to them by Towanika German