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### APRIL 2017 MONTHLY REPORT

#### INTRODUCTION

Tony Waite has continued to scale up its operations from urban, peri-urban and hard to reach areas. The organization also continues to thrive offering a robust and holistic package of philanthropic assistance to children infected and affected by chronic illnesses orphans and the vulnerable, men and women, boys and girls in the community.

#### OBJECTIVES

- To identify needy clients through community volunteers and CPC registers.
- To improve on household income, food security and health.
- To provide Care and Support Services and Palliative Care.
- To provide comprehensive scholastic and psychosocial support.
- To strengthen co-ordination and networking

#### PLANNED ACTIVITIES

C& HBC,

Monthly PMTCT Ward meetings,

Youth Clubs and Support Group meetings,

Monitoring of livelihood projects,

Kapenta packaging, marketing and monitoring.

Outreaches for hard to reach areas

## **1. IDENTIFICATION OF NEEDY COMMUNITY MEMBERS**

Trained volunteers continued to identify people in need of care. These people include women, men, boys and girls seeking medical assistance, school fees, nutritional support and others having suffered Gender Based Violence.

## **2. TO IMPROVE HOUSEHOLD INCOME, FOOD SECURITY AND HEALTHY**

### **NUTRITIONAL SUPPORT**

The organization has continued to with its feeding programme and reached 394 (220m 175f) 234 (124M 110F) orphans and vulnerable children with fish heads and 161 (96m 65f) with kapenta. The organisation also managed to reach 15 (3M 12F) elderly with kapenta for the month of April. See photos below



### **MEDICAL SUPPORT**

A total of 4 993 (2 012M 2 981F) were reached with SRHR information which led to a total of 623 (201M 422F) getting tested for HIV and knowing their statuses. The figure comprises those reached through the Women and child health project, family clubs, youths in school peer educators and those reached in youth clubs. Secondary caregivers continue to spread the gospel through ward meetings and door to door sessions reaching to 263 (82M 181F) and a total of 633 (229M 404F) individuals and 92 couples reached through door to door counseling sessions. They reached 206 (88M 118) with GBV information focusing on prevention of GBV and referral pathways. Volunteers have managed to offer assistance to 56 (12M 44F) individuals on GBV and these were assisted through counseling and referrals to VFU and Social Services. Tony Waite volunteers have also managed to give TB adherence support to 12 (5M 7F) individuals and 3 females were reported to have completed their treatment in. The PMTCT mothers' meetings are ongoing at Nyamhunga Clinic with the PMTCT champion spearheading the discussions and disseminating information whilst encouraging disclosure.

The organization continues working hand in glove with other organizations and this has ensured cooperation which has assisted the disadvantaged and the underprivileged. Volunteers continue to conduct home visits to Community Home Based Care clients and support visits were done.

Below is a table of patients seen for HBC and Palliative Care

<b>NEW CLIENTS</b>	<b>MALE</b>	<b>FEMALE</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>CATEGORY</b>			
BED RIDDEN	0	0	0
AMBULATORY	0	1	1
WORKING	4	4	8
<b>TOTAL NEW</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>TOTAL CLIENTS SEEN</b>	<b>MALE</b>	<b>FEMALE</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
BED RIDDEN	0	3	3
AMBULATORY	8	10	18
WORKING	167	301	468
TOTAL	175	314	489
CLIENTS SEEN ON ART	101	282	383
NUMBER OF DEATHS	2	0	2
CAREGIVERS AT HOUSE LEVEL	6	9	15
FACILITATORS PROVIDING SERVICE	1	51	52
NUMBER OF CHILDREN SEEN	56	45	101
NUMBER OF CHILDREN SEEN ON ART	32	31	63
HOME VISITS CHILDREN	98	102	200
HOME VISITS ADULTS	208	394	602
TOTAL HOME VISITS	306	496	802

## **OUTREACHES**

Outreaches were done with the MoH&CC in lake and hard to reach areas where people accessed medical care HIV and AIDS counseling and testing and also screening of sexually transmitted infections. The outreaches were conducted at Nyaodza and Gache Gache fishing camps, quarry NAU and Charara. Other services provided included family planning services, viral load testing was also done, and the patients who participated in the viral load will be expecting their results next month, treatment of general ailments, child growth monitoring and immunization as well as dissemination of health information. The organisation partnered with the Ministry Of Health and Child Care in the Africa Immunization Week where it managed to reach children 306 (136M 170F) with immunization and growth

monitoring. Other services were provided which included provision of Family Planning Services.



### **LIVELIHOODS PROJECTS**

The organization operates in four livelihoods gardens namely Padare, ZIHOPFE, Charara and primary school in a bid to improve nutritional support and household income through availability of fresh vegetables for consumption they are fully utilizing their space to draw maximum benefits from their garden. The garden members at Charara have cleared the land for winter crops production. At Padare garden the members continue nursing vegetables that can thrive through the winter season.



### **PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT**

Youth clubs and support groups are continuing to meet once per month holding their meetings at Nyamhunga and Mahombekombe. A total of 249(102M 147F) have been reached during the month of April. They continue getting information on SRHR, Gender Based Violence, hygiene, child abuse, rights and responsibilities. They continue requesting for balls so as to engage in sporting activities during their club meetings. A total of 19 (6M 13F) received counseling from the volunteers during the month. The outcry for refreshments and balls to use during meetings continues to be a cause for concern. Power sales donated clothes worth US\$5 046.50. See photos Tony Waite staff with Power Sales staff.



### **FAMILYCLUBMEETINGS**

Organization managed to conduct family clubs in the month of April reaching a total of 40 females. These are instrumental in disseminating and sharing parental skills, giving information on SRHR, Gender Based Violence whilst promoting adherence for people living with HIV .There is also the opportunity to share skills and conduct internal savings and lending as a way of uplifting lives of the vulnerable in the community. The meetings are conducted in the wards where the women are conducting their various economic strengthening activities. Support is needed in terms of refreshments and materials to use in their detergent making project whilst they continue sighting the positive aspect hat they are benefitting in terms of peer support.

### **KAPENTA PROJECT**

The organization has also continued to support vulnerable women and youths economically through income generating project of Kapenta. A total of 12 (5M 7F) were employed in packaging during the month comprising of youths and women. Some of these people are survivors of gender based violence, are caring for children with disabilities and some of the women are also living with disabilities.



### **KAPENTA FACTORY CONSTRUCTION**

Follow up was done during the month and progress continues with plastering having been completed outside. Construction of 4<sup>th</sup> rig is near completion see photo below on follow up



#### 4) TO IMPROVE COORDINATION

International Women's Day Commemorations

Rural District Development Committee Planning meeting

Nyami Nyami Rural District Full Council Meeting

Anti-sexual violence meeting

Municipality of Kariba service level benchmarking peer review which showed that the council is performing well and the only with M&E PLANS.

The organisation has been on Nyami Nyami FM radio on youth programme every week

The National AIDS Council shared the Tony Waite kapenta project at its provincial management meeting as a good practice for the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2017

ZITF kapenta exhibition through Kariba publicity association see photos below



A group of women, girls and a few men get feedback after the launch on women in leadership



## 5) STAFF DEVELOPMENT

Staff Meeting

Launch on empowered women in leadership by Hivos through WCOZ see photos of women from all walks of life parliamentarians, politicians, business, civil society and NGOs.



## 6) PLANNED ACTIVITIES

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Ellen Vengere

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