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Q1 Impact Updates:

The EWK Foundation is proud to be an active member of the community, making a significant impact through our various initiatives. Our education support program strives to ensure that all students at Juja home in Kenya are settled in school. We are proud to sponsor the education of several students, including the following:

- 14 students from **Ndururumo Primary School**
- 13 students from Munyaka Primary School
- 12 students from Ndururumo Secondary School
- 6 students from **Mount Kenya University**
- 1 student from Masinga Institute of Professional Studies
- 1 student Queen of Peace Nembu Secondary School
- 1 student **Nginda Girls Secondary School**

EWK Foundation is also covering the cost of school lunches for junior and secondary school students, and providing a stipend for university students to assist with their accommodation expenses.

Immediate Pending Educational

EWK has received appeals from additional students in the surrounding community. We are committed to considering these requests as our budget allows. We appeal to our donors to help us take on more students

Thank you!

Thanks to all our donors who purchased school supplies in December. **Nguhi Ross**, one of our board directors, delivered all the gifts before Christmas Day.



Happy New Year!

Students at *Mount Kenya University - Equip Africa* are hard at work in 2024. EWK is sponsoring five students for a Certificate in *Perioperative Theatre Technology*. Below the students pose with Juja Home Director, Jane Wangari.



Maen Sanaipei, Ann Wangari, Bilha Wacu, Emmaculate Njeri, Purity Wairimu



Form 1 (freshmen) students at Ndururumo Secondary School Teresiah Mumbi, Brian Kagunya, Henry Karanja and Stephen Wangai

This January, four students graduated from Primary School and enrolled at **Ndururumo Secondary School**. First year students always incur additional fees

We are also grateful to our **Q4** donors. Your donations in the form of contributions, volunteer grants, and volunteer hours, continue to further our mission.

Technology:

EWK paid for WIFI services at the Juja children's home to ease communication with staff and students.

Short/Mid-term needs:

During a visit to Juja Home, Robert Skilton, a friend of EWK, identified inefficiencies in the cooking methods. To reduce fuel costs, he found that combining smokeless fuel with efficiency was more economical and eco-friendlier. Using smokeless fuel also saves an average of 13 trees per ton and results in lower health risks due to reduced smoke emissions. A final report with actionable information is expected.

Irene MuturiEWK Executive Director



Stacy Ngigi - **MKU University** Student studying Animal Health and Production

(uniforms, books, supplies etc.). We are grateful to our donors for making this transition possible.



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Form I thru Form IV Ndururumo Students

John and Ciiru - friends of EWK from Kenya - made a meaningful contribution during the holidays. They purchased and delivered a set of sports equipment to children at Juja Children's home. The package included ten soccer balls, three volleyballs, ball pumps, nets, and cones. Their kind gesture brought joy and excitement to the children and helped promote an active and healthy lifestyle. We salute John and Ciiru for their generosity and kindness.



Ndururumo Primary School Children pose for a picture on the first day of school



Charles Musyoki pictured above Is a special needs student who was supposed to graduate from Primary last year. He was held back and will continue his studies at **Munyaka Primary** for the next two years. Charles is a hardworking and affectionate child. EWK is currently exploring opportunities to collaborate with the staff of Munyaka to enhance his education and make it more meaningful.



EWK continues to extend support beyond Juja Children's Home. In January, David, headmaster of Munyaka Primary, informed us of a student whose family lacked funds to send to secondary school. We have added Mary Wangithi to EWK sponsorship list and she is now settled in **Nginda Girls Secondary**.



Munyaka Primary School Students below look ready to take on 2024



Board Director Nguhi Ross poses with children at Juja home



Consider making a difference in a child's life today!

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