



Village Africa

Registered Charity Number 1122410

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Thank you for your invaluable support. Without this, Village Africa would not be able to continue to provide health and education to the villages of Yamba and Milingano. It certainly has been a busy period with lots of change. The economic downturn hit exchange rates and poor climate caused four crop failures but, with the villagers' optimism, morale is high and things are starting to pick up.

2010 Priorities for Village Africa

- Purchase of an ambulance
- Emergency trips to hospital
- Run health post with 24 hour call out, 365 days of the year
- Health seminars for villagers
- Volunteer teaching programme
- School desks
- Child sponsorship scheme
- Build housing for African staff
- Build carpenters' workshop



2009 Highlights of Village Africa

Health

- 55 emergency trips to hospital saving lives
- Motorbike purchased as backup vehicle
- Health post with 24 hour call out, 365 days of the year
- 733 cases seen at health post
- Renovated and furnished health post to include waiting area
- 2 African nurses employed
- 3 month microscope training for 1 nurse
- Seminars for villagers on malaria, HIV/AIDS, cholera, pneumonia, first aid, water and sanitation
- 1 nurse volunteer
- Mosquito nets given to secondary school pupils

Other

- 100 trees planted
- Community garden started
- Clothing, shoes and bedding distributed to local volunteers
- Football nets given to the community

Education

- 4 classrooms built
- 12 school toilets built
- 17 teaching volunteers, expedition and summer camp in local schools
- School stationery distributed to pupils
- 42 pupils in child sponsorship scheme
- English lessons for Village Africa staff
- Knitting lessons for women in Yamba and Milingano
- Youth sewing and knitting lessons in Yamba
- Singing lessons for Yamba Catholic Choir
- Community library started in Milingano

- Sewing machine and knitting materials given to Yamba Knitting Group
- Crafts markets held for visitors
- 25 building volunteers
- 8 management, marketing, finance and office volunteers

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5p = pencil, £2 = nurse for a day, £4 = mosquito net, £5 = malaria treatment for African staff, £9 = blanket, £10 = health seminar, £25 = classroom door, £50 = water tank, £100 = emergency trip to hospital