

# 2018 ANNUAL REPORT



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## FROM THE ED'S DESK

## LOOKING BACK AND SEEING

**T**his perhaps is the best platform to appreciate all our volunteers, staff, board members, lovers, likers, followers and supporters all through 2018. This report covers all the activities that we carried and highlighting the major accomplishment in the fiscal year 2018.

This is the year that Kids & Teens Resource Centre marked her 16th Anniversary, 16 years of relentless efforts in ensuring a good future for children and young people. 16 years of mobilizing communities for good governance and improved enabling environment for children and young people to advance and achieve their respective potentials in Life.



Looking back and seeing the number of young people that have been groomed and are now either gainfully employed with international organizations or fully established their own businesses, is one accomplishment I can record and be glad. In the last few years, K&TRC has been adequately represented in different international meetings attended by groomed members of staff of the organization.

Of great recognition was the attainment of being in special consultative status with the UN ECOSOC since January 2017 and participation of some members of staff in the CSW62 in New York in March 2018 led by the Director, Programs. The International AIDS Conference also attended by a staff of the organization and many more opportunities like such that K&TRC has benefitted from.

Working with us is not like sleeping on a bed of roses. These achievements were attained as a result of the commitment and selflessness of volunteers and members of staff of the organization. The Youth Advocacy Group made us proud with their outstanding performance on SRHR issues in Ondo State. They were able to effect a few changes in the situation of services for young people in Ondo State.

Many more work need to be done. Many more opportunities need to be explored. Many more capacities need to be built. Many more networking and partnerships need to be established and sustained. Many more war against child abuse need to be won. Many more actions against all forms of violence against women need to be accomplished.

The coming years shall usher in great things. It shall experiment with the provisions in the succession plan. I will step-aside and hand over the mantle of leadership of the organization to the next qualified officer in the organization as provided in the Succession Plan.

I hope that you find delight in reading about what we do which has been put together for your reading pleasure and am inviting you to not only read and understand but also help us to share what we do with others.

Thank you.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'M. Falana', with a stylized flourish at the end.

**Martin-Mary Falana.**

**LIST OF BOARD MEMBERS**

1. **Prof. Joseph Oluwasanmi- Board Chairman - Chief Medical Director, Joe-Jane Hospital, Ado-Ekiti, Ekiti State**
2. **Prof Tony Elujoba – Vice Chairman – Village Chemist, Pharmacy Department, OAU, Ile-Ife, Osun State.**
3. **Mrs Caroline M. Fadakinni – Member – Retired Principal, Ondo State Civil service, Akure, Ondo State.**
4. **Alhaji Olusola Agbaje – Member – Life Care Organization, Ado-Ekiti, Ekiti State.**
5. **Falana Martin-Mary – Board Secretary/Executive Director. K&TRC, Funmine Castle opposite Solab Suites, FUTA Southgate, Akure, Ondo State.**

## **HISTORY**

**Kids & Teens Resource Centre (K&TRC) is a registered non-governmental organization established in December 2002 to advance, promote and support efforts of government and all other stakeholders involved in children and young people developmental activities. K&TRC has been working among children and young people for the past 15 years and have made remarkable impacts in the lives of young people in communities we work through service provision, information sharing, capacity development, mentoring and participatory community development.**

**K&TRC has won several awards on most outstanding approaches of meeting the needs of young people using diverse strategies at different areas. The strategies that have worked include young people's involvement which is critical to adolescent and youth health programming at every level, not just as beneficiaries of the implementation of the action plan but also as active participants in policy processes and programme action. Young people have exciting and growing capacities and are highly resourceful; they are competent at articulating their own needs, challenges, and desired interventions.**

**The Organization was registered with the Ministry of Women Affairs, Youth and Social Development of Ondo State on 9 January 2003 and with the Corporate Affairs Commission, Abuja on the 26th day of January, 2007 with registration number CAC/IT/No. 22871. The Organization works within the legal framework of the Nigerian Constitution and in accordance with the Law of the Corporate Affairs Commission on Non-Governmental Organizations and other relevant laws and statutes.**

## **VISION**

**“A secured future” where children and young people are empowered to contribute to the sustainable development of their communities**

## **MISSION**

**To equip young people with knowledge and skills appropriate for self-actualization and development**

## **THEMATIC AREAS**

**Health, Education, Environment, Governance, Child Rights, Youth Development, Peace & Conflict Resolution, ICT & Resource Centre and Economic Empowerment**

## **CORE VALUES**

-  **Mutual Love**
-  **Integrity**
-  **Professionalism**
-  **Partnership**
-  **Accountability**
-  **Respect**

## 1.0 IN HOUSE TRAININGS/MEETINGS

As our way of planning for the year in other to be productive, K&TRC organized several training which included Project Management, Resource Mobilization, Organizational Policy, Report Writing, abstract



writing, SDG's Training, Facilitation participatory Learning Action, Writing Culture



Skills,  
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Other Trainings includes Gender Analysis, practical session on Condom Demonstration, Basic Counseling Skills Workshop on Basic Facts about Condoms and other New

Technologies.

More Training took place as the year unfolded such as Advocacy, collaboration, networking and partnership, Leadership, time management, ownership and sustainability, conflict resolution and Management, romance, sex and love, 3 to 5 save lives, Storytelling, the power of pen, Personal Development, and Needs Assessment.



The Various Training changed the narratives of staffs impact as several success stories followed in project implementation. This training was also part of the way the organisation gave back to staffs and volunteers which is part of career development for them.





## 2.0 OUTREACH PROGRAMS

### COMPREHENSIVE CARE AND SUPPORT EVENT FOR VULNERABLE CHILDREN

In the context of K&TRC vision, which is “a secured future where young people are empowered to contribute to the sustainable development of their communities”, a comprehensive care and support event tagged ‘Leaving No One Behind’ was organized for vulnerable children especially the children of the physically challenged in the Hausa community of Akure, known as “Sabo” to contribute to towards their educational support. This event was also supported by a sister NGO known as ROTDOW. In attendance were the Seriki, staff and volunteers of K&TRC, Sister NGOs and fifty beneficiaries. Books with stationery were given to each child to support their education. Emphasis was laid on the value of education during the welcome address by MM to steer up the interest of the Hausa Community who has poor regards for education in Nigeria.

This Comprehensive Care and Support for Vulnerable Children Program was organized for Children of the Physically Challenged at Sabo Community, Old Garage, Akure, Ondo-State. This was held by K&TRC and ROTDOW (Restoration of the Dignity of Womanhood).

### KNOWLEDGE AND CARE



Sexual and Reproductive Health for young ones is one of the key areas K&TRC focuses on aggressively in order to reduce victims who are partakers of sexual diseases and unwanted pregnancies. Therefore, one of the strategies K&TRC engages is to make use of spreading the awareness of safer sex through the use of condoms. This was carried out in form of mini projects by K&TRC staff to demonstrate to people around us how to make use of condoms and the benefits attached to it. Places



where there were mini condom demonstrations, include Funmine Castle Fashion House, FUTA campus, Ado Park, Brothel and Oja-Oba Market. This was crowned up by the International Condom's Day event which held on the 13<sup>th</sup> of February, 2018 with condom demonstration to 622 FUTA students which include both males and females. Several of the students eventually turned up as volunteers for the organisation

### KNOWING SERIES



Knowing Series is a package for the adolescents to create a free platform for the expression of their questions on a one on one basis. It is a program designed to train adolescents and young people on life building skills, leadership, understanding their sexuality as related to puberty and challenges they experience within this adolescent period. Places where K&TRC held knowing series for 2018 includes Best Result coaching centre at IJU, Funmilad college Itaogbolu, Omolorogbo Secondary at Oke-aro, Ondo State to give basic life skills to the adolescents on how to face situations on sexual and reproductive health issues. The young people were also called upon to take their own chastity pledge and an affirmation speech stating their worth and promotion of keeping themselves chaste; she encouraged them not to look down on themselves no matter their backgrounds, past or mistakes but looking ahead and drawing inspirations from role models and those who were already successful

### **CHILDREN CARAVAN 2018: 50 LESS PRIVILEGED KIDS EMPOWERED**

Making a difference in the lives of children especially those who live in rural and excluded communities has been the major focus of our organization. This year's holiday camp was designed to expose less-privileged kids to social life.

Kids & Teens Resource Centre (K&TRC) mobilized children ages 10-15 from 5 rural communities across 3 Local Government Areas of Ondo State for an educational tour to the Airport – seeing the landing and taking-off of a plane for the first time in their lives.

The Caravan took the kids to the Federal University of Technology Akure and where they were introduced to the different structures in the university.

The tour to the university is to promote enthusiasm for attaining University education amidst their parents' yearning for farming after a high school because of their inability to finance the university education.



The Caravan provided room for the kids to also acquire skills that they can use to become entrepreneurs and support their parents in funding for their education in future through the production of little things they can do to sell within their reaches such as confectionery, soaps, body creams, and fashion products.





The Caravan took the kids to a Zoo where they were able to see different types of animals and amazingly, none of these kids had visited a Zoo before. They also visited Akure shopping Mall to shop for items in Shoprite Akure.



The over 50 children also visited Coven Hubs Akure where they were trained on ICT and Virtual Environment. The Children Caravan 2018 #CC2018 ended with training on #ICT and Entrepreneurial training in collaboration with the GREAT initiative in a bid to further expose the kids to creative and innovative thinking that will set them on the right course to achieving their full potentials in life.

The power of their imagination has been enhanced in the 3 days program and we look forward to seeing them contributing to the sustainable development of their communities- Aponmu, Ipinsa, IKota, Ilado and Akure as a whole.

## A COMMUNITY ON THE BRINK OF EXTINCTION

Ayetoro community, which was founded in 1947 by Christian religious leaders and fishermen was recorded as one of the most prosperous rural communities in West Africa; based on public records, as at 1960 the proceeds



made from fishing activities was huge before the discovery of crude oil in the



1970s, a discovery, which Eretan the community religious head described as the flood gate of doom for the community which has almost been reduced to nothing due to incessant flood disaster that occurs all year round.

Heavy rainfall and industrial oil drilling activities by multinational companies are reported to be the major causes of floodings that have often threatened the population of over 14,000 people inhabiting the moderate size island community, which is surrounded by the Atlantic Ocean. Lives of people, especially those of children, properties, and parts of the land are often lost during and in the aftermath of the flood disaster.

The one that occurred most recently, as a result of rain and sea incursion took place in the middle of the over 30 houses community secondary school meters of land community large as 4 pitch and served celebration of the whole Ilaje during the smaller land



night, submerging including the primary school, a and over 1000 leaving the which was once as standard football as a centre for the Empire's Day for local government colonial era, a space.

In 2007, just 11 years back, Kids & Teens Resource Centre came to the rescue of the population affected by the reported mighty flood disaster with relief materials such as foodstuff, mosquito nets, clothing materials etc. gotten with fund provided by ActionAid, an international NGO with a presence in Nigeria. In the same spirit of passion for humanity, the organization embarked on a journey by land and water to the community on 24th of July, 2018 to carry out a situation analysis to help develop an advocacy case for the community and distribute the relief materials the organization could afford from the limited fund that was available. The relief materials included treated mosquito nets, daily hygiene materials (toothbrush, toothpaste and detergent), food and sanitary pads for the young women and children who were internally displaced by the flood disaster.

It was deduced from the situation analysis that the flood has carried waste that was not properly disposed to the inhabited parts of the community blocking drainages and creating

breeding spaces for mosquitoes. The disaster is an easy cause for epidemic outbreaks such as cholera, diarrhoea, and diseases such as malaria. The displacement situation was assessed to easily spread other contagious infections and diseases such as tuberculosis due to overcrowded living space and poor ventilation. Also, oil spillage has affected the economic situation of the people causing the death of the fishes which they catch to sell as a means of primary livelihood. The oil spillage is also largely responsible for the high cost of potable water being sold in the community due to its scarcity.

### WHAT NEXT

Kids & Teens Resource Centre will be meeting with the government and stakeholders at all three levels, to help allay the fears of the inhabitants by preventing the total extinction of a long time historical settlement of the beautiful people of Ayetoro community.

Evidence based advocacy is urgently needed to put this community in its rightful place.

### CULTURAL FIESTA

#### **K&TRC reawakens cultural values among children.**

Culture generally, is the way an individual or group of people chose to do their things; it is often handed down from generations to generations. At some point, it could be amended and could possibly wear out.

Nigerian culture and customs extend to several other aspect of the life of an average Nigerian, from the way we greet an elder to food customs, fashion and the pattern of leadership in our country. This way of life has lingered for years but it's gradually being eroded by modern civilization.







In order to promote cultural values that are almost fading away,

Kids & Teens

Resource

Centre



commemorated 2018 Children's Day with a Cultural Fiesta for children aimed at promoting unity among children who live in Ondo State and also promote opportunities for everyone to experience culture, participate in educational programs and develop their creative abilities among many others. We believe that one way to help children connect to their culture is through their experience; they need to have a strong sense of their own cultural history and traditions to help them build a positive cultural identity for themselves, good sense of belonging and self-esteem.

The Children Cultural Fiesta brought sparks to the faces of the audience as the children participated in the cultural fairs and display. The children represented various tribes in Nigeria showcasing the wealth, beauty and riches of our dear country Nigeria.

Among the dignitaries present at the event was the Executive Director of K&TRC in person of Martin-Mary Falana, Queen Moremi Ajasoro (Miss Iyimide Shola Shittu), the Executive Director of TRACE magazine Prince Ebenezer Adeniyi, NGOs and many others.



The children were engaged with different activities like fashion parade, drama, games etc., the event ended in a most rewarding way where kids got the opportunity to win different gifts donated by our partners; Coca-Cola, UAC (Grand Cereals) and Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development. The event was a success because of the support of others as well, such as Lync Oodua Magazine, SUBEB,

AIT, Events Palace Ltd, Ondo State Min. of Culture and Tourism, Orange FM, TRACE Magazine, Melvins Couture, BEE Enterprises, Food Code, Packages for the Future, Mind and Moments Initiative, etc



### 3.6 K&TRC PARTNERSHIP

**K**&TRC work with other sister NGO's and partners in delivering quality services.

**KNCV/TB PROJECT ORIENTATION WORKSHOP:** K&TRC hosted the Ondo State Chapter of project orientation workshop. Participants Executive Directors, Monitoring Evaluation Officers, Finance Local Government TB Supervisors Volunteers from CBOs (K&TRC, Knowledge Care Providers). This facilitated by Mm, Project Officer one on community engagement in control and Dr Adeleke KNCV Officer on Basic Information on



KNCV/TB

included and Officers, and G2W and was on day TB Program TB.

A workshop on Gender Analysis was attended at GTW by Onesimus who represented K&TR



**MICROSOFT STEP-DOWN TRAINING FOR NGOS**

It is well known that in this 21<sup>st</sup> century, organizations with advancements in technologies gain better chances of enjoying more profitable opportunities. In this regard, a step-down training sponsored by Microsoft but facilitated by K&TRC to do step-down training for other sisters NGOs in Akure, Ondo-State to be beneficiaries of what Microsoft has in stock for Non-Governmental Organizations. This was done in regards to the major training that took place in 2017, where K&TRC represented Ondo-State. This step-down training took place on the 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> of February at the Advancement Hub (Coven Hub), Akure. The training included the creation of Microsoft account for NGOs who do not have one. This was facilitated by Mm and Third Samuel. Fifteen NGOs were present in total. The benefit of the training was to make sure NGOs have access to the use of Microsoft Azure which can help them benefit in Hostel email, security and privacy, office web apps, document sharing, web and voice conferencing and social networking. Third Samuel also made them aware of other Microsoft capabilities such as accelerated innovation, optimized operation, focused app development, industry-leading security.

**WOMEN LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP**

On the 5<sup>th</sup> of March, K&TRC participated in a two-day' workshop for women leaders in Southwest on governance Issues in Akure organized by CRUDAN (Christian Rural & Urban





Development Association of Nigeria). There was, however, a group work, a model of inclusive governance and overview of advocacy. This was facilitated by Mr Opeyemi Yekinni from CRUDAN.

#### 4.0 INTERNATIONAL DAY CELEBRATION

International Days are specific observed days, weeks, years and decades set aside by the United Nations as occasions to mark particular events or topics in order to promote, through awareness and action, the objectives of the organization.



The international days marked by K&TRC were World Leprosy Day via a visit to Ago-Ireti Community with the theme “Zero Disabilities in boys and girls”. This was in conjunction with Damien Foundation.



#### INTERNATIONAL FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION'S DAY WITH THE THEME 'INTERNATIONAL DAY OF ZERO

TOLERANCE TO FGM.



This was commemorated via twitter hash tags such as # SAY NO TO FGM, Facebook posts and on the 8<sup>th</sup> of February, stakeholders took pictures with K&TRC placards relating to FGM.

## VALENTINE'S DAY



K&TRC celebrated Valentine's Day by organizing a short talk with parents at the Parent Teachers Association meeting at Best Solutions Nursery and Primary School, FUTA South Gate, Akure on difference between discipline and punishment.

International Condom's Day was commemorated with condom demonstration at FUTA among campus students. A total of 2,105 condoms were distributed with the support of Ondo State Agency for the Control of AIDS.



International Mother Language day was celebrated on the organization's group page by asking the staff to give response to the question on "how do you say sustainable goal in your mother's language?".

International Day of Happiness was celebrated internally amongst the staff by taking



pictures with play cards on ten keys to happier living in the acronym "GREATDREAM" as related to the theme: "Share Happiness". The play cards displayed that this can be done via giving, relaxing, exercising, awareness, trying out, direction, resilience, emotions,



acceptance and meaning.



### **Menstrual Health and Hygiene World Celebration Day**

Statistics show that at least 500 million women and girls globally lack adequate facilities for menstrual hygiene management; inadequate water to wash, unavailability of means to dispose used sanitary pads in schools and other places can pose a major obstacle to women and girls leading to absenteeism from school during their period. At K&TRC, we work to make sanitary pads accessible to girls- especially those in marginalized communities- and empower them with knowledge on menstrual hygiene to make them self reliant.



As an organization, Menstrual Hygiene Day is an opportunity to join our voice with the global community to call attention to the plight of girls because Menstrual Hygiene Day is a global and annual awareness day that comes up May 28 to break the taboos surrounding menstruation, raise awareness of the importance of good menstrual hygiene management for women and adolescent girls worldwide to reach their full potential.

To commemorate the #MHD, on 28th May, 2018 Kids & Teens Resource Centre visited St Louis Grammar to conduct a sensitization on Sanitation and Menstrual Hygiene for Adolescent Girls. Where free sanitary pad was given to the girls

### **World Population Day**

Kids & Teens Resource Centre promotes male involvement in Family Planning #WPD #WorldPopulationDay is an annual event, observed on July 11th every year, which seeks to raise awareness on global population issues. The event was established by the Governing Council of the United Nations Development programme in 1989.

This year's theme "Family Planning is a Human Right" marks the 50th anniversary of the first proclamation on "Family Planning as a Human Right" made on 13 May 1968 at the conclusion of the United Nations International Conference on Human Rights, article 16, and States:

**"Parents have a basic human right to determine freely and responsibly the number and the spacing of their children".**

***"Give birth to children that you can adequately feed, cloth and educate"***



**Some of the questions asked by the drivers:  
Does family planning affect a woman when she is ready to get pregnant?**

**Is it good for a young girl who is not married to do family planning?**

**Is there a family planning method for men also?**

Prior to this time, the effort to plan, delay and avoid unintended pregnancies had been a personal effort of women and girls which had led to the loss of lives of many, with the advent of the declaration that family planning is a human right, women and girls now have the right to avoid the pains and dangers that come with too many and ill-spaced pregnancies: the right to access family planning information and education.

This year K&TRC took the message to the executives and members of the National Union of Road Transport Workers in their branch office at Ado park in Akure, Ondo State. The programme began with a brief but clear message on what family planning is and the different types of family planning methods which includes injectibles, Pills and the use of condom. This was followed by a practical session by K&TRC's program assistant, Ruth Ubogu, on how to use condom correctly and consistently after which opportunity

was given for questions to be asked. A total of 35 participants were in attendance, 34 males and 1 female and a total of 515 condoms shared among the participants.

As part of the awareness program, 50 I. E. C stickers were printed and pasted on vehicles plying Akure-Ado route to make the message reach other men. The stickers were printed in both English and Yoruba which is their indigenous language to enhance adequate communication of the message:

**World Kidney Day 2018**

The World Kidney Day is also the same day as the International Women's Day. This should bring more focus on the health and wellness of women.

Kidney disease when chronic comes with adverse outcomes of kidney failure and premature death. This is fast becoming a global public health problem.

From research, kidney transplant is said to be possible but this has not been in favor of women due to global inequality. There is a lack of equitable healthcare access for women. There is also lack of proper information to get women aware of what to do and the many chances available for their survival of chronic kidney disease.

For the pregnant women especially, chronic kidney disease can be quite challenging to both the mother and the baby because of the high rates of hypertensive disorders and pre-term birth. However, on dialysis, results improve with intensive (daily or nearly daily) dialysis

As a matter of fact, it is currently the 8th leading cause of death in women, with close to 600,000 deaths each year thus, affecting over 195 million women across the globe.

treatment, thus calling for dedicated programs for women of childbearing age. In successfully transplanted women, fertility can be restored and chances of successful birth increase. This shows that we still have lots of educative programs to organize for the advantages of women as well as actions to take to make sure health facilities are more favorable to women.

If we still keep handling women's health with levity, the burden of maternal mortality might be on the increase especially in the developing countries.

Therefore, today being the World Kidney Day and the International Women's Day 2018, it is a golden opportunity to reflect, decide and take active measures to secure the health of women and girls of this generation and the ones coming after.



**INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY EVENTS:** Women are one of the secondary targets of the K&TRC to reach out to children. Women generally are believed to bear a larger portion of a child's sustainability and therefore deserve some respect and recognition in the society. With women who are also doing excellently well in their profession alongside their mother duties, K&TRC gives great appraisals to them. Therefore, in view of the International Women's Day, K&TRC commemorated the day by taking snapshots of women with an open flag for insertion of their heads with the theme for IWD "Press for Progress" with a response of "The time is now" at various locations such as Dome at Igbatoro Road, Sports Complex at Oba-Adesida Road, K&TRC office and NAO supermarket at Oja-Oba. Some participants of the snapshots include Mrs Nkechi, Mrs OJ Falana, Miss Kemi, Miss Ruthel



**WORLD KIDNEY DAY ROAD WALK :** With the adage that says "Health is Wealth", it is of utmost necessity that attention is being given to anything in relation to our health. It was a remarkable event as there was a road walk on the 9<sup>th</sup> of March in partnership with other NGOs from the palace to Isikan Market under the theme 'Kidney Disease and Women's Health'. There was a short health talk at Isikan Market before the start of the walk which included tips on performing daily exercises, taking constant fruits, taking three cups of water before brushing of teeth.



**WORLD TUBERCULOSIS DAY EVENTS:** K&TRC commemorated International Tuberculosis Day 2018 on the theme Wanted Leaders for TB in Ondo State. Participants include State Primary Health Care, Ministry of Health, NYSC bands, Focal persons on TB, CSOs working on TB and corps members.







**\*16 DAY ACTIVISM AGAINST GENDER BASED VIOLENCE CAMPAIGN IN ONDO STATE\* THEME: STOP VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND GIRLS. Dec.**

GBV can be described as any form of violence that is directed at individuals on the basis of their gender (Male or Female). \*Causes of GBV-\* Lack of gender equality, poverty, low educational level, lack of awareness and knowledge about rights, women's low position.

Polygamy, dowry, religious misinformation and misinterpretation, moral degradation, weakness of laws, economic dependency.

In attendance were the students of Fiwasaye Girls Grammar school. Also present are representatives from APIN, ODSACA, ODPHCBD and KAMI and K&TRC. Representatives gave good will messages

Children were most likely to experience sexual violence in the perpetrators home (50% for girls and 32% for boys) followed by their own home (19% for girls and 31% for boys) and 15% of girls and 25% of boys first experience of sexual violence was at school.



## REPORT OF EKITI CELEBRATION OF WORLD AIDS DAY.

Ekiti CiSHAN commemorated the World AIDS Day and Kids & Teens Resource Centre was well represented along with other sister NGOs working on HIV and AIDS in Ekiti State. The event took place at the Fayose Market in Ado Ekiti. The Executive Director was totally in-charge of the demonstration of condoms during the event.

Activities to commemorate the day include among others HIV Testing Services, Group sensitisation/awareness, and the awareness was carried out from store to store in the market where Martin-Mary Falana the ED of K&TRC demonstrated without withholding any critical information the essence of the awareness and enlightened the people on the importance of knowing their HIV Status and staying HIV free.



## **CODE WEEK**

KTRC in collaboration with MyDigiCrib organize a week coding training for teenagers in Oba-ile AKure. In attendance was 20 young people with 6 females and 14 young males. The impact was massive as for some that was the first time they were coding while for the others it must an opportunity to further and to commit to coding.

## **CHILDREN CHRISTMAS PARTY.**

KTRC with support from sister NGO's and friends organized a Children Christmas party as our way of giving opportunities to children to feel the love and warmth of Christmas. This also marked the end of KTRC 2018 calender Year.

## **5.0 OBSERVATIONS**

### **5.1 SUCCESS STORIES**

- The In-House piece of trainings enhanced the capacity of every K&TRC staff
- The activities of the organization gained the attention of few stakeholders via Guest of the Month
- K&TRC was able to enhance the technical capacities of another sister NGOs
- K&TRC was able to gain the attention of a non-indigene community in the Akure town

- Exposure to innovative ideas through the past events in which one of them has helped towards preparation for the forthcoming cultural fiesta

## 5.2 CHALLENGES

- Funds issues.
- Little internet data for voluminous researches.
- Clear Camera for taking strategic pictures

## 5.3 RECOMMENDATIONS

- Separating specific days for tedious manual works
- Encouragement of individual timetable for proper effective delivery of tasks
- Forty-eight hours' notice should be given for shift of task
- Improvement of resource strategies
- Making use of clear camera for strategic pictures

## 5.4 CONCLUSION

2018 indeed was awesome with lots of results and success stories. The quest on our lip is what is next? We have several programs already lined up for 2019 but we call you to play your part in whatever way you can collaborate or support us. See you in 2019 annual report.

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