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ABBREVIATIONS

K&TRC	-	KIDS & TEENS RESOURCE CENTRE
HIV	-	HUMAN IMMUNO DEFICIENCY VIRUS
IYD	-	INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY
WHD	-	WORLD HUMANITARIAN DAY
CEO	-	CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
CHASE	-	CHILDREN HYGIENE AND SANITATION EDUCATION CLUB
ED	-	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
END VAC	-	END VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN
GBV	-	GENDER BASED VIOLENCE
WED	-	WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY
VC	-	VULNERABLE CHILDREN

From the Desk of the

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



As we began 2019, it was with mixed feelings of gratitude and trepidation that I received the responsibility of being the new Executive Director of Kids & Teens Resource Centre; an organization that Martin-Mary started in 2002 and has worked hard to keep afloat amidst great challenges and successes. The CEO is no doubt a great leader that believes so much in people and invest daily in making others greater than himself.

"Stepping into his shoes" came with a lot of successes, opportunities, growth and challenges, nevertheless, with the support of our Board of Directors, Donors, Staff and Volunteers, we were able to do so much; carrying out interventions in new communities like Ilu-abo, Ipogun-Ayo, Sha-Sha, Ita-Olorun, Ijare and more; we also worked with other organizations to reach thousands of youths in Osun, Lagos, Edo, Ekiti, Ondo, Abuja and Oyo States to mention a few.

Our Children programs like Cultural Fiesta, Children Caravan, Christmas Party, and the Children Hygiene and Sanitation Education Club ignited greatness in the lives of children without leaving those with special abilities or vulnerabilities behind. We sent children found on the streets back to school and also supported many parents (individually and as an organization) financially to sustain their children. We paid the tuition fee of a student in Federal University of Technology Akure and saved him from losing his admission.

Through our Adolescent centered program; adolescents and young people in secondary schools, coaching centres and tertiary institutions were trained to make informed decisions and better life choice. We intervened in cases of Gender Based Violence to ensure victims got the care and support they needed. We also went a step further to

train some adolescents to stand as Anti-Sexual and Gender Based Champions and others as Anti-Drug Abuse Ambassadors in educating their peers so they can grow up into responsible adults. “The 10,000 Boys Must Hear Campaign” was effective in teaching boys that real big boys do not rape but they protect the girls around them which we believe will contribute to the reduction of increased rape cases and violence in our society.

We were also able to intervene in the flood disaster that took place in Ayetoro, a riverine Community; providing relief materials worth thousands of naira to victims and we also advocated for Government's intervention to prevent future reoccurrences in the community. A Cheque of One Million, Six Hundred Thousand Naira (N1,600,000) was presented by the Ondo State Community and Social Development Project to our Widows in Idanre to start a skill acquisition centre that will also train other women and provide a market for their products.

The highlights above are just a few of the developmental milestones and humanitarian strides we took in 2019 not to mention the input we made towards the achievements of the SDGs through our SDG education for children and young people, empowerment of vulnerable girls with knowledge and tools to change the poverty narrative in their communities, distribution of sanitary pads, distribution of food to hundreds of hungry people and diverse health programs to ensure health for all and the achievement of the UN 90:90:90 targets.

We are glad that our staff and volunteers also improved in knowledge and capacity through different trainings and forums we had together, international scholarship and certificates, as well as awards and recognitions.

More to Come...Looking ahead, K&TRC is committed to making 2020 the year of ‘Transformation’ of more lives and communities, implementation of Initiatives that will meet the most felt needs of the people, and an invitation to organizations, donors, individuals, development enthusiasts and other stakeholders to join us to do more for people and the planet. We’ve already started listing interventions and drawing plans of how to make our communities and country better.

Let's Get to Work

On behalf of the Board, I want to say that we're looking forward to the opportunity to work with you to advance the development of lives and communities. We look forward to programs and initiatives that will benefit children and youths; benefit communities and benefit you as you continue to grow into the fulfillment of your dreams and goals.

As always, I appreciate and love you all. I thank you for your support in 2019 and look forward to more as we work selflessly towards building a more cohesive and effective organization. I also request that you help us achieve our resource mobilization drive using the #10, #50 and #100 per day cards because without funds, we can do little but together everyone can achieve more.

Thank you once again and do have a most fulfilling and productive year ahead.



Folashade Bamigboye



PROGRAMMATIC INTERVENTIONS



STAKEHOLDERS MEETING ON ENDING VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN IN EKITI STATE

Stakeholders meeting on Ending Violence Against Children (#EndVAC) held at Ekiti on March 22 with key stakeholders from the Ministry of Women Affairs, Ministry of Justice, Child Protection Network, Police, NGOs, etc. to discuss the rising cases of violence against children in the state and fashion out effective solution to end it. The meeting was a success as it led to major stakeholders making a pledge to take more effective actions to ensure no child is violated around them or in their communities.

CHILDREN CULTURAL FIESTA 2019

The second edition of the Annual Children Cultural Fiesta was held on the 17th of October 2019 as part of the organization's effort in commemoration of the International Day for the Eradication of Poverty 2019. This year's edition aimed at providing linkages between culture and SDG 1 "No Poverty" so that children will have the knowledge of how unity among different cultures can enhance progress in poverty eradication.

This event was a cultural event that was used to also promote Sustainable Development Goals among children and young people from Primary and Secondary Schools in Ondo State.



The 2019 edition featured an array of events which included Opening Remarks, Good will messages, Debate Session on "Poverty can be Eradicated", Cultural Dance Competition, Speak Up session on what can be done to eradicate poverty, Prize Giving and Closing Remarks.

Dignitaries that were present included Mr Jide Fajuyi; President of Youth Tourism Club as the Chairperson of the Occasion, Mr Olamide Omodunni the representative of Enough is Enough Nigeria; the sponsor of Office of the Citizens Ondo, Director of State Library Services and Mrs Amowe of F3AID. Partners with Kids & Teens Resource Centre on the 2019 Children Cultural Fiesta included: D Rock Event Centre, Cakes and Pastries, TONABS Venture, Books, Books & Books Bookshop, Breeze FM, ROTDOW and Ondo - State Library Services. The total number of people who participated in the Children Cultural Fiesta 2019 was 124 which included 94 students and 30 adults. Also in May, Kids Fiesta held in Ekiti State tagged Edutainment Funfair against Drug Abuse in commemoration of Children's Day 2019.

CHILDREN CARAVAN 2019

The second edition of Children Caravan was held on the 3rd to 5th of September 2019 as part of the organization's effort to promote children's rights to leisure and recreation enshrined in the Ondo state Child's Right Law 2003. Children Caravan 2019 was a 3-Day powerfully packed adventurous holiday program designed for children with disabilities and children from rural and excluded communities between the ages of 10 and 15.



The 2019 edition featured an array of events which included Life Building Skills, Sustainable Development Goals Education, Goal Setting, Maths Dance, Trip to the airport, Curators Hub for basic tech skills, FUTA Zoological Garden, social night, Liquid Soap making and Gele tying. The 2019 Children Caravan also included bringing down and returning various numbers of children from participating communities which included Ilu Abo, Shasha, Ilado, Ibule Soro, Grace Gregs Compassionate Home and Mind Farm Initiative (Children with Disabilities) to be camped at Buddy Guest House, Ijapo Extension, Akure, Ondo State.

Partners with Kids & Teens Resource Centre on the 2019 Children Caravan included: Ochikes Fast Food, Seed Dev, Gender Mobile Initiative, Grace Gregs Compassionate Home, MindFarm Initiative, DUNIOUS Foundation, Global Help Trust Foundation and Curators

Hub. The total number of people who participated in the Children Caravan 2019 were 51 children, 3 Chaperons, 2 House mistresses and masters respectively, 1 Camp Commandant, 3 Welfare Coordinators, 5 Volunteers and Local Organizing Chairs.

VOLUNTEERS' FORUM 1.0

With 67 participants in attendance for the Volunteers' Forum tagged "Google Exponential 1.0" that was held at Solab Suite, FUTA South Gate, Akure, Ondo State on the 6th of July 2019, there was an added value to every individual who came around and added quality to their volunteerism.



The event started with lovely ice-breaker session at 12:30 p.m., Opening Prayer, National Anthem, Executive Director of K&TRC Opening Speech in person of Mrs Folashade Bamigboye, Lecture, Questions and Answers, Panel Session led by K&TRC Program Officer, Becky Olubunmi, Influencer of the Event Inspirational Speech, Pastor Akinyanmi, Chief Executive Officer of K&TRC speech by Martin - Mary Falana and ended with dance session, networking and refreshments at 4:00 p.m. which made the whole package of the event an eye opener on the benefit and impact of volunteerism. At the end of the event, there was a better insight on how to leverage social work with the internet.

CHILDREN'S DAY 2019

Due to the increase in the abuse of drugs among children and youths in the state, K&TRC in partnership with the Ondo State Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development held an edutainment funfair against Drug Abuse and public lecture on May 22 in commemoration of the May 27 Children's day.

The public lecture was given by H.A Gagara; the State Commander of National Drug Law Enforcement Agency (NDLEA) Ondo State Command on Drug Abuse among children. The event also included fashion parade and quiz competition which led to the selection of Anti - Drug Abuse Ambassadors to help in sensitizing their peers about drug abuse prevention and depression.

VULNERABLE CHILDREN SUPPORT PROGRAMS

For the year 2019, a total of 6 children were given educational support and a parent empowered financially to sustain the educational requirements of her four children. Jumoke and Marvellous who were found roaming the streets of Akure when their colleagues were in school were followed home to make further inquiry from their parent. On getting home, their mother was found and asked several questions on why the children were not in school. From her explanation, she gave factors relating to loss of job which

brought about tight financial constraint. Eventually, K&TRC was able to take up the case formally by re enrolling her three children (Marvelous, Jumoke and Deborah) back to school with needed educational materials and also empowered their mum through the support of the sum of #50,000 provided by Wise Virgins – a women group focused on empowering women.

Sunday Abraham, a student that was about to lose his admission into the Federal University of Technology Akure (FUTA) was assisted to pay his school fees of over 50,000 naira.

EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMS /NEEDS ASSESSMENT

Bimmy Brown Fashion Academy, a fashion Institute collaborated with Kids & Teens Resource Centre in January to kick off a training program tagged “Impact Scheme 1.0”, an empowerment program aimed at contributing to the achieving on SDG1-No Poverty for twenty under privileged girls within Akure Community in which five of them eventually made it through to the last phase after one month pre – practical class. The five girls who made it were trained for six months and graduated in August with sewing machines given to them by Khessed Receptive, a humanitarian organization in the United States of America.

After carrying out a needs assessment for the youths of Ilado community in early January, it was recorded that the desire for training in ICT was the most pressing need. Few weeks after, the content director of the organization in person of Samuel Awolumate alongside the Chief Executive Officer of the organization went to the community with computers to train the youths on basic ICT.

Also, needs assessment was conducted at Ipogun – Ayo Community in Ifedore Local Government on 4th February 2019 concerning the open defecation challenge faced by the community and to know if there is a need for the construction of toilets. On World Toilet Day, the LGA Chairman of the community, Engineer Alex Oladimeji was visited to know the

actions he has taken so far concerning the open defecation issue in the community. In his response, he stated that the community has been neglected and it was necessary to meet with the stakeholders of the community to inquire if toilet was what they needed before actions are taken to construct one for them.

As a follow up to this, a meeting was held on December 10, with the head of the community – His Royal Majesty Oba Raphael Oluwadare-Ojo and all the chiefs were they all confirmed that the community did not have a single toilet or access to potable water. They pledged readiness to support such projects with any amount of counterpart funding required of them.

A need assessment was conducted at Ibulesoro Community on the 13th July, 2019 to know the most felt need of the women and consequently, an empowerment/skill acquisition program was held for over 63 women and girls in the community to meet the need identified during the needs assessment.

EMPOWERMENT OF WIDOWS IN IDANRE LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Due to the support Kids & Teens had been giving the Widows in Idanre Community under the Gender & Vulnerable Group project sponsored by the World Bank through the Ondo State Community and Social Development Programme (CSDP), a cheque of 1.6 million naira was presented to the Widows by the General Manager of CSDP. The money would enable the widows build a Skill Acquisition Centre and purchase equipment to run the centre in Idanre where they would be able to train and empower other women in the community.

GUESTS OF THE MONTH

Guest of the Month is one of the key strategies the organization uses in creating awareness about her activities. Each time a guest is brought into the organization, the management and staff welcome the guest and present the mission, vision and activities of the

organization with a view to get ideas, feedback and support from the guest that would improve the organization's interventions and inspire more collaboration.

For 2019, the Six (6) Guest of the Months were: Mr Oluseyi John; A Medical Officer of Akoko Local Government, Ms. Suzan and Dickson Olaleye; Music Directors of Christ Embassy, Oluwadamilola Philips; USA Army Officer, Mr Dapo; A Social Worker in UK and Mrs Akomolafe, a Bank Marketer who works with Aso Loans, a Mortgage Bank.

INTERNATIONAL DAYS COMMEMORATED THROUGH COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

16 DAYS ACTIVISM AGAINST GENDER BASED VIOLENCE 2019

The 16 Days of Activism Against Gender Based Violence for 2019 was tagged "Orange the World: Generation Equality Stands Against Rape". This kicked off November 25 – The International of Elimination of Violence Against Women and ended December 10 – Human Rights Day. Kids & Teens was able to commemorate this event through social media campaign, sensitization of over 10,000 boys in boys only school in Ondo and Ekiti States, during World AIDS Day Walk, collaboration with Technical Working Group on Adolescents Sexual and Reproductive Health through video shoot against Rape and partnering with Gender Vanguard CDS Group activities of NYSC to create awareness against rape for over 2 million residents of Ondo State.

WORLD DIABETES DAY (WDD) 2019

14th November of every year is known as World Diabetes Day. For 2019, the theme was Family and Diabetes. Kids & Teens Resource Centre commemorated this International day

through a sensitization program at Just Once Model College and Aponmu Community. Free Test was also conducted for the members of Aponmu community. The highlight of the entire program was the decoration of the Proprietress of Just Once Model College, the Chief Nursing Officer of Aponmu Health Centre as well as the Chairman of the Ward Health Committee of Aponmu as Anti – Diabetics Advocates. In total, 204 students and 50 people participated in the sensitization program of Just Once Model College and Aponmu Community respectively. 41 persons were tested free of charge with support from Alixir Foundation and Glo-help Trust Foundation.

GLOBAL HANDWASHING DAY 2019

Global Handwashing Day is celebrated all over the globe every October 15. For 2019, it was “Clean Hands for All”. Kids & Teens commemorated this day with some of the CHASE Club members by reminding them of the benefits of constant washing of hands by displaying a video for the students through projector. Afterwards, the CHASE Club members practiced handwashing.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF THE GIRL CHILD 2019

Every October 11, The International Day of the Girl Child is commemorated to garner support and effective response to issues that affect the girl child and for 2019, the theme was “Girlforce: Unscripted & Unstoppable”. It was an opportunity for us to inaugurate the 6 Anti – SGBV Champions that were trained by the organization. These Anti – SGBV Champions will take the lead in cases relating to SGBV in their various schools.

WORLD HUMANITARIAN DAY (WHD) 2019

The WHD 2019 Event of Kids & Teens Resource Centre was commemorated under the theme “Feed the hungry” on the 19th of August 2019. This held at NCMM office environment (National Commission for Museums and Monuments) Post office Akure. The event started with the arrival of participants, staff and volunteers of Kids & Teens Resource Centre, Akure at the meeting point, activities commenced in the afternoon from 12:57pm to 4:45pm. The food distributed for 150 persons was cooked by K&TRC’s volunteer. The CEO of Kids & Teens Resource Centre, Martin-Mary Falana (MM) and a volunteer of the Organization, Alhaja Fasilat Hassan distributed packs of food to vulnerable children & beggars at Oja-oba. Some of the parents of the beneficiaries visited the cooking point to see how the food was being prepared; they were told the purpose of the event is to feed the hungry, poor children and less privileged ones and they expressed their heartfelt appreciation.

INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY (IYD) 2019

The International Youth Day 2019 activities of Kids & Teens Resource Centre were commemorated in two phases on the 12th August 2019 under the theme “Transforming Education”. The first phase was a dialogue forum held in the morning from 11a.m to 2:30p.m at the conference hall of the Organization with 23 persons (7 females, 16 males) in attendance while the second phase was an Open Maths Dance which held from 4:30p.m to 6:30p.m with 30 (12 females, 18 males) persons in attendance at Oloko round about, FUTA Chicken Republic. The first phase had the presence of two major speakers in person of Mr. Biyi Agboola; CEO Gudbil Global Ventures and Shola Kenny; an Information and Communication Technology Consultant while the second phase had the presence of DJ VENUM, the World Guinness Book Record Breaker DJ, who played nonstop for 15 days and Lead Dancer of Praise Dance Group. Both activities contributed to the enlightenment and awakening of the consciousness of participants on the need for educating the mind properly for transformation of our communities and world.

WORLD DAY AGAINST CHILD LABOUR / DEMOCRACY DAY 2019

The World Day Against Child Labour 2019 was focused on the message, “Children should not work in fields, But on dreams”. This was commemorated by Kids & Teens with 37 Children in Elemo Community through a sensitization on their rights as kids.

There was also a democracy dialogue and 18th Birthday Bash for eligible voters in commemoration of Democracy Day 2019. The day was commemorated to sensitize young people on inclusiveness and participation in Governance so they could start seeing themselves as stakeholders in ensuring a right leader is elected by getting registered to vote once they turn 18, collecting their PVC and going out to vote during elections without fear of electoral violence.

WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY (WED) 2019

On the 5th of June, there was a moving train amongst communities such as Araromi, Odopetu and Shagari village to sensitize the people on how to “Beat Air pollution” – The theme for 2019 WED. Amazingly after a week, one of the sites for indiscriminate dumping of refuse in Araromi community was cleaned up and a structure constructed on the site to avoid future abuse and dumping of refuse. This was a great progress brought about by the sensitization program carried out on 5th June.

MENSTRUAL HYGIENE DAY (MHD) 2019

The 2019 theme “It’s Time for Action” was clarion calls to major stakeholders to act and put more resources to ensuring girls have access to menstrual hygiene materials. K&TRC commemorated this day with Myrtle Essie Foundation in Ife, Osun State, CYPF in Abuja and His Grace Marvellous Support

Organization in Ikorodu Lagos to reach more disadvantaged girls on Menstrual Hygiene matters. In all 1,200 girls were reached with basic menstrual hygiene materials and messages.

WORLD MALARIA DAY 2019

Zero Malaria Starts with Me was the theme of April 25, 2019 World Malaria Day. K&TRC attended an event organized by Restoration of The Dignity of Womanhood (ROTDOW). Also, K&TRC attended the PET CDS meeting which held at National Youth Council Secretariat, St. Peters Unity School, Akure. The Executive Director of K&TRC in person of Folashade Bamigboye talked on Malaria Prevention through the use of Long Lasting Insecticide Treated Nets (LLITN) thus educating 48 corps members on Malaria Prevention and Control.

WORLD HEALTH DAY

Kids & Teens Resource Centre commemorated World Health Day April 7, 2019 at Shasha Community of Akure under the theme “Universal Health Coverage” with a call and response for “Everyone, Everywhere – Health for All”. The target group – 112 children of the community were taught proper hygiene and sanitation habits by the CEO.

WORLD TUBERCULOSIS DAY

“It’s time to End TB” was the theme of 2019 World TB Day commemorated around the world on the 25th of March 2019. The awareness train began with sensitization at Mary Queen of Angels Catholic Church with over 500 young people, over 200 muslim faithfuls at NASFAT Centre and over 50 people at RCCG Eagles Wings Parish Oke-Aro. Also, on the 27th of March, Maryhill Secondary School at Ado –Ekiti with a population of over 200 students was reached with basic facts about TB Day and how they can take positive actions to prevent and end TB in their lifetime.

INTERNATIONAL MOTHER LANGUAGE DAY

On the 21st of February 2019, there was an In-House event on the Importance of Indigenous Languages in the NGO setting in commemoration of the International Mother Language Day. The day had three different tribes; Hausa, Yoruba and Igbo. The event featured a dialogue session, tribes' activities and local feast with the aim of ensuring unity in diversity as well as using our local languages as an effective communication tool in local intervention efforts.

SAFER INTERNET WEEK

The Safer Internet Week was commemorated with students of Wexford College on 8th February 2019 under the theme Cyber Bulling. Activities performed included songs, drama presentation, talks and pledges. Also, on the 17 of May, there was another Anti – Bullying Day reaching and educating the over 500 students of the school on the need to shun Bullying in any form.

WORLD CANCER DAY 2019

The World Cancer Day 2019 was commemorated at Federal Girls College, Akure on the 4th of February 2019 with 60 students in attendance under the theme, “I am and I will”. The event sensitized the students majorly on breast cancer and practices to observe daily as a female to keep the breast healthy. Also in attendance were some of their teachers, volunteers and staff of Kids & Teens Resource Centre.

HIV TESTING SERVICES (HTS) / C-PET SENSITIZATION PROGRAM

The total HTS that was conducted at Kids & Teens Resource Centre for year 2019 were
In January, HTS was conducted by K&TRC in conjunction with ODSACA for FUTA students.
Over People participated

In May, HTS was conducted by K&TRC for 60 students of Rufus Giwa Polytechnic. Also, K&TRC provided free HTS and condom demonstration for participants during the Health Summit organized by the Pioneer Medical Initiative and National Association of Health Students (NAHS).

Over 2,000 April batch Corps Members were sensitized on the ABCs of HIV at Lagos Orientation Camp. In May, C-PET training was conducted at NYSC Secretariat. In June NYSC Camp, 3000 corps member were sensitized amongst which 178 of them volunteered to be trained as Peer Education Trainers for 3 days where they were taught the GATHER (Greet, Ask, Tell, Help, Explain, Return) principles to effectively meet their Client's needs.

In December also Orientation Trainings was help for over 4,000 corps members in Ikare-Akoko and Emure Ekiti Orientation Camps to equip them with knowledge on HIV, Gender Based Violence and Depression. It is recorded that from 2002 till date, over 70,000 Corps Members have been sensitized through the National Reproductive Health, HIV Prevention & Care Project via the NYSC.

ADOLESCENT CENTRED PROGRAMS

KNOWING SERIES

Knowing Series is an adolescent centered program meant to build the capacity of young people with life skills and to give them the right information that will keep them informed to make healthy decisions and life choices.

The first Knowing Series for the year took place at Tutor 360 Coaching Center, Oba –Ile, Akure which had 60 young people in attendance. Information such as the ABC principle of HIV, Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs), risks of unprotected sex and life building skills were taught the young people to enlighten them. Question and Answer session took place and the participants were excited to learn new things.

On the 22nd of November, the students of Funmilade College of Iju town, Ondo State were gathered with the aid of one of K&TRC Volunteers in person of Felix to be taught life skills. The Knowing Series continues to transform the lives of adolescents to become change agents and organs of enlightenment among their peers.

NOT TOO YOUNG TO KNOW

This is an advocacy project on Comprehensive Sexuality Education for young boys and girls age 10 – 14 using PHOTOVOICE. The project involved twenty students from five government schools who were trained on PhotoVoice and sent to field to gather real time experiences with Research Assistants monitoring their progress; they brought field results for photo exhibition in the presence of key stakeholders and scheduled dates to pay advocacy visits to call for action based on their field experiences. Advocacy was later paid to the Commissioner for Health, Ondo State, Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Education, the House of Representative as well as the Technical Working Group on Adolescents Sexual and Reproductive Health issues in Ondo State to demand for the

inclusion of Comprehensive Sexuality Education in the curriculum of secondary schools in the state to help prepare adolescents early to meet the challenges of the adolescent stage.

CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMS

Femi Iroko, a seasoned Risk Analyst and ICT guru trained some of the staff of Kids & Teens on Digital Marketing. He was able to point out the dos and don'ts that should be taken note of to aid the promotion of the content of an organization. He also suggested quality pictures being uploaded to attract more viewers; videos attract more viewers on a page and changing the name of a picture to the event tag to help for more feasibility.

Pharmacist Bisi Olanipekun, a Project Management expert facilitated In - House Training on Project Management and Emotional Intelligence for staff and volunteers. In his training, group activities and several practical illustrations were used to pass across the objectives of each training effectively.

The CEO of K&TRC, Martin-Mary Falana and other program staff also took members of staff and volunteers on several capacity building sessions on HIV/AIDS, Social Media, Personal Branding, etc to better prepare them to meet the demands of their job roles

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDGs) RELATED ACTIVITIES

CHILDREN HYGIENE AND SANITATION EDUCATION (CHASE) CLUBS

CHASE (Children Hygiene and Sanitation Education) is one of the key programs Kids & Teens carries out to promote SDG 6 (Clean Water and Sanitation). It is meant to educate children about hygienic practices so that they will help in making the environment clean.

The first CHASE Club activity in the first quarter held on March 18 2019 at Ijapo Mega Primary School. In April, Best Solution Nursery and Primary School CHASE Club Centre had their first club meeting where a Social Worker from UK in person of Mr Dapo who made a visit to the Organization was also present.

KIDS & TEENS 17TH ANNIVERSARY / GOOD DEEDS DAY

Good Deeds Day Launching in Ondo – State held on the 12th of December in commemoration of Kids & Teens Resource Centre’s 17th Anniversary. Good Deeds Day is recognized as an International Day of Volunteering. It began in 2007 with a mission to unite people from around the world in doing good deeds for others and the planet. In the light of this, Kids & Teens being an NGO that envisions “A secured future where children and young people are empowered to contribute to the sustainable development of their communities” has always worked towards this vision by involving people around her community in several activities to make the world a better place for all to live.

It was in the joy of this common goal, the Good Deeds Day was launched on the anniversary of an organization that has been doing good for 17 years. Distinguished guests who graced the occasion were Pastor Adesida O.O, Permanent Secretary of Ministry of Education; Mrs Okupe, Ministry of Youth and Sports; Mr Michael Olaogun, a beneficiary of the

organization's work and also Chairman of the Occasion; Mr Adeyemo Isaac Babatunde & Adetola O. Bamidele, Good Deeds Representatives and Mrs Olabisi Omolono of ROTDOW, who represented all NGOs in Ondo State.

The event kicked off quarter to 12pm and ended at 3.00pm. The event featured registration of participants, welcome note, Bing session, Good Deeds Day documentary, a report of the 2nd African Regional Conference report, key note address and a session on value of volunteering. In the midst of the event, there was a break out session in different categories which included mobilizing as a state, CSR involvement in achieving the goal, participation as NGO and what's next?

EXTERNAL PROGRAMS

- ❖ Review meetings were done in the first quarter with Community Based Organizations working on the National Social Investment (NSIP) Program in Ondo State with support from Action Aid Nigeria.
- ❖ Also in January, Kids & Teens attended a one day state level peace dialogue for stakeholders in Ondo State organized by LAPDO titled “Enhancing Increased participation of women and people with disabilities in 2019 general elections.
- ❖ The Program Officer, Child Welfare in person of Becky was at the annual meeting for all stakeholders in the Justice sector on Child Protection and Rehabilitation that held on 21st of February. She was also at the Bi – Annual seminar for parents and child rights at Justice Development Peace Commission that held on 22nd of February.
- ❖ World Kidney Day was commemorated with Association of Women for Human Development on the 13th of March
- ❖ The CEO of Kids & Teens, Martin – Mary Falana represented the Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) in Ondo State alongside the State Coordinator TB, Leprosy and other infectious diseases and to launch sets of toilets for the people living with leprosy at Ago Ireti (Leprosy Camp) which was built by Damien Foundation on the 26th of March.
- ❖ Martin – Mary Falana and the Program Manager in person of Ayodeji Ibileye were at NACA’s 5th National Council on AIDS Meeting tagged “Beyond NAIIS –Planning, Resourcing and Taking Action to achieve the 95: 95: 95 Targets that held on 1st April in Ibadan.
- ❖ On the 11th to 13th April 2019, the Program Officer, Becky participated in the 1st National Conference on Adolescents Health at Ibadan as a young leader and also as a Co-Chair of a session. She also had an oral presentation on an abstract tagged “The Assessment of Psychological & Physical Effects of Mobile Internet Addiction in Generation Z of Oba – Ile Community”
- ❖ Kids & Teens Staff participated in the walk organized to gather support for Small Medium Enterprises in Ondo State organized by Kitan David and the First Lady of Ondo State, Arabirin Betty Anyanwu Akeredolu.

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- ❖ On the National Day of Mourning 2019, K&TRC joined other stakeholders in a walk done in remembrance of all those who lost their lives through extra judicial killings in Nigeria.
 - ❖ There was also a walk against Child Molestation and Abuse in Ekiti State organized by Queen Moremi Ajasoro of Ile-ife. The walk had the presence of the Commissioner for Information; Aare Muiyiwa Olumilua.
 - ❖ In June 28, there was Medical outreach at Ileraloro where CHASE Club was established.
 - ❖ The CEO of Kids & Teens Resource Centre in person of Martin – Mary Falana represented the organization as a Key Speaker at a public discourse on Strategy for Constructive Engagement on SDGs in Nigeria at The Green Royal Suites, Maryland Lagos, July 4.
 - ❖ In July 9, The Executive Director and Monitoring & Evaluation Officer of Kids & Teens attended a 2-day Zonal training workshop for women organizations & CSOs/CBOs in Border Communities on their critical role in Civilian Disarmament and Prevention of Arms Trafficking organized by UNDP & Presidential Committee on Small Arms & Light Weapon (PRESCOM).
 - ❖ The CEO of the organization facilitated training on Sexual and Gender Based Violence Counselling Skills for stakeholders who were interested in handling SGBV issues. This was done in batches in Ondo State, Ekiti State and Ogun State with major support from Balm in Gilead Foundation.
 - ❖ The ICT, Social Media and Content Manager, Becky Olubunmi attended ‘Boost Your Business with Facebook’ in partnership with Innovate Ondo.
 - ❖ The National Tuberculosis Conference which held in July 18 was attended by the CEO, Program Manager and a Volunteer of the organization in Abuja.
 - ❖ The Executive Director and ICT/Social Media Content Manager were at the stakeholders meeting on “Ending Sexual and Gender Based Violence in Ondo State”.
 - ❖ The Monitoring & Evaluation Officer in person of Ajidagba Damilola was at 10th International AIDS Society Conference held in Mexico from July 22 – 24
 - ❖ August 27, there was a webinar on Advocacy for Change for Adolescents organized by Education as a Vaccine Nigeria. The essence of the webinar was to train young people on how to respond to issues facing adolescents and taking proper measures through the right advocacy measure and involving the right key stakeholders.

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- ❖ A radio program called “Office of the Citizens Ondo (OOTCO)” sponsored by Enough Is Enough Nigeria was held weekly at Breeze Fm with one of the staff of Kids & Teens Resource Centre being with Eniola; the host to discuss interesting topics on Governance. Some of the topics discussed were: Civic Engagement on Ondo State 2020 Budget, New Minimum Wage and Its Effects on Ondo State Residents, Social Media Bill, Nigeria’s Troubling State of Affairs, etc.
 - ❖ October 15, Kids & Teens was represented by three of her staff (CEO, ED and ICT/Social Media Content Manager) at the Launch of the International Labour Organization’s project; Accelerating Action for the Elimination of Child Labour in Supply Chains in Africa (ACCEL Africa).
 - ❖ The ED of the Organization on October 29, 2019 was at the CSR in action (Civil Society Organization Professionalism & Effectiveness Therapy C-PET) Workshop where participants were trained on Mobilizing Women for Change
 - ❖ In November, two of Kids & Teens Program Assistants were at a 3-day workshop in Abuja organized by EVA to review advocacy outcomes by youth partners under The Partnership for Maternal, New Born and Child Health advocating for change for adolescents toolkit project and build their capacity on social accountability.
 - ❖ The CEO of the organization was at the 2nd SDG Conference as one of the planning committee members of the conference. It was at this conference that the Civil Society Coalition on Sustainable Development (CSCSD) appointed the youngest serving Hon. Member of Ondo State House of Assembly as the Youth SDG Ambassador.

EXTERNAL SUPPORTS / AWARDS

- ❖ Sterling bank donated 20 packs of indomie, 10 packs of cheeseballs, 4 packs of spaghetti and 4 packs of pampers as their Corporate Social Responsibility to the community we serve.
- ❖ The Chief Executive Officer, Martin – Mary Falana received Change Makers Impact Award on June 21, 2019 and was inaugurated into the Accent Hall of Fame.
- ❖ In July, 11, one of the Program Officers, Kemi Falana received a fellowship to attend the 1st Nigeria School of Internet Governance (NSIG – 2019)
- ❖ August 9, the Executive Director and ICT/Social Media Manager were conferred as fellows of the African Young Leadership Fellowship Programme of the Accra Business School in Ghana after the leadership training they had with other 199 young Africans.
- ❖ The CEO received an award from the Network of People Living with HIV in Ondo State in recognition of his support for those infected and affected by the virus.

The height that great men reached and kept were not attained by a sudden flight, but they when their companions slept, they kept toiling in the night.

CAPTIVATING HEADLINES FROM THE YEAR

In January, Kids & Teens kicked off an empowerment project with Bimmy Brown Fashion Academy & Bees Enterprise tagged Impact Scheme 1.0. The project focused on SDG 1 (No Poverty). This helped in changing the narrative and closing the poverty gap for under privileged girls interested in having a career in fashion designing. The project started with 20 girls, five graduated and were empowered at the end of the six months with sewing machines given by

In February, Sterling Bank donated 20 packs of Indomie, 10 packs of cheeseballs, 2 packs of spaghetti and 4 packs of pampers as their CSR to the organization due to the evidence shown in the activities consistently carried out by the organization in making the society a better place for all.

In March, Kid & Teens was the host for a project initiated by a Women Deliver Young Leader. The project tag was "Not Too Young to Know".

The project is an advocacy project for Comprehensive Sexuality Education (CSE) for young adolescent girls and boys (age 10-14) in Nigeria using PHOTO VOICE



Stakeholders Meeting on #EndVAC in Ekiti state led to the support and pledges of key stakeholders to put an end to violence against children in Ekiti State.

In April, one of the organizations's Program Officer in person of Becky Olubunmi had her abstract on "Assessment of Psychological and Physical effects of mobile internet addiction in generation Z of oba – ile community" accepted for oral presentation at the first National Conference on Adolescent Health where several key stakeholders within and outside the country were present. It was a great plus to have the abstract published in the journal as well.

As an organization known to do various activities towards the survival, development, protection and participation of children, the vulnerable children support program for the year kicked off in May with Marvellous and Jumoke, two children found roaming the streets during school hours and sent back to school while their mum was supported financially to start a business.

As the organization rounded the first half of the year in June, A Change Makers Impact Award was given to the CEO and he was inaugurated into the Accent Hall of Fame based on his credibility, impact on several young lives and several causes to ensure community development

In August, The Executive Director and Program Officer of Kids & Teens Resource Centre were conferred Fellows of the African Young Leaders Fellowship Program of the Accra Business School, Ghana. This achievement was an added advantage to the organization because of the improved leadership capacity of the Fellows.

In July, the first Volunteers' Forum for Kids & Teens volunteers across the nation held successfully at Solab Hotel along FUTA South Gate. This event was tagged Google Exponential 1.0 - leveraging the internet for networking. The event improved the capacity of our volunteers and set them on course to doing more towards the development of their communities.



K&TRC'S Human Resource Manager, Damilola Ajidagba was among the world delegates that attended the International AIDS Society Conference on HIV Science, IAS 2019 in Mexico

In September, a 3- day power-packed adventurous holiday program was held. The program was designed specifically for children in rural and excluded communities known as Children Caravan; the 2019's edition was attended by 58 children. The program is part of the organization's effort to promote children's rights to leisure and recreation as enshrined in the Ondo - State Child's Rights Law 2003.

As part of the organization's move against Sexual and Gender Based Violence (SGBV) in her society, six adolescent Anti - SGBV champions were inaugurated on October 11, the International Day of the Girl child. These champions will focus more on SGBV issues in secondary schools especially with the female students.

On the 14th of November, K&TRC commemorated World Diabetes Day at Just Once Model Secondary School and Aponmu Community. One of the remarkable activities of this day was the appointments of the Proprietress of Just Once Model School, the Chief Nursing Officer and the Chairman of the Ward Health Committee of Aponmu Community as Anti - Diabeties Advocates.

On the 12th of December, Good Deeds Day was launched in commemoration of the 17th Anniversary of Kids & Teens. The Organization has been well known for her service towards humanity and it was beautiful for her to celebrate her years of achievements with a call to action for other stakeholders to do Good Deeds always.

SOME SNAPSHOTS IN 2019



CHILDREN CARAVAN 2019 GROUP PICTURE



VOLUNTEERS' FORUM 2019 GROUP PICTURE



**CHILDREN CULTURAL FIESTA 2019
CROSS SECTION PICTURE**



**GRADUATION CEREMONY OF THE EMPOWERED GIRLS IN
FASHION SCHOOL**



**SENSITIZATION PROGRAMME IN ARAROMI
ON WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY**



VULNERABLE CHILDREN BENEFICIARIES



GROUP PICTURE AT K&TRC 17TH ANNIVERSARY



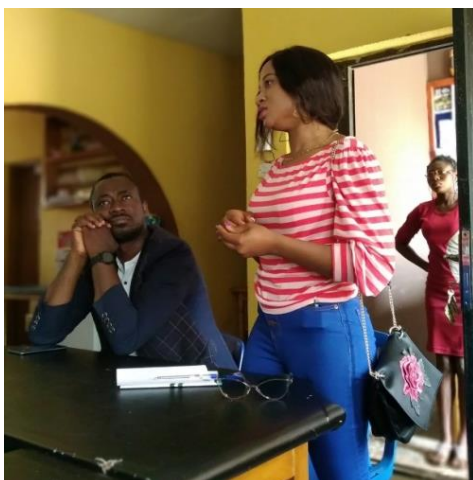
THE CEO OF K&TRC PRESENTING AN AWARD TO THE ED



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WORLD HUNGER DAY EVENT AT AKURE POST OFFICE



GUEST OF THE MONTH EVENT



HIV SENSITIZATION PROGRAM FOR CORPS MEMBERS