

MANGULA CHILDREN CARING FUND- (MACHICA-FUND).

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MARCH/AUGUST 2006 -PROGRESS REPORT.

NUMBER OF CHILDREN.

From March to August 2006, the number of children was 88. By the end of June/August, the number of children is 76. There are several reasons that make the changes in children number. These reasons are:

- ❖ When a child is found fit to join with primary education standard one, he/she is to be shifted to a primary school.
- ❖ When a child is found mentally unfit or got sudden illness, which makes him unable to proceed trainings.
- ❖ This may be as according to the local beliefs or taboos that may lead to a parent to withdraw his/her child from the centre.
- ❖ When a child moves to another town following his/her parent/guardian with no hopes to return soon.

SEPTEMBER CHILDREN INTAKE.

There will be new students joining our centre as fresh pupils. However, as according to the limited accommodation, we may only accommodate not more than 25 children. At same time about 18 children from kindergarten year II, will be leaving the centre to join primary education, as we tested them and find they are fit.

IMPROVED CHILDREN SERVICES.

CHILDREN DESKS.

Using the generous support from the parents, we were able to make some new desks for the children. Now we have enough desks at our old building. Because the building is small and could not accommodate all children at same time, we arranged two shifts for studies, some children who are at kindergarten year II do come at morning shift, while those at year I do come at afternoon shift. The new building, which will be built, will accommodate all children at same shift, as we will have two big classes. All will come in morning shift.

STUDY TOUR.

As to improve the health of your children, to make them fit and happy always, here we have organised short trips for children, which will be every after three months. Like in last may, 2006 we went for a short tour with children at Kisawasawa Roman Catholic Parish Nursery School. We sent some pictures to you by postal way.

IMPROVED CHILDREN SYSTEM OF TEACHING.

To improve the standard of education that the children get, here we have designed new lesson plans and schemes of work for all five subjects taught. Each teacher was trained how to prepare his/her lesson plan. This now makes our job of teaching more successful.

PROGRESS AT KINDERGARTEN.

- 1. We managed to make some children desks.
- 2. Managed to buy a piece of land for new buildings construction.
- 3. Managed to prepare area for local bricks making- project. Is estimated that about 25,000 bricks are needed, these bricks are made using only clay soil. At the market, each brick is sold at 50 Tanzania shillings.

RECENT SCHOOL PLANS.

Our recent plans are to start building some classes for children. Then we need to buy some few cement bags, iron sheets, stones, tins of paints and woods. We hence are convincing parents also to contribute to this good cause.

May god bless you all for your generous hearts and parental love in thinking and supporting the children.

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