



Project Yesu Update: September 2024

Hi PY Family! We hope this newsletter finds you well.

BACK TO SCHOOL

The kids are back in school for the final term of the year! We can't believe how fast this year has flown by. This term ends in early December, and then it's time for our kids to enjoy a long holiday break.



JUNE: A MONTH OF GROWTH AND ACHIEVEMENT

In June, we teamed up with Akira Ukiomba Women's to provide important breast and cervical cancer screenings for the moms in our program. Our team also reached out to kids in the community who aren't currently enrolled in Project Yesu. Many of these kids have siblings in our program, so it's a great way to support them and their families.

We're excited to announce that we welcomed our first intern! One of our own boys who's studying social sciences at Makerere University joined our team for a few months.



PARTNERSHIPS AND PROGRESS IN JULY

In July, we partnered with Ekisa Ministries to provide training for our team on case management. Working with other organizations in Uganda expands the opportunities for our kids, families, and team. We're also happy to share that we completed the construction of our multipurpose hall! This

space will be used for everything from meals to meetings and more.

WHAT WE'VE ACCOMPLISHED IN AUGUST

August was a busy month. Our parents and team joined forces for some yard work and cleanup, getting ready for the kids' return from their short holiday break. We also finished building our rescue center, which now has four rooms and a sitting area for kids or parents who need a safe place to stay. Thank you to everyone who made both of these projects possible!



In August, we also held our annual dental outreach, working alongside Hope Smiles Uganda. This important event provides essential dental care to our kids.

We ended August with a workshop for our Good Dad's Club. We were expecting around 30 dads, but over 50 showed up! It was a great turnout. Unfortunately, our Mama Rory had to reschedule her visit due to airport delays and COVID, but we're looking forward to seeing her in November. One of our sponsors from Qatar came to visit their sponsored child and hosted some amazing programs for our kids, including team-building activities and literacy classes.

And just like that, the holiday break was over, and our kids were back in school. Thank you again for your continued support. We couldn't do this without you! - **Team PY**

