

GDP - 2023 Financial Accomplishments

Dec 2023

- GDP Team traveled to Nairobi, Mombasa, and Eldoret – Kenya. The team sponsored and led several impactful events covering a wide range of topics crucial to the mental and physical well-being of young people, vulnerable women, orphaned and abused children, and community leaders.
 - **Events Sponsored by GDP**
 - Youth Empowerment Conference (Mombasa and Nairobi – Kenya)
 - Women’s Empowerment Initiative (Mombasa and Eldoret – Kenya)
 - Leader’s Conference (Eldoret – Kenya)
 - **Other Events**
 - Worked at the Good Samaritan Children’s Home in Kenya
 - We held a ribbon cutting ceremony to open new, fully furnished dorm rooms for 44 young ladies. Part of that initiative sponsored and funded by GDP and friends, was the new storage areas for the girls’ personal effects, an office for the staff, and 2 new rooms for the support staff.
 - Time was also spent caring for the mental and physical well-being of the children and support staff.
 - Worked at the Project of Hope Children’s Home and Special Needs Center in Kenya
 - We held a \$50,000 ground-breaking ceremony to launch GDP’s ‘Project of Hope Renovation’ initiative. This initiative will include refurbishing and furnishing 11 classrooms and 6 dorms for the children. This initiative also includes a total renovation and furnishing of the current dorm and physical therapy center for the children with special needs which are in a state of disrepair.
- Sponsored **“A Season to Remember”** Event at each of the 3 orphanages located in Kenya. These events include special holiday meals and activities for the kids, along with providing them with new clothes, school supplies, and surprise holiday gifts for all the support staff workers at the children’s homes.

Nov 2023

- Sponsored **“Truck Loads of Hope”** Event at each of the 3 orphanages. These events are geared to provide much needed food, supplies, clothing, and funding at a critical time for the children homes. This provision is needed to provide each of the homes with enough supplies to last throughout the holiday season and into the first of the new year.

Sept 2023

- Kicked off the “**4th Floor and Rooftop Project**” at the Good Samaritan Children's Home – Nairobi, Kenya → This project that was sponsored and funded by GDP and friends, was initiated to build and fully furnished new dorm rooms for 44 young ladies. Part of that initiative included building new storage areas for the girls’ personal effects, an office for the staff, and 2 new rooms for the support staff.
- GDP and friends provided full university scholarships for 6 students from the children’s homes through the Evelyn S. Weatherspoon Scholarship Foundation. Funding was provided for an additional 7 to attend vocational school.

Aug 2023

- Funding and School Supplies for 530 children
- Funding for Food and Essentials for 3 Children’s Homes

July 2023

- Sponsored Youth Empowerment Conference (YEC) for youth for 4 different cities

June 2023

- Sponsored a city-wide Women’s Empowerment Conference (WEC) in the city of Mombasa

April 2023

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 - **Other Events**
 - Worked at the Good Samaritan Children’s Home in Kenya
 - We had a groundbreaking ceremony to begin building new, fully furnished dorm rooms for 44 young ladies. This initiative is being sponsored and funded by GDP and friends. It will also include a new storage area for the girls’ personal effects, an office for the staff, and 2 new rooms for the support staff.

- We also set time aside to care for the mental and physical well-being of the children and support staff.

Feb 2023

- Hosted a ***“Helping the Dream”*** event at the Dream Children’s Home in Nairobi. This was a major drive to collect much needed food and clothing for the children at this home.

Jan 2023

- Purchased 4 acres of land in the village of Bamba, Kenya. The land is for the future building of a community center and primary school for the village children. A much-needed clean water initiative will also take place at the center.