

MIRYANTE COMMUNITY CENTRE

SAVING THE WORLD ONE CHILD AT A TIME

DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Donors,

Warm greetings to our sponsors. We are pleased to share this month's newsletter, offering a glimpse into the lives of the children and families you continue to support through your generosity. This edition highlights progress, milestones, and the impact of your support across our areas of operation, from classroom achievements and health updates to inspiring stories of resilience.

During this period, we joined our children and foster families in celebrating Easter through shared meals, resilience, and renewal. The celebration provided a meaningful moment to reaffirm our commitment to protecting, nurturing, and empowering vulnerable children and families within the communities we serve.

With thanks for your support,

Doreen Tigah



PROGRAM UPDATES

- Children living in foster care within the community continue to do well across Mubende, Kyegegwa, and Buyende districts. Social workers regularly conduct home visits to monitor their well-being and ensure foster families receive support. During these visits, they assess progress, discuss any challenges, and provide guidance, counseling, and mentorship to caregivers and children. These visits help strengthen the foster care system and ensure the children grow in safe, supportive, and nurturing homes.
- Miryante Community Centre's agricultural activities across the various districts served are progressing well, with routine weeding completed and crops such as tomatoes, eggplants, cabbages, and green peppers harvested. During the rainy season, some children on holiday have participated in gardening and basic animal care under the guidance of social workers and the gardener.

HEALTH UPDATE

We are pleased to report that all children under our care across Mubende, Kyegegwa and Buyende districts are healthy and happy. MCC continues to closely monitor and support the health and well-being of all OVCs under its care through regular follow-ups and coordination with health facilities. Those living with HIV/AIDS are adhering well to their antiretroviral (ARVs) medication, and their routine hospital visits are closely monitored and supported with the generous funding from our donors, we are able to meet a wide range of medical needs. This includes care for children living with HIV/AIDS and sickle cell disease, as well as timely treatment for common illnesses such as malaria, coughs, and colds. This support ensures that children receive appropriate and timely medical attention, enabling them to grow, learn, and thrive in good health. These supports are expensive, and we are always grateful for the generosity of those who give to Miryante Community Centre.

DONATIONS

Miryante Community Centre sincerely appreciates the generous support from our well-wishers who donated livestock and essential items to orphans and vulnerable children across Mubende, Kyegegwa, and Buyende districts. These contributions included goats, heifers, as well as sanitary pads and toothpaste. All of these donations are aimed at strengthening household livelihoods, improving nutrition, and meeting the basic needs of children under our care. This collective support continues to enhance the dignity, care, and resilience of OVCs and their foster families, while contributing to more sustainable and empowered households. We are unable to make our programs a success without you.





SUSTAINING NUTRITIONAL NEEDS

Miryante Community Centre continues to support children in foster care with monthly food assistance delivered to their homes across Mubende, Kyegegwa, and Buyende districts. This support helps ensure children have access to adequate and balanced nutrition for healthy growth and development.

EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT AND DEVELOPMENT

Education remains life-changing, and your continued support is opening doors to brighter futures for children in Mubende, Kyegegwa, and Buyende districts. Learners in primary and secondary schools have completed their end-of-term-one examinations for 2026, and some are awaiting their academic reports. Early results indicate promising performance. Students in tertiary institutions are also continuing with their studies. Those already on holidays are using the time to revise their schoolwork, complete assignments, and support their caregivers with light garden work at home. Educational progress is monitored by our dedicated social workers.



EASTER CELEBRATIONS

Miryante Community Centre was pleased to share the Easter holiday with orphans and vulnerable children, foster families, and community members in Mubende, Kyegegwa, and Buyende districts. With the generous support of our sponsors and friends, the children enjoyed a special meal together, participated in prayers and storytelling about the life and resurrection of Jesus Christ. These moments offered meaningful lessons on forgiveness, love, and hope, while strengthening bonds among children, caregivers, and communities, and reinforcing the true spirit of Easter.

SEEKING SPONSORSHIP

Name: Jackie Aijuka Age: 10

Background:

Jackie is a bright and social girl who is waiting for sponsorship, along with her brother, Joel. Jackie and her brother faced a very difficult situation when their mother abandoned them while their father was seriously ill. Sadly their father has since passed away, leaving the children with no parent to care for them, and their mother's whereabouts remain unknown. Despite these challenges, Jackie is a brilliant child with a positive attitude and love for education. She enjoys being with others and is eager to continue her studies. Jackie dreams of becoming a nurse when she grows up so that she can help care for the sick people in her community.



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VISIT

Visitors are welcome and encouraged! Uganda is a beautiful country, and there are endless opportunities to visit the children. Email: laurachristinecorcoran@gmail.com



Name: Edisa Namusobya Age: 07

Background:

Edisa is an orphan living with sickle cell disease and staying with a caretaker who is a peasant farmer facing significant life challenges. The family is highly vulnerable and unable to afford school fees and other scholastic requirements. Edisa is in middle class and eager to continue her education, but she needs support to stay in school. A kind sponsor could help secure her chance for a better future. She dreams of becoming a successful businesswoman when she grows up.