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NOUVELLES DU CAMEROUN EDITION N° 16 // RSP PROJECT CONTINUES

This is a follow up report of that of January 2024 as a result of the grant of November 2023 by the International Healthcare Foundation –IHCF/African Christian Hospitals. This has happily changed the face of the work in Bonaberi: the Reusable Sanitary Pads are being supplied on time, the women are happy with their pay and are able to be of help to others. The Bonaberi congregation has stated concrete discussion aimed at providing a conducive workshop to the ladies.



Greetings from Camwork and the Bonaberi Church of Christ ladies to the International Health Care Foundation/ African Christian Hospital family.

On February 22nd 2024 the ladies received an order to supply 4000 pieces of reusable sanitary pads (RSP). This was done with much ease

because 4600 pieces were already in stock. This order brought an income of approximately \$2300.

More materials were bought and the ladies went back to work immediately. They have all received payments and gone back to their petty businesses while waiting for another order.



The ladies were able to do some benevolence with a part of their income. They visited a sister (Julienne) in a neighboring village who is sick of breast cancer. They also contributed to a visit by the Church of Christ sisters to a center for visually impaired persons and a sister (Rose) whose house was burned down in a fire incident.

The Bonaberi church has started working on building a workshop for the ladies. Plans are being made to make the zigzag machine opened to the public to zigzag and pay. This will keep it



from staying idle when work in not on but at the same time will fetch the ladies some income. This action will also provide a permanent employment to at least one lady.



Concerning health campaigns, one was organized on the 8th of March during the International women's day celebration. It took place in the Bonaberi Church of Christ auditorium. One hundred and two women and girls from the church and the community attended.

Sister Mekalo, a nurse who worships with the Bonaberi congregation did the health talk on domestic hygiene and sanitation. She also talked on the disadvantages of stress and gave some tips on how women can avoid it.

On this occasion, Linda did a presentation on balancing work and family time, encouraging the ladies to think about their husbands and children's welfare even as they work hard to support economically. Through this program, a couple of ladies have been attending worship in Bonaberi. Praying they will surrender their lives to Jesus.

The Bonaberi ladies always express their gratitude to IHCF for bringing them relief through this partnership. The next prison visit has been scheduled for October. Attached (page 3) to this report is the financial report.

May the almighty God help us as we try

One more thing: "let brotherly love continue!"

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BONABERI WOMEN REUSABLE SANITARY PADS PROJECT COMPREHENSIVE REPORT

DECEMBER 2023 DETAILS				
INCOME	AMOUNT	EXPENDITURES	AMOUNT	1USD =
Money from ICHF	1,800,000	Purchase of zigzag machine	245,000	\$408.33
Income from 700 RSP sold	245,000	Accessories and mounting of zigzag machine	55,000	\$91.67
TOTAL	2,045,000	December Payments	258,850	\$431.42
		Purchase of materials	881,596	\$1,469.33
		Retrieval fee	67,620	\$112.70
		300 pads donated	105,976	\$176.63
		TOTAL	1,614,042	\$2,690.07
		BALANCE	430,958	\$718.26
JANUARY 2024 DETAILS				
INCOME	AMOUNT	EXPENDITURES	AMOUNT	
Brought Forward	430,958	Purchase of Materials	390,000	\$650.00
Income from 4,000 RSP sold	1,400,000	Contribution to visually impaired center	20,000	\$33.33
TOTAL	1,830,958	Ingredients for Banana Cake practicals by sisters	7,000	\$11.67
		Payments	361,710	\$602.85
		TOTAL	778,710	\$1,297.85
		BALANCE	1,052,248	\$1,753.75
FEBRUARY 2024 DETAILS				
INCOME	AMOUNT	EXPENDITURES	AMOUNT	
Brought Forward	1,052,248	Payments	512,275	\$853.79
TOTAL	1,052,248	TOTAL	512,275	\$853.79
		BALANCE	539,973	\$899.96
MARCH 2024 DETAILS				
INCOME	AMOUNT	EXPENDITURES	AMOUNT	
Brought Forward	539,973	Contribution to Rose whose house got burned	20,000	\$33.33
TOTAL	539,973	Birthday Gift to the Preacher	25,000	\$41.67
		Contribution to sister sick of cancer	25,000	\$41.67
		Payments	76,000	\$126.67
		TOTAL	146,000	\$243.33
		BALANCE	393,973	\$656.62