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Our well is producing beautiful clean water – even in the dry season!



Thanks to all our amazing donors, our well project is becoming a success! The children at Tloma Primary School have fresh drinking water and both the school garden and our demonstration garden are thriving – even during the recent dry season. The well is located on a small property we purchased that is about a half-mile from the school. The water must be pumped up 65 feet in elevation to be stored in the 10,000 liter tank we provided. The well itself is 646 feet deep with water at depth of 535 feet. We are still working on getting all the proper licensing and registrations to be able to sell water to others in the community. The proceeds will not only ensure the well is properly maintained but will provide needed funds for educational support for the children and to

support small business development in the area. We look forward to continuing to share with you the bright futures your investment has helped to create.

Asante Sana! Thank you very much!

Congratulations to our successful primary students!

We just received the national exam scores for the 7th grade students, which is the final grade level for students at Tloma Primary School prior to moving on to secondary school. Our students did very well, with 96% passing and 72% had a B average or better! We are in the process of getting sponsors for these bright young people to be able to continue their education and go on to secondary school. The students pictured below all scored above average with a B level overall on the national exams. Each has high potential to do well in secondary school and most likely will not be able to attend without a sponsorship.



On the left is a fairly shy young woman named Lea Yohani. She ranks fifth in the class and likes Math, English, Science and Social Studies. She wants to become a doctor.

On the right is Maulid Festo, 13 years old. He likes soccer, and also likes studying. His favorite subjects are Math, Science and English. He wants to be a National Park Ranger.

The girl on the left is 13-year-old Asha Majuto. She lives with her brother because both of her parents are gone. She likes Math, English and Social Studies. She also plays netball. She wants to become a lawyer so she could help other people.

In the middle is Ibrahim Yotam. He is 14 years old and likes studying. He lives with his grandfather because his parents are gone. He also likes playing sports. He ranks 8th in his class and wants to be a teacher.

On the right is Saidati Awadhi. She is 12 years old and lives with her mother because her father died. She likes English, Science and Social Studies and wants to be a nurse. She ranks 6th in the class.



On the left is 13-year-old Martha Hamisi. She lives with her mother because her father has died. She likes sports, and her favorite subjects are Math, English and Science. She wants to become a doctor.

In the middle is Hamisi Yusuphu. He is 13 years old and likes football. He is good at Science, English and Social Studies and hopes to become a teacher. He lives with his grandfather because his parents are gone.

On the right is 13-year-old Mariam Yusufu. She is good at Science and English, and wants to be a nurse. She lives with her mother because her father is gone.

As you may know, public boarding schools only cost \$450 a year for full tuition, supplies, and room and board which will not only provide education, but also ensure a student has adequate nutrition, a sound roof over their heads, and electric lights to study by in the evening. This is such a small amount to invest to ensure the best education to help these kids realize their full potential.

There is a cheaper option for secondary school: \$160 per year will send a child to the Mlimani Day school which is a 3-5 kilometer walk each way, every day for the kids. Although a hardship on the kids and a less comprehensive curriculum, this option is much better than not attending secondary school at all.

We welcome contributions of any size. Even \$25 will become \$50 as we have a donor who has agreed to match all education gifts up to \$5000 this fall. Thank you to all our generous donors!

Tloma Giving is a registered 501c3, so your donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. To donate directly through Paypal: [Click to donate](#)

Thank you for making a difference in the lives of these kids!

Return visit to Tloma



We have so many good things happening in Tloma – it's time to go back and reconnect! This December our President, Winona Perry will return to visit our sponsored children and to oversee operations at the new well. She'll be joined in January by our Treasurer, Jim Swallow. As a board, we've decided it's important for us to donate our time as well as our trip costs to ensure that our work, and your investment is continuing to bring about the bright futures we've envisioned. It's also important to our work to continue to develop relationships with our Tanzanian team members as well as with the families of Tloma.

Since the students will be home from boarding school in December, Winona will have the opportunity to deliver letters and photos from their sponsors. In January, we hope to visit the children at their boarding schools and will share photos of all these reunions.

If you sponsor a student, please mail your letter and any photos you'd like to share to Winona Perry; 1404 East 2700 North; North Logan UT 84341

If you would like to fund school supplies, please donate on our website or send Winona a check made out to Tloma Giving. She will send you photos of the supplies she purchases for the kids. To donate directly through Paypal: [Click to donate](#) or go to Tlomagiving.org

Used Cell phones and laptops urgently needed



Have you recently upgraded your smartphone or laptop? Is your older one still working? Please consider donating it to Tloma Giving. As you might imagine, cell phones and laptops are expenses far out of the reach of most people in the Tloma area. However, for us to communicate and work with teachers and team members there, we need for them to have access to technology. Smartphones with WhatsApp are essential for us to be able to get anything done in Tloma. This app enables us to communicate through voice or text without any costs beyond a wireless connection. We use smartphones to share documents, send funds for school fees, and to verify work for which we've contracted.

Laptops are essential for business AND nonprofits to track expenses and to file financial reports. Once we are able to sell and distribute water from our new well, we will need to carefully track all revenues and expenses. We also hope to train others to use these tools for their own business. If you have a laptop in good working condition, please consider donating it to Tloma Giving.

Our Treasurer, Jim Swallow is flying to Tanzania in January and can take the laptops and smartphones with him. Please ship them to him to arrive **before December 24**. And remember, donations of used electronics for education are tax deductible as well. Thank you!

The shipping address for UPS or FedEx (Not for US mail) is:

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