

Olemoncho Computer Lab Construction Has Begun!



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Exciting News: The Kenyan School Project is creating a Computer Lab for the Olemoncho Primary School!

We are happy to report that we have reached our goal of raising nearly \$50,000 for the Olemoncho Primary School computer program! We thank all the generous donors who helped make this a success. We are also grateful to the Kind World Foundation for their continued support and contribution to this project.

The computer lab is a worthy project that promises to have a huge impact on the next generation of students at the Olemoncho Primary School, located in the rural Masai Mara. We recognize that these children must be trained in technology to compete in the job market, and this is why we responded to the school's request and made it our priority. Now we can celebrate reaching our goal!

Some of you initially contributed when the concept for this project was proposed nearly two years ago. Since then, you may have wondered, "What ever happened to that computer lab?" This is the largest and most complex project that the KSP has taken on, and we have devoted much time and effort to develop a technology center that will be successful and sustainable for years to come.

Early in the process of developing a computer lab for this rural school, it became apparent that the KSP board did not have the technical expertise we needed. We set out to find partners to help us develop a project we can endorse and present to our valued donors. Several people have helped us design the infrastructure and the technology for the computer lab. Patrick Munguti, Director of Technology Education and IT at Kenya Connect, was most helpful early in the project, and we are grateful for his continued support.



Our most important volunteer and all-around hero is technology expert Corky Searls. Corky and Teri Linneman have put in many hours working with staff at the Olemoncho Primary School to ensure that the wiring, connectivity and technology will be operable in an area where there is no access to electricity. After numerous meetings over WhatsApp and countless hours of research, we are now confident that the design will meet the needs of the Olemoncho Primary School curriculum.

The first step was to send the first half of the grant to allow the school to begin construction of the building. Once completed, the second half of the grant will be sent to allow for the purchase of the computers and technology. We are so grateful that you have trusted us with your donation, and we will monitor the progress of the computer lab and keep you informed of our work.



Check out our NEW Kenyan School Project web site

We are also excited to announce the launch of our new website

The new website has been in development for a year and a half, led by board member Teri Linneman. We are grateful to Karen Hatman for providing the image for our improved logo, an acacia tree with children reading books beneath it. Please take a moment to check out the new website and let us know what vou think.

KSP is a 501(C)(3) nonprofit. If you feel inspired to support our work, you can donate online or send a check directly to the Kenyan School Project. Please feel free to share this newsletter with your friends.

Again and again, we thank you for your support. Your contributions are enabling a tiny organization to do big things for rural Kenyan children. Asante sana!



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- We are 100% volunteer run. That means that 100% of your donation goes to where it's needed.
- We develop relationships with schools and respond to the needs they identify.
- We track the progress and impact of our programs.
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