

CHILDREN SAFE UGANDA JANUARY 2021 REPORT

Beloved Partners and Friends of CSU,

Greetings and Happy New Year, let me hope you are doing well and keeping safe from Covid-19 which is still a challenge everywhere.

Once again am glad to share with you a short report on the progress at CSU in the first month of 2021. As usual the year opened with celebrations and thanks giving to God for enabling us see another year.



Thank you ZBK,
thank you indeed.

The celebrations were spiced up with gifts which were donated by ZBK for the children's Christmas but delayed due to the unfavorable market situation.



In the pictures, some of the children with the gifts that were donated by ZBK and delivered to them on New years day.

Children's Health

As I indicated in the end of year report, we are continuously having health challenges with 3 children. And I can report that Cathy has reduced on the seizures and has started picking up on food.

However, Meshach has not been well the whole of this month with a painful swelling above the knee which made him refuse food, he cries throughout some nights and could not walk. He was suspected to be with septic arthritis which led him to be operated upon. Pain is reducing slowly but the challenging bit of it is that it seems he has pain even in his other leg. We wait for the doctors to ascertain. He is for review on 10th and 24th respectively.



For Kisekka, he is struggling with his wounds, though this time he is not stressed.

All children received their deworming tablets and its done routinely to keep the children free from worms and their effects.

Meshach with a plastered limb after the operation recently

THE NAMUYE CHARITY NOW IN THE SAFE HANDS OF A LOVING PARENT

IN 2016, Charity was rescued with her siblings from a dilapidated house structure deep in the suburbs of Entebbe. After her entry in BCH, we conducted our usual first medical checks to find out about the health situation of the child. To our dismay, results came out with hurting news that she was HIV positive and that she should have started on support long time ago. It was quite disturbing to break the news to her but God guided us and we did it well with hurting her feelings. Indeed she was quick to comply with taking the regular medication. However, another big task was to find a better home, to place this little innocent girl because it is a government requirement that very child should be placed or resettled with a family. We needed a family that would accept her the way she is with her health status; so the search was on for either a relative or a foster parent. It was after 2 consecutive years that her Aunt was traced and found in Mubende and not long she accepted to take on the girls with open arms. It's barely now a year since Charity was placed into her maternal aunt's family.

For her, it didn't matter whether the family had enough to take care of her or the situations at home but what mattered was that she had been accepted into the family.



The Covid-19 lockdown has helped so much with their bonding. Charity has no regrets for joining the family neither is her aunt.

The main challenge is still their unstable income given that Charity has to be on a well balanced diet because of her health status but they are living happily

In the Picture,
Charity
with her
Aunt and
Half
brother





Prayers

- i. We are continuously asking you to Pray for Kisekka Christopher's legs,
- ii. We need prayers for Abimanyi Meshach, his deteriorating health with too much weakness after the surgery.
- iii. Pray for Catherine Nabikolo we believe God is in control.

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Conclusion

Our thoughts and prayers are with you everyday; we still trust that God will enable you find more open doors so that you may continue supporting the works and mission of CSU.

Be blessed and thank you for choosing Children Safe Uganda.

Happy New Year.

Moses and Team