



## ***PFHU NEWSLETTER - 2020***



**Dear Friends, Trustees, Donors,**

Weeks have passed since the last PfHU-Kititi newsletter, and it is time for an update on the project activities. This newsletter will further highlight on some of the activities that took place in the month of August, especially among those who do not have easy access to PfHU links. We hope that you will enjoy this newsletter and that the photos will be useful to you. As always, we welcome your feedback at any time! # Kate Oakley: [kateoakley135@btinternet.com](mailto:kateoakley135@btinternet.com)

### **Women's cooperative**

#### **a) Sewing project**

Kititi women's group has been sharing experiences among themselves. This is manifested in their new scheme of making face masks for the community and it has worked very well. The sewing project is still in its starting phase, but it aims to provide a platform for change which will promote rural women's access and control over small cottage businesses in Kititi village.



## b) Farming

To date, Kititi women's group have at least this one highly participated in project where they have learnt better techniques or gained new ideas - Agricultural project. Members have offered valuable time to their group land which was bought to them by PfHU - UK, Every rainy season, women have planted crops of their own choice ranging from beans, maize, cassava, sweet potatoes and vegetables and these are shared amongst themselves during harvest time and this makes the women more committed to this project. One member - Justine, said "I didn't know how to properly dig the garden and plant seeds or grow crops well. But through PfHU support and facilitation system, I was able to learn a lot about agricultural practices. This has really made me grow and advance in terms of producing good yields of crops" Now that the rains have started, the Kititi cooperative women are ready and set to plant their new seeds which have been bought for them through PfHU.

### **Cornerstone nursery and primary school**

Through PfHU we started home schooling program - visionary solution, where children are getting self-study materials and scholastic needs to help them to continue studying during this lockdown. Cornerstone teachers move around homesteads checking and helping these children with their homework and making sure every child is being engaged in this program. We pray PfHU continue securing funds for more learning materials and workbooks.

### **PfHU Community clinic**

Every week Dr. Baker and nurse Daphne provides a mobile outreach clinic in Kititi village. The outreach team goes out into this poor remote area which would otherwise not have access to health services. The outreach clinic provides a range of services including diagnosis, testing and treatment, as well as well family planning and counseling.

As the clinic draws to close for the day, Dr. Baker and nurse Daphne complete their report which records details of the number of people served, the types of medication delivered and supplies of stock. Provision of integrated services in such remote areas is vital for the local community; many men, women and children would not be able to receive the types of treatment and care that PfHU medical team diligently provide in Kititi village.



### **Food relief and hygiene supplies - Kititi Community**

PfHU was very blessed to receive support in terms of an emergency Covid- 19 relief fund from its friends and supporters, and has been able to provide packages of food and soap to nearly 200 families, with perhaps 600 people benefitting. The Covid-19 emergency support effort is focused on

- Distribution of essential foods - maize mill (posho) and beans mainly considering families with children, widowed, sick and the elderly.
- Providing bar soap to every household and at all community meeting points where we have hand washing containers.

We are very grateful to the PfHU friends for availing these funds which will run for yet other good weeks providing food and hygiene supplies to Kititi community.



Special thanks go to all our friends and partners who contribute money to the projects of PfHU- Kititi village during this difficult time.

I am also so grateful to our funders and PfHU Trustees who are always willing to provide what we ask for in Kititi village during this difficult time of of Covid-19. Thanks so much.



Apollo

PfHU Coordinator -Uganda