

The new Boys' House



The future home for the NLAI boys



David standing at the plot where the boys home will be

David Virgin from Australia

Our good friend David, who has been running his own building company in Australia for 40 years, has been here for 2 weeks to help us to prepare and to work out many

It's going to be a great day for all of us, when we launch the building of the new home for the boys, especially for the boys who have been waiting for a new home for many years. The project has been postponed several times but now we can start.

All the planning is now falling into place. To make a project like this come true we have needed many things such as drawings, planning permission and other necessary documents.

Even though we still need about 25 % of the necessary funds to fulfil the building of the boys' home, we now step out in faith trusting that God will provide the remaining funds. Thank you everyone for your donations! To date, we have raised approx. USD 245000 including the promised amounts dedicated "boys house".

This is amazing and we feel so grateful to each one of you.



The boys are really looking forward to seeing their new home

We appreciate all amounts – big or small. People from many parts of the world have made donations for the new home for the boys. Individuals, companies or societies who have donated or want to donate an amount of USD 15000, or more will be honored by having a plate, with their name on, placed on the house either at a room or outside at the house. In order to see this project completed, we need approx. USD 75000. Maybe you will be called on to help us to raise this.



things in connection with the new boy's house-building project. He also helped us with the school building project in 2013, and we are very grateful for all his help.

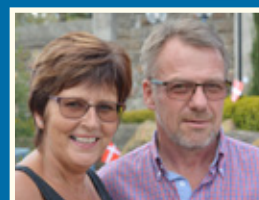


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News from us

After months of dry weather, we have now enjoyed a period of rainy weather that makes everything beautifully green and flourishing. We enjoy the beauty and the refreshment of the rain, which makes us hope that Kenya will experience a good harvest. Furthermore, we thank God for his blessings in every way upon NLAI and all of us.



Susanne & Leif

The two sisters of Leif, Lillian and Jonna, were also part of the group and blessed us with their company. When the group departed, Jonna stayed a little longer and her husband Jørgen, came to join her. In the middle of March, Susannes sisters daughter Ann-Katrine, her husband Stefan and their daughter Adele also visited for some weeks.



Ann-Katrine & Stefan with Adele

In April, Leif's younger brother John came for 6 weeks, together with his son Andreas, who is currently staying as a volunteer for a few months. As usual, it was a great joy to see our family, who naturally help out during their stay here.



John & Andreas



The group from Denmark

Boarding-schools visits

At the end of February, a group from Skovbo Boarding School came to see us for a few days.

They had a good time together with the children at the school, especially the students from the orphanages with whom they made further contact.

Group Excursion to Kenya in March 2016

In March a group of 28 guests arrived from Denmark for three weeks. Together with Willy and Marie Højgaard we showed the group the locations of our work



Marie & Willy

in Nakuru - both the NLAI School, the orphanage and the dumping site project. They also visited private homes of our staff and participated in a few church services.



Leif, Susanne, Inger, Lillian and Jonna

With them, we also had time to see the beautiful nature and the wild animals of Kenya. We enjoyed the fellowship although many did not know each other before they came here.

During the stay of all our guests, we both celebrated our 60th birthdays. We had a very blessed and fun day together with our African and Danish friends.

We spent a fantastic time together with new friends. It is a time that we think of with great joy.



Students from Skovbo

On Sunday, the older children from the orphanage were invited to dine together with the students from Skovbo, which was



Euro Class

Family visiting

In February, Susanne's sister came to visit us and stayed for a couple of weeks. She was happy to see the children and the work of NLAI and was a big help and joy to us during her stay.



Jonna & Jørgen



Visitors having party together with the girls and boys from the children home

much appreciated.

At the end of April, students from Euro Class, Kolding in Denmark came to visit us and give a hand. They did a great job in playing with and entertaining the children from the orphanage. Due to school holiday that week they had lots of time together.

New Manager at NLAI

It is with great gratitude at New Life Africa International that a new manager now has been engaged. After a long period of prayer, considerations and several job interviews, we have engaged Eric Mbugua with effect from the 1st. of June. We rejoice in this and believe he will be a future asset for NLAI. We are all excited and relieved that a manager finally has been found. It is now more than 1 year and 4 months since the former manager Crispus' premature death.



**Manager for NLAI
Eric Mbugua**

NLAI supports the following programs:

NLAI School has 493 students on a daily basis. At the school, they are educated, fed and stimulated by contact with grownups. Every day another 62 children are supported at the New Life Tumaini School and an additional 110 children receive help from NLAI who pay for their medical expenses, food and educational programs.



**Head teacher
Jane Makena**



New Life Africa School

NLAI supports 73 students at High schools. This secures further education and provides good opportunities for employment. This year 22 students began Form 1, the first of four years in High school. All of them are enthusiastic about having this big opportunity to proceed in life. At present NLAI supports 30 young people in their ongoing studies at college and university and 4 are expected to begin in September. To complete a study provides a fantastic chance in life to make it on your own later on. A thousand thank you to all of you who make this possible. Without you, this labour and efforts would be in vain.

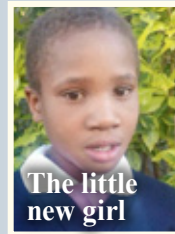
RAISE IN SPONSORSHIPS.

For those of you who are able to raise your monthly aid, it will be most appreciated. Of course this is a request because what you give is on a voluntary basis and we fully understand if you are not able to adjust the amount. Many thanks to those of you who have already responded positively and have implemented the new rates. You can see the new increased prices at the bottom on the back page.

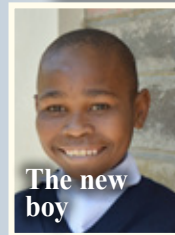


The NLAI's Homes for girls and boys

Two new children have moved into the orphanage. A little girl and a boy were dropped off by the public authorities because of physical violence at home. At present 107 children are living in the New Life Boys Home and Girls Home. Here they reside and receive everything they need besides attending school and making excursions now and then.



The little new girl

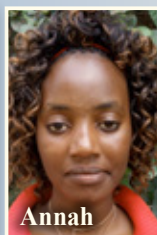


The new boy

Annah, Jackline, Elizabeth and James from the orphanage and **Paul and Dennis** from the sponsor program have started their advanced studies. And more will begin further education in September.



Jackline



Annah



Elizabeth



James



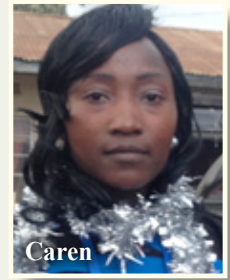
Paul L



Denis

Personal testimonies

Caren was born in West Kenya. She was raised by her parents as the eldest of five siblings, but one day a gang of robbers came to the farm and stole her father's livestock and then killed him. In her tribe, it is a tradition, that when a man dies one of his brothers is entitled to marry the widow - in this case her mother. But Caren's mother did not want to do this and as a result was banished from the family of her husband. Caren, her siblings and their mother moved to Nakuru but did not have any kind of income. Life became hard for the family. In order for Caren's mother to earn money for their living, the children were deposited in different homes. Caren was placed with her aunt, but when her aunt could no longer afford the expenses, Caren was sent away. Later on, in February 2007, Caren came to NLAI where she has been since. She felt at ease and found her feet again. She completed secondary school and has now finished further education. Caren has also earned a Certificate in dress-making, tailoring and interior design and thus she is well equipped for future employment.



Caren

Jane was born near Lake Victoria.

She was the last of six siblings. Both her parents died as well as the aunt who she stayed with after the death of her parents. In 2011, she came to NLAI orphanage where some of her siblings were staying. In spite of the many challenges of life and the loss of her parents, she managed to complete secondary school and further education. Now Jane has finished her education and has a certificate in dressmaking, tailoring and interior design. In college, she was a prize girl, which made us very proud! Thank you so much to you who supported these two lovely girls. Today they have had a good education and been given possibilities unknown to many young people here in Kenya. Both of them have got a job, and after the first three months, where they received help from NLAI getting established, they are now on their own.



Jane

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The children's holiday

The children from the NLAI Homes had a fine holiday and many, who had the opportunity, went home to visit their families. Some of the children were only able to stay with their family for one day



Children's trip to the Game Park



The children saw many animals

together with a member of our staff otherwise it would be too risky. And others did not dare to go home because of their violent family background. Instead they went to the game park, or were invited by staff members or people from the church. Altogether they had a good time and enjoyed it.

TV program on New Life Africa International

Ole Vestergaard, a journalist from the TV in Denmark, has been here to make a program to be aired on Danish television this summer. We enjoyed the visit of Ole and the photographer who stayed here for two days make the recordings.

As soon as we know the exact time of the broadcast it will be published on the facebook and homepage of NLAI



Recording for TV

NB! The payment system on our website is now functioning with paypal, and soon it will work with credit cards. It will make donations and payments by means of credit card both easier and cheaper.

Malena & Jens Meitilberg

Our very good friends and co-workers in NLAI through 5 years from 2004 – 2009, Malena and Jens, came back to visit Kenya for the first time since 2009. It was a great joy to us when they visited. They had opportunities to visit and see many of their old friends.



Malena & Jens

Visiting Denmark and the Faroe Islands

Soon we will be off for our meeting tour in Denmark. We will visit Denmark and the Faroe Islands from the end of August until the middle of October. We have scheduled many meetings. In case of a change of program, be sure to check our website. We look forward again to meeting friends, acquaintances and family.

Thank you very much for making it possible to help so many people in need.

We appreciate all of you very much and ask God to bless you.

Greetings with Jeremiah 1, 5: Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you.

Love from
Susanne and Leif Madsen

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www.newlife-africa.org
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Account name: Betania Kirkecenter's Ydremission.
Write also: N.L.A.I. - Swift/BIC code: JYSPDK2G
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Support a child in primary school	\$ 55 / £ 35
Half sponsorship in primary school	\$ 29 / £ 19
Support a child in NLAI Homes	\$ 105 / £ 68
Half support for NLAI Homes	\$ 54 / £ 35
Support a student in Garment making	\$ 80 / £ 55
Half support for Garment making	\$ 42 / £ 28
Support a student in High School/ practical training	\$ 180/£ 117
Half support for High school / practical	\$ 90 / £ 60
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