

DOGODOGO

Multi Training Center for street children



DANIEL BROTTIER SECONDARY SCHOOL

Project of Renovation of existing buildings to start Secondary School classes for
the sustainability of the MTC at Dogodogo

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SUMMARY

- **Title of the project:**
Project of Renovation of existing buildings in order to open two classes in a Secondary School for the sustainability of the MTC at Dogodogo
- **Responsible of the Project:**
The Congregation of the Holy Spirit -Tanzania Province
- **Location of the Project**
The Dogodogo Multipurpose Training Centre for the street children is located at Bunju, 32 Km North West of Dar es Salaam.
- **Direct Beneficiary of the Project:**
Vulnerable youths including children from the streets, workers and neighboring people around the center, but also other students desiring to benefit from high quality education.
- **Objectives of the Project:**
Renovation of existing class rooms and a dormitory as well as purchase of wood and other accessories to manufacture benches, tables, chairs and beds by the youths of the MTC center learning carpeting, for the class rooms and the dormitory. This will enable young people between 12 and 17 years old to attend The Daniel Brottier Secondary School for a better future as well as for the sustainability of the MTC at Dogodogo.
- **Financing requested:**
The MTC Dogodogo requests **19.610 €** equal to **TShs. 48,046,000/=** to buy the materials necessary to renovate the existing class rooms and the dormitory, as well as to buy wood and accessories to manufacture the furniture needed for the classes and the dormitory.

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PROJECT OF RENOVATION OF CLASSROOMS AND A DORMITORY, FABRICATION OF BENCHES, TABLES, CHAIRS AND BEDS NEEDED FOR YOUNG CHILDREN BETWEEN 12 AND 17YEARS OLD

In most families the children receive enough love and care during their early years to be able to go through their lives without major problems. But still in too many cases this love and care has not be received for one reason or another, and so the loveless childhood will mark these children and follow them throughout their lives making them vulnerable for all kind of dangers.

The street children as well as children working live in miserable conditions and are in most cases abused by gangsters. Many of them suffer from different kinds of deceases because of their bad conditions of life. Most of them have left school, some of them go to school occasionally. Once grown up adults they are in most cases analphabets, condemned to live in constant hunger executing dangerous jobs with low payment, or for girls in prostitution, abused sexually. As a result these young people are excluded from social life, marginalized, traced by the police, then condemned for small crimes, later prison, finally caught up by drug dealers, or people with bad intensions, treating them as slaves, when employed for domestic work.

We all know that poverty and radicalization go hand in hand. Children living and working in the streets are exposed to deviant behavior and others have been lured to street life by criminal gangs, sexual exploitation and drug trafficking. Globally there is an awareness that unemployed vulnerable children and youth are targets for terrorist groups. Indeed, in today's world terrorist groups recruit from this human resource just because they are vulnerable and because of despair, they are ready to accept to do anything. In Dar es Salaam, people call it a time-bomb which means living in a potential threat to peace, law and order.

The Multi Training Center DOGODOGO, created to help young marginalized people in rehabilitation and in restructuring their personality through learning a profession, was closed during 8 months due to lack of financing. The MTC at Bunju was started by the "Dogodogo Centre Street Children Trust" in 2003. Since then more than 1.350 boys and girls living in the street or having a tough life have found shelter and help at the center. The Spiritans have accepted to reopen this center in July 2017 together with other organizations, in order to continue this valuable work for the marginalized youth, especially giving them hope for a better future. At the Dogodogo center, the young people feel protected, loved and respected. They learn a profession in fields of carpeting, sewing, multimedia, electricity or fire-fighting. This gives them a possibility to become self-dependent and so be accepted in the society.

As the Spiritans took over the Dogodogo center, they committed themselves to continue to help these invisible and vulnerable children to come back to normal life by learning a profession. But to be able to learn a profession or to study, these children need daily food, drinking water, a bed to sleep in, a possibility for personal cleanness, also class rooms and a possibility for sports and games. This requires a solid financing of the center. As nobody is there to pay for the costs of these children, children coming from the street, orphans or children placed at the center instead of placed in prison for small crimes at young age. We have to pay the salaries for the teachers teaching carpeting, sewing, computer, electricity and fire-fighting. We grow vegetables and fruits in our garden, but we still have to buy flower, rice and corn. A big cost factor is medical care, visits to see a

doctor or in some cases to go to hospital. Furthermore we have to pay for electricity and by soap and cleaning materials.

The only income we have so far is sales of vegetables, eggs as well as some products manufactured at the center by the young people, like bags, shirts and table sets manufactured by the sewing students, or small tables and chairs manufactured by the carpeting students. But this income doesn't cover even 10% of the total cost spent.

We need to sustain the finances at Dogodogo, otherwise it will be almost impossible for the Spiritans to continue this valuable work of offering hope for these vulnerable children to build themselves a better future.

A private Secondary School for the sustainability of the MTC Dogodogo

Since many years the Holy Ghost Fathers in Tanzania have built and are running schools of all levels (Nursery classes, Primary and Secondary Schools, Multi Training Centers and even Universities) very successfully. This education is basically dispensed to children and marginalized persons in order to improve their socio-economic development.

To establish a Secondary School at the MTC Dogodogo, which school will be accessible to the vulnerable youth of the center as well as for young people coming from families who can pay the requested school fees for good quality education, is a concrete and a solid idea for the sustainability of the Dogodogo center.

We have enough space inside the buildings within the campus to open two classes for the Secondary School. There is a dormitory needing some cleaning, plumbing and refreshment to board the new students. And our ground area is big enough to build other buildings later.

We will break even during the second year with the help of the school fees paid by the parents. About 10 children per school year from the MTC will be able to attend the school without payment of school fees.

The renovation works consist of cleaning thoroughly, repainting walls and ceilings inside of the buildings, check the electrical installations as well as plumbing and to buy new mosquito nets for windows.

The furniture like tables, benches, chairs, beds and cupboards will be manufactured onsite by the children learning carpeting. We have just to buy the materials.

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The detail of our budget for this project is as follows:

**Costs for renovation of classrooms and dormitory, Construction of Toilettes and
Bathrooms at Dogodogo Street Children and Orphanage Center**

Description	Quantity	Unit price	Total price
A/ CLASSESS RENOVATION			
Replacement of 5 ceiling boards	5	25,000	125,000
Paintings (walls, ceiling boards)	2	650,000	1,300,000
New cement floor (class rooms)	2	400,000	800,000
Door frames and shatters	4	75,000	300,000
Aluminium windows	12	0	0
Timber for making chairs and table	270	14,500	3,915,000
B/ OFFICES RENOVATION			
New cement floor	2	300,000	600,000
Aluminium windows	4	225,000	900,000
Paintings (walls, ceiling boards)	2	450,000	900,000
Labour charge	1	450,000	450,000
C/ DORMITORY RENOVATION			
Floor renovation	1	1,500,000	1,500,000
Timber for making 45 double beads	45	250,000	11,250,000
Painting of walls, ceiling boards + roofs	1	1,490,000	1,490,000
Windows+new mosquitos nets	12	35,000	420,000
Renovation of the water system	1	950,000	950,000
D/ CONSTRUCTION OF TOILETTES			
Cement	30	14,000	420,000
Bricks	4,000	1,150	4,600,000
Electricity revision and installation	1	2,500,000	2,500,000
Building sand (lories)	10	75,000	750,000
Concrete Gravels	5	95,000	475,000
Iron bars (12mm)	30	25,000	750,000
Iron bars (6mm)	15	17,500	262,500
Timber(1/10)	35	14,500	507,500
Nails (kg)	50	4,800	240,000
Nails for roofing (kg)	15	4,800	72,000
Roofing timber (rafters)	35	15,000	525,000
Corrugated Iron sheets -3m	70	27,000	1,890,000
Corrugated Iron sheets -2.5m	20	19,000	380,000
Door frames and shatters	12	75,000	900,000
Window Frames	12	27,000	324,000
Transport costs for the materials	1	50,000	50,000
Water system installation	1	3,500,000	3,500,000
Sanitary system installation			2,500,000
Labor charge			2,500,000

Total Renovation costs	Tshs	<u>48,046,000</u>
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or Equivalent to Euros		19 610,61
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Our Bank is:

Account Name : Holy Ghost Fathers Bunju
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I thank you in advance for all help you can grant us,

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