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INTRODUCTION

Tony Waite organisation is operating in 9 wards (1, 2,3,4,5,6, 8,9, and 12) in Kariba District in both urban and peri urban areas it also covers the hard to reach areas like the fishing camps where people are separated from service providers by volumes of water in Lake Kariba. The organisation thrives to offer a robust and holistic package of services to the community with much emphasis on women and girls, boys and men health where integrated health services like PMTCT, TB, are covered. Tony Waite through palliative care for adolescents offers Sexual Reproductive Health and Rights and life skills to the adolescents to help them make informed decisions. The organisation through the livelihoods and kapenta projects thrives to enhance household income as well as raising nutrition levels of the community.

PROJECT TARGET

The organisation envisions a holistic and robust service to the community whereby men and women, boys and girls have equal access to services despite cultural norms and values. Tony Waite Organisation through the Gender Transformative Approach ensures that different gender groups have equal access to productive resources and it seeks to address norms and values which have placed women and girls at socio-economic disadvantage and prone to contract the HIV pandemic therefore the program seeks to address these detrimental practices to bring different gender groups on equal footing.

OBJECTIVES

- To identify needy children through community volunteers
- To improve household income, food security and health
- To provide C and HBC and palliative care
- To provide comprehensive scholastic support and psychosocial support

- To coordinate with other stakeholders.

PLANNED ACTIVITIES

C&HBC, Life skills training, M and E of livelihood projects, Support group and youth club meetings, Coordination meetings, outreach for hard to reach areas, Marketing of Kapenta, distribution of IEC materials, in school outreaches, Livelihoods stakeholder review

SERVICES OFFERED TO OVC

	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Number of new OVC provided with school related assistance	0	0	0
Number of new OVC provided with school fees	0	0	0
Number of OVC continuing to be provided with school related assistance	419	491	910
Number of new OVC provided with medical support	0	1	1
Number of OVC started on ART	2	2	4
Number of OVC continuing on ART	55	60	115
Number of new OVC provided with nutritional support	16	12	28
Total number of OVC provided with nutritional support	196	192	388
Number of new OVC provided with PSS	319	387	706
Number of OVC receiving life skills	262	249	511
Number of OVC receiving orientation in care giving skills	60	55	115
Number receiving child rights education	1162	1566	2728
Number of OVC assisted to acquire birth certificates	2	1	3

CLIENTS SEEN ON HBC

NEW CLIENTS SEEN	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
BED RIDDEN	1	1	2
AMBULATORY	1	1	2
WORKING	4	7	11
TOTAL NEW	6	9	15
TOTAL CLIENTS SEEN	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
BED RIDDEN	4	3	7
AMBULATORY	9	7	16
WORKING	167	301	467
TOTAL SEEN	180	311	491
CLIENTS SEEN ON ART	128	367	405
NUMBER OF DEATHS	2	2	4
CARE GIVERS AT HOUSEHOLD LEVEL	41	73	114
FACILITATORS PROVIDING SERVICE	51	1	52
NUMBER OF CHILDREN SEEN	41	57	98
NUMBER OF CHILDREN SEEN ON ART	39	32	71
HOME VISITS CHILDREN	461	448	922
HOME VISITS ADULTS	494	943	1 437
TOTAL HOME VISITS	955	1 391	2 346

NUTRITIONAL SUPPORT

The organization has continued to create strong synergies and networking with local stakeholders and donors with the bid to offer nutritional support to the needy in the community. During the quarter it reached 434 (204M 230F) orphans and vulnerable children with fish heads, mealie meal, sugar and kapenta courtesy of the organization, Kariba Fun run, Lake Harvest and TM Supermarket, tiger tournament. Kariba fun run donated a total of 1 750 kgs of mealie-meal and 350 kgs kapenta and this was distributed as of the following breakdown 388(196M 192F) children, 26 volunteers and 20 elderly (8m 12f).



MEDICAL SUPPORT

A total of 15 068 (5 922M 9 146F) were reached with SRHR information which led to a total of 2 946 (1 154 1 810) getting tested for HIV and knowing their statuses. The males getting tested figure is applaudable especially for youths in schools as they were forthcoming and shows progress in the male involvement quest. The figure comprises those reached through workplace and in school outreaches, woman's health, new born and child health project and those reached in youth clubs. Secondary caregivers continue to spread the gospel through ward meetings which resulted in 761 (176 585) being reached with PMTCT information whilst door to door counseling sessions reached 828 couples and 1 919 (679M 1 240F) individuals with information. Volunteers have managed to offer assistance to 1 226 (297M 829F) individuals on GBV and 198 (23M 179F) referrals were made to other service providers mainly the victim friendly unit and the social services for assistance. Tony Waite volunteers have also managed to give TB adherence support to 112 (33m 79F) individuals and 23 (9M 14F) were reported to have completed treatment during the quarter. Youth in school peer educators reached 1946 (820M 1126F) with SRHR education and counseling. Church leaders continue to intervene in Women's health, new born and child health. They managed to reach 38 couples and 128 (71M 57F) individuals with counseling.

The PMTCT mothers' meetings are ongoing at Nyamhunga Clinic with the PMTCT champion spearheading the discussions and sharing testimonies.

OUTREACHES

The organisation in partnership with the Ministry of Health and Child Care has continued offering services to people in hard to reach areas. During the outreach the following services were offered, child immunization, growth monitoring, HIV counseling and testing, ante natal care and treatment of general ailments as well as resupplies for people on ART. The outreach team encouraged the people to first boil water to kill germs before they drink since there is short supply of chlorine tablets the team also added that they should read the IEC materials distributed to them on rotavirus and prevent it. The organization also conducted HTC outreaches in schools and in the community where HTC services were provided to 5 166(2 415M 2751F). See photos of outreaches below of health education, HTC and other services



YOUTH GALA

The organization continues working hand in glove with other organizations and this has ensured cooperation which has assisted the disadvantaged and the underprivileged. A youth gala was held with other stakeholders during the quarter supported by National AIDS Council which enabled community access services like VIAC, HTS, STI screening and VMMC.



CLEAN UP CAMPAIGN

The organisation managed to join other stakeholders in conducting the cleanup campaign around Nyamhunga shopping centre. It was organized by the Municipality of Kariba and Ministry of Health and Child Care focusing on keeping the town clean as well as awareness on TB. It was graced by provincial and national representatives of humanitarian organisations, local NGOs and CBOs. See photos below



LIVELIHOODS PROJECTS

The organization operates in four livelihoods gardens namely Padare, ZIHOPFE and Charara and primary school in a bid to improve nutritional support and household income through availability of fresh vegetables for consumption they are fully utilizing their space to draw maximum benefits from their garden. At Charara they have planted their maize crop which is doing well. The okra at Padare is now ripe and pumpkin leaves are plenty. They are selling to the surrounding community and prisoners continue the rehabilitation activities at Padare. The women's fund at Padare continues to grow as they aim at buying each other household properties so that they have something to show as a result of gardening.



PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT

Youth clubs and support groups have continued to meet in their respective wards. During the quarter the organisation managed to reach a total of 304 (186M 118F) in youth clubs and support groups. They continue getting information on SRHR, Gender Based Violence, hygiene, child abuse, rights and responsibilities. They continue with their ISALS, mat making, and sewing and re-usable sanitary pads production. They continue requesting for balls so as to engage in sporting activities during their club meetings.

FAMILY CLUB MEETINGS

The organization also managed to conduct family clubs during the quarter reaching a total of 206 (18M 188F). These are instrumental in disseminating and sharing parental skills, giving information on SRHR and GBV whilst promoting adherence for people living with HIV. There is also the opportunity to share skills and conduct internal savings and lending as a way of uplifting the lives of the vulnerable in the community. Women in family clubs from ward 1 are thriving from making detergents as their funds continue to build up. Challenges are coming in where they deliver in bulk to local business people and payments come in late.

CHRISTMAS PARTIES AND TREATS

A total of 60 children attended a Christmas party at community church courtesy of Tony Waite Organisation during the quarter. They got a blanket each and a treat pack with sweets, biscuits and cakes to take home at the end of the day. A total of 20 elderly were also called in for a Christmas party at the organisation offices. They also got a take home package of either a bucket or plastic dish, a 5kg mealie meal pack, a bath towel and soap as well as cake packs. of Adolescents enjoyed a Christmas lunch courtesy of Caribbea Bay Hotel after which they enjoyed a cruise courtesy of Marine land and this was donated through the Mayor's cheer fund. See photos below for the various activities



COMPREHENSIVE LEGAL AND SCHOLASTIC SUPPORT

The organization has continued to support Orphans and Vulnerable Children in the community scholastically. The organization supports 99(44M 45F) of which 26(9M 17F) are Primary school students and 70(32M 38F) Secondary school students. A total of 2 male students are receiving support for tertiary education.

KAPENTA FISHING AND MARKETING EXPANSION PROJECT

The organization has also continued to support vulnerable women and youths economically through income generating project of Kapenta. A total of 28 (15M 13F) were employed during the quarter as kapenta packers and one merchandisers to which the majority of women highlighted that the project is helping them to provide food for their families, to pay for school fees and rentals. Some of these women are survivors of gender based violence.

KAPENTA PROCESSING FACTORY CONSTRUCTIONThe organization continues with the construction of the kapenta packaging and processing factory and now at roof level with electrification in process. See photos below



TO IMPROVE COORDINATION 3rd Quarter M and E taskforce meeting, 3rd Quarter Treatment and Care Taskforce Meeting, 3rd Quarter Prevention Taskforce Meeting, ZEWU at Cutty Sark hotel, Full council meeting Nyami-Nyami rural district council, Full council meeting Municipality of Kariba, STEM exhibition Mahombekombe Secondary School, Gender workshop, meetingsx2, Gala preparatory meetingsx2, commemoration of international day for disaster reduction, Gender Meeting, Gala, District Development Committee, NAC Provincial Heads Meeting, DAAC stakeholder Meeting, DAAC Taskforce meetings, BC annual review, 16 Days of Activism- Gender Committee Celebrations and Board Meeting

See photos below of the 16 Days of Activism march by stakeholders



STAFF DEVELOPMENT

Staff Meetings, Food mitigation meeting, Women empowerment exhibition, SAT M& E Training, Business Management Training for staff and board members, SAT Monitoring Visit, Egmont Trust donor conference, ZNNP+ Coordination Meeting, UNFPA- GBV Disaster management and response, NASA Meeting, Staff appraisals, Board meeting

Business Management Training for staff and board members



7. PLANNED ACTIVITIES

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Procurement and distribution of IEC materials, Business management training, Outreaches for hard to reach areas, M & E training

Compiled By

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