



U.S. ADVISORY BOARD REPORT

09/09/09: THE DEDICATION OF J.O.CHIFUNDO SCHOOL



Deetz Shepherd presents Dedication Plaque to Mr. Mwale.

Deetz Shepherd - Zambia Partnership Director - Globe Outreach

Upon my 10th anniversary of travel to Kalingalinga, I thank God for the privilege to celebrate in person with the student body, parents, alumni, teachers, and the greater Kalingalinga community the dedication day of Phase 1 of the J. O. Chifundo School permanent building. JOC supporters, I can assure you an incredible return on your personal investment as I witnessed humble youth who were grateful for the privilege of education. The students demonstrated strong skills in English, technology, math, science, and Bible. The resourceful teachers obviously empower students to achieve their dreams. As I spoke with graduates of the school who are now furthering their education in college, working as professionals, leading church worship and evolving as leaders in the community, I was filled with joy.

When I was informed that one of the original graduates of JOC pledged to fund four full JOC student scholarships, I realized that JOC is only a few years away from self-sustainability. Please join with us to attain that goal.

Follow this link to see the ribbon cutting on Zambian TV.

<http://vimeo.com/7004323>

Yelesani MwaleA.,
J.O. Chifundo Headmaster

Brethren and Sisters, I greet you in the name of Jesus Christ our Savior. It is with deep pleasure that I can express my gratitude over the developments at J.O. Chifundo Secondary School. I have worked as Head Teacher of this school for 10 years and I have shared a lot of experiences with the school.

As I am writing to you, I am glad to report that we have three complete classes and an office. Let me state here that it is a great relief to be out of the rented buildings. It is something which will also gives the parents confidence especially those that thought we are just pretenders. The pupils here are very, very, thankful for the help you have rendered. With this development, it means now the school;

- Can expand its enrollment, hence improve its financial base
- Can now apply to the Ministry of Education to become an Examination Centre.
- Parents will have confidence because they now know that we are not Nomads

As J.O. Chifundo School, we shall endeavor to continue providing education to the local community and from outlying areas. We expect to market the school so as to create awareness about the school's presence at the new premises. We also intend to expand the curriculum and staff so as to meet the aspirations of offering quality education. Surely Chifundo J.O. Secondary School will go a long way in assisting the less privileged in the community to attain a secondary education.



Frank Pupe celebrates the official opening of J.O. Chifundo

Our next goal is to obtain official certification for the school!

Please consider partnering with us on the remaining projects needed for Ministry of Education Certification:

**Two big portable chemistry labs for students - \$1600
One small lab for teacher- \$800**

Secure room for exam papers- \$1120

Water tank - \$600

Teacher Manuals-\$400

Junior/senior test study manuals \$315

**We are also believing for a second phase for J.O.C. Here's what's in store: PHASE II - Two classrooms, library, teacher planning room and a chemistry/computer lab
Total Cost: \$50,000**



Seniors at dedication wear robes donated by Grapevine, Texas High School.



New students testing for placement in J.O. Chifundo.

Frank Pupe, Building Superintendent

To all the partners of J.O. Chifundo Secondary School building project, let me say well done faithful servants of the most high God. The school is now permanent to serve the community in shaping the future of Zambia. Thank you for showing God's love to us. The joy of the Lord is on the face of everyone who has visited the school. Your support to build the school will not only educate the students but will also bring them closer to Jesus Christ. You are all doing the great commission (Matthew 28). Thank you and may God continue blessing your families as you continue to save Him faithfully.

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Edina Mkinga.

I am a grade 12 student of J.O. Chifundo School. On behalf of my fellow students we would like to thank you all for the support you have given to us. The help you have rendered will go a long way in uplifting the standard of education in our community. The place is so nice and it is very ideal for learning and studying. May God reward you for what you have done in our lives.



School spirit - students proudly wear the J.O. Chifundo name.



Inside the classroom - refurbished desks

J.O. Chifundo U.S. Advisory Board: David Fedele, Roxanne Holt, Brian Kenyon, Andrew Muchini, Ben Nyendwa, Jenny Oswald, Deetz and Sandy Shepherd, Fred Siamundele, Bill Westphal, and Connie Weddel.

Zambia Building Committee: Mrs. Margarate Muchini, Mr. Mushulilwa, Mr. Yelesani A. Mwale (Principal), Frank Pupe (Construction Foreman), Geoffrey Sizala, and Matthew Tchuba

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