REPORT ON THE COMPLETION OF GOWRIE D/A JHS ICT PROJECT KATHE KOLLWITZ SCHULE DONATION – 2022

Introduction

We embarked on a project to give students in the District access to Computing and information Technology Knowledge and skills. To get this achieved, we requested for support to establish ICT Centres for communities of schools to utilize. We first worked on the Centre for Bongo D/A Junior High School, then St Anne's Girls Junior High School and now the Gowrie D/A Junior High School. We received an amount of 7,550 Euros equivalent to GH¢59,071.00 in 2022 for completion works of the project at Gowrie D/A Junior High School.

Project Execution

As soon as we received the money for the project at Gowrie JHS, an emergency situation came up in one of the Church schools that need immediate attention. A rain storm ripped off the roof of two classrooms of the Beo R/C Primary 'B'. After discussions, we decided that an amount of GH/23,500.00 from the donation could be used to repair the roof to prevent further damage to the rest of the building and also to provide safety and comfort for the pupils and teachers of the school. As such, GH/23,500 (GH/23,223.00 and transportation/other costs GH/227.00) was used to purchase wood, nails and other materials, together with some used but good roofing sheets from the Parish Hall, to repair the ripped off roof.









The remaining work on the structure were; Ceiling works, Window Glassing, painting works, electrical fittings, Masonry works, purchase of computers and projector, making of table and chairs for the computers and others miscellaneous works.

We invited the artisans to complete the remaining works to pave way for the furnishing of the room. As such the following works were carried out;

- 1. Carpenters worked on the ceiling of the ICT Centre, fixing of Louvre frames, glasses and mosquito nets.
- 2. The Masons had to work on the wall plastering and the repairs parts of the structure that had defects, provision of a concrete apron around the structure.
- 3. The Painters had to paint the ceiling and walls of the structure to make it look complete and nice.
- 4. The electricians installed the cables, fans, switches, sockets and dropping of power to the structure. (Both The staff Common room and the computer Centre)
- 5. The welder was contracted to make 13 long tables and Benches to sit computers and students in the room. Each table was to carry two desktop computers and 4 students on the benches. The tables and benches were to have metal frames and wooden tops for seating. Also, he was to add a metal framed table and chair for the use of the ICT Teacher in the Centre.
- 6. An IT vendor was contracted to supply two high performing Projectors and 25 Core i3 Desktop Tower computer with 19 inches screen monitors.

The entire last phase of the project costed as below.

S/N	Description	Quantity	Unit Costs GH¢	Total Cost GH¢t
1	Support for Beo R/C Primary. 'B'	1	3,500.00	3,500.00
2	BenQ 3,300 R Projectors	2	3,100.00	6,200.00

3	Dell Core i3 Tower Desktop Computers	25	1,050.00	26,250.00
4	Long Tables and Benches	13	585.00	7,605.00
5	Teacher's Table and Chair	1	165.00	165.00
6	Plaque	1	180.00	180.00
7	Carpentry materials and Works	1	5,118.00	5,118.00
8	Electrical materials and Works	1	5,020.00	5,020.00
9	Painting materials and Works	1	2,240.00	2,240.00
10	Masonry Materials and Works	1	1,390.00	1,390.00
11	Repairs works of Gowrie Primary Urinal	1	472.00	472.00
	Total cost of final work on project	1		58,160.00
12	Balance at time of report (Bank Charges and	1		911.00
	Others)			

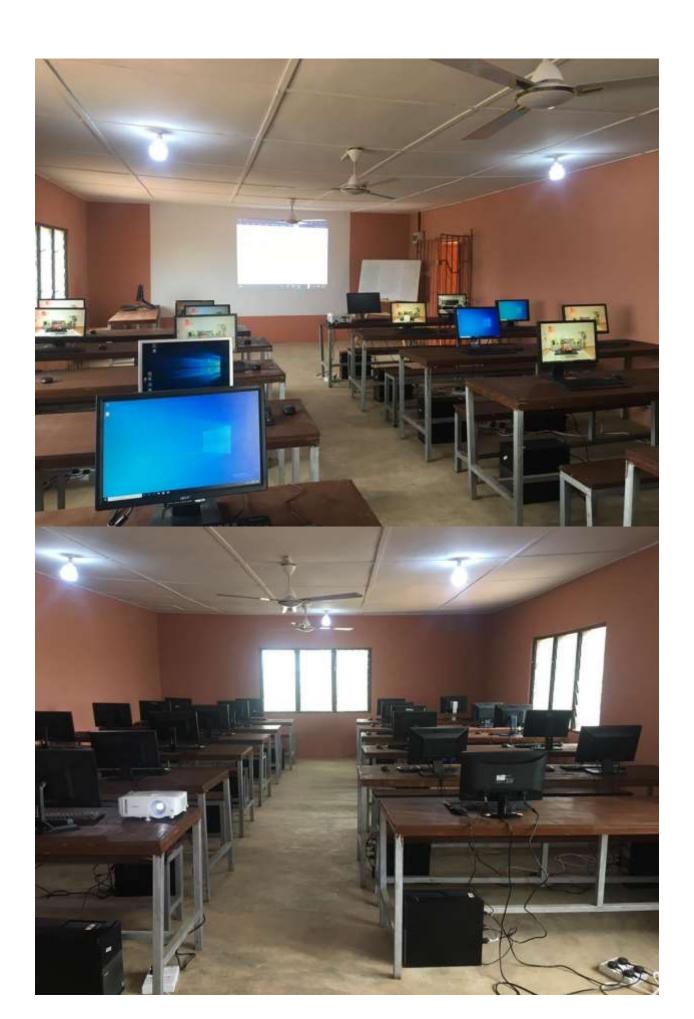
Note* Out of this amount GH # 54,553 had receipts covering expenditure and GH # 3,607 went into expenditure that receipts were not obtained.

The completion of the project coincided with the visit of family members from Greven, St Martinus Parish to the home of St. Anne's Parish, Bongo. The opportunity was used to commission and hand over the finished facility to the school and community of Gowrie. The District Director of Education was present to support in the commissioning and taking over of the facility to be fully managed by the Ghana Education Service.



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Conclusion

It is with great pleasure and appreciation we give thanks to God for the family relationship established between St Martinus Church, Greven -Germany and the St Anne's Parish, Bongo – Ghana. The opportunity to have this important intervention in education is very timely in assisting teachers and students to learn computer skills and Information and Communication Technology as a subject. Schools near Gowrie JHS would also have access to the Centre for practical lessons occasionally upon request.

God bless our dearest and kind hearted students and their parents and staff of Kathe Kolltwiz Schule, Emsdetten - Greven.

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