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Founder's Corner

Dear Donors, Sponsors and friends of BHIK-U,
Love and sincere regards to all of you. Thank you from the bottom of my heart for all you have done to support BHIK-U since the inception. God is watching and has blessed our efforts in ways I cannot explain. Progress is amazing. Below is a summary of what is on ground right now:



1. Dining/Multi purpose hall/ teachers' accommodations now is ready for painting; we will need to concentrate on getting it furnished (furniture etc).
2. Classroom block/ temporary dormitories plastering is at about 75% complete; it will soon need furnishings as well.
3. Administration block is roofed; plastering will start soon.
4. Work on the kitchen and external latrines is ongoing concurrently. These structures will also need furnishings.

I project that by the end of September all construction will be done. As we get closer to realizing our dream as each day passes by, we still need your help.

We need more funds to complete construction and stock the school. We need more sponsors for students (we need sponsors for 125 students; donating \$50 per month will achieve this). We will give special recognition to those who sponsor dorm rooms (\$640) & classrooms (\$3000). Please prayerfully consider changing the life of a needy student by choosing an area above where you can support us.

There's a lot of excitement from the neighbors about the upcoming beautiful school. Our target is to open the school in February 2019. Please keep this project in your prayers.

Thanks again for your support. I send you choice blessings.

Fr. Julius

Rev. Julius Turyatoranwa (PhD) Founder of BHIK-U

Calendar Notes

AUGUST 1 – AUGUST 31, 2018

Month-long promotion for BHIK-U at Running Central in Peoria – **see pg. 2** for information and the barcode that must be shown at time of sale!!

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2018

7:30 am Monthly meeting of BHIK-U Board of Directors- Rectory basement meeting room

AUGUST 17 – SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

45 days! Schwan's Cares campaign: BHIK-U will earn 20% on food orders, 40% on gift cards!
<https://www.schwans-cares.com/c/41053>

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2018

7:30 am Monthly meeting of BHIK-U Board of Directors- Rectory basement meeting room

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2018

5:30 pm BHIK-U Advisory Council mtg. at Knights of Columbus Hall in Washington

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2018

11am-11pm Granite City Restaurant fundraiser: 20% of sales to BHIK-U w/ special flyer - - Find it in this newsletter and future bulletins.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2018

1:00 pm Shotgun start of 1st Annual Golf Outing at Quail Meadows – **see pg. 2** for information

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+ You =



Running Central is partnering with Building Hope in Kids – Uganda to help prepare St. Patrick Boarding Primary School - Uganda to open in **February, 2019 !**

During the month of **August**, bring this barcode with you when you shop for shoes, spikes, apparel, accessories – anything & everything in Running Central's Downtown Peoria store.

They'll donate **5%** of all barcoded August sales to **BHIK-U**.

So, shop, show this **Barcode**, and spread the word!



1st ANNUAL GOLF OUTING TO BENEFIT BUILDING HOPE IN KIDS – UGANDA

SATURDAY, SEPT. 29

4 PLAYER SCRAMBLE
QUAIL MEADOWS GOLF COURSE
1:00 PM SHOTGUN START

\$75/PLAYER ENTRY FEE

Includes Greens fee, cart, & dinner at St. Monica Hall, 303 Campanile Dr., East Peoria
Serving at 6:00pm (catered by Avanti's)

Deadline to register: Sept. 15th



Make check payable to:
Adolph Arnold, 111 Regent Ct., East Peoria, 61611

TO SPONSOR A HOLE or FOR DETAILS
CALL ADOLPH at 309-264-7221

WANTED: SPONSORS for STUDENTS!

Father Julius plans to begin recruiting students in October; he'll need to know how many students needing sponsorships that he can accept.

SPONSORS

- Commit to \$50/month or \$600/year, beginning January 2019
- Are encouraged to send letters & photos
- Can sign up to go on a "mission trip" to see the school & meet their sponsored Student
- Are encouraged to donate in 2018 to help build & equip the school for the students!
- Can follow progress on the school project: newsletters, website, Facebook

SPONSORED STUDENTS

- Will write a letter to the sponsor (or have it written for them if too young) twice a year
- Will keep sponsors in their prayers
- Will do their best at their studies
- Will be able to meet with sponsors if they come to Uganda on a mission trip

PLEASE CONSIDER JOINING OUR LIST OF SPONSORS!

Go to www.buildinghopeinkids.org; click on "SUPPORT"; scroll down to "Sponsor a Student" and click on the "SPONSORSHIP" button. Please fill in all information, including your address.

WHAT ABOUT A MISSION TRIP TO UGANDA??

- Tentative dates: July 22 – August 3, 2019
- Limited to 14-16 people
- Approximately 10 days in Uganda, 3 days travel to & from Uganda
- Anticipated cost: \$3500 per person, including airfare (from Chicago), room & board, and vaccinations *NOTE: Price is an estimate based on current airfare, etc. More accurate pricing and more detailed information will be sent closer to the departure date.*
- Might include:
 - "hands-on" work at the school site
 - the chance to meet teachers, staff, and students
 - celebration of Father's 21st anniversary of ordination
 - "official" school dedication ceremony
 - scenic tour of Queen Elizabeth National Park, Lake Bunyonyi, and more



If interested, contact John Grillot: grilljw@buildinghopeinkids.org (309) 696-4846
or email us at: info@buildinghopeinkids.org

FROM THE DESK OF BHIK-U BOARD PRESIDENT, JOHN GRILLOT

Phase 1 of our school construction is nearing completion. Fr. Julius has been extremely effective in achieving so much with the funds that were raised over the last couple of years. Our February 2019 opening is very much on target.

We are still in much need of additional funds as we continue toward Phase 2 of the plan that includes dedicated dormitories for the students (initially they will sleep in upper level of the classroom building). In addition to cash donations, several donation opportunities for you to consider include matching gifts from employers (such as



State Farm & John Deere), donations of appreciated stocks/bonds (significant tax advantages for the donor), and donation of RMD (Required Minimum Distributions) from retirement accounts.

My wife, Kay, and I will be traveling to Uganda next month to visit the school site and meet with Fr. Julius. We are excited about the trip and seeing the school first hand. I look forward to reporting back about the trip. Please contact me if you have a card or note to deliver.

John Grillot, Board President



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May the
God of
hope
fill you
with
all joy
and
peace...

Rom 15:13



July 11: The Classroom Block (*upper rt.*) sports its new red roof. In front of the 2-level stone retaining wall is the portico being added to the front of the Administration Building.



August 2: The Administration Building, which had rafters on July 11, now has its own new red roof. The dining hall is seen behind and to the right. View is from the Classroom Block.

THIS NEWS IS HOT!



AUGUST 17 begins a BHIK-U campaign with SCHWAN'S, called SCHWAN'S CARES!

When anyone orders from our campaign page, BHIK-U earns cash back:

- For the first 45 days:**
- 20% on purchases of delicious foods (choose from **300!**)
 - 40% on eGift Cards (limit 1 per customer per campaign)
 - And 5% on food orders for the **next 90 days**



Order by phone, using campaign ID# 41053

Or order from our campaign page: <https://schwans-cares.com/c/41053>

*Do you have friends and family who already order from **Schwan's**? Ask them to please sign onto our campaign page when they place their order!*

Thank you all!

And while we're on the subject of food...

TREAT YOURSELF and HELP BHIK-U!!

TUESDAY, SEPT. 25

GRANITE CITY in E.P.

is hosting "Building Hope in Kids" Day.

From 11AM to 11PM, 20% of your bill will be donated to Building Hope in Kids – Uganda by the **Granite City** restaurant.

Come for lunch, dinner, **anytime on 9/25!! Granite City will donate 20% of your entire bill, drinks included.**

If you don't have time to eat at the restaurant, order **carry out** – BHIK-U will still get 20%!

You must present this flyer to your server.

Print it or save it on your mobile device; share it with all your friends & family!

Be sure to thank Granite City for their support!



It's Building Hope In Kids Day at Granite City!

Tuesday, September 25th

Granite City East Peoria
230 Conference Center Drive
(309)699-8080

Present this flyer to your server and **20%** of your TOTAL tab will be donated to



www.gctb.com

Can't make it? To-Go orders are included too!