



## THE MARY WOOD TRUST NEWSLETTER

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Christmas is traditionally known as the season for giving and for celebrating the birth of Jesus.

As the Mary Wood Trust we would like to thank all of you for your generous and kind giving over the past months and years.

During Clare and Pippa's recent visit to Uganda there were many opportunities for celebrating and giving thanks. (as you will see from the photos below).

Without you none of this would have been possible.

Thank you and God bless you all at this festive season and may we wish you a peaceful and joyous New Year.

### NYAKABUNGO GIRLS' SECONDARY SCHOOL



#### Staff Accommodation

Over the past few years we have been aware that the male teachers at NGSS felt rather hard done by- living in over-crowded rooms and collapsing buildings. Particularly when the female staff accommodation (Mary Hall) was built in 2015. This has all now changed. After a number of years of accumulating funds and 6 months of construction work, the commissioning of one newly renovated block and one new block took place on October 25. The new staff quarters are called 'Derek House 1' and 'Derek House 2', reflecting the wonderful support that Mary Wood received over the years from her husband, Derek, as she strived to support both NGSS and RMNS.



#### Upgrading the Head-Teacher's house



### **The Cliff Smith Sewing Room**

This was given to the school by Kath Smith, one of our original trustees, in memory of her husband Cliff, who died in 2014. It is proving very popular, providing the girls with a marketable skill when they leave school.



### **Our Mary Wood Trust sponsored girls**

Seen here, after receiving small gifts, which were also given to the whole school.  
Pads, workbook and pen.

### **RUTH MEMORIAL NURSERY SCHOOL**



Children enjoying wonderful new play equipment and Clare turning on the newly installed water tap.

### **NYAKATARE HEALTH CENTRE**



Peter the dentist receiving a gift of toothbrushes, and Gerald the lab technician trying out the new microscope, a gift from Medical Missionary News.

From Trustees:

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