## **TANARI TRUST**

**EMPOWERING YOUTH FOR LIFE** 



**Quarterly Newsletter from Tanari Trust** 



As we start a new decade in this 21st Century, we at Tanari Trust wish you all a Happy New Year 2020!

This new beginning has a lot in store for us in line with our vision of "Empowered Youth Multipliers Transforming Their Societies" sets our destination in this new decade. Tanari will be re-evaluating and creating programs to equip and train young people in our borders and beyond.

Moreover, our properties of Camp Malta- Makuyu and Camp Tepesi- Oltepesi have or are creating environments to empower youth. They are also places of community and transformation for the entire community locally and globally, visit us today.

Our call this year is to Partner or Ungana with us through training in our creative programs and working together with likeminded organizations/institutions to do the Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20) to the largest population demographic in our continent, which is young people/youth. As Proverbs 22:6 KJV says "Train up a child in the way he should go; and when he is old, he will not depart".

God Bless You All

Timothy Matheka **Executive Officer** 









### **ROPES CAMPS**

The ROPES program has been running for 21 years and has notably grown. It is now being adapted by different denominations as well as schools. We appreciate the 70 churches and institutions that take on the mandate of impacting the youth through our ROPES program. The institutions that called on us to get involved in their camps are: Mawewa School, Karem Centre, KICOSHEP, Blessed Children's Center, Penuel, Loiswell Academy, Ridgeways Baptist, Membley Baptist, ICC Imara, ICC West, Good Shepherd Church, AIC Wilson, Lifespring Syokimau, Lavington United Church, ACK St Francis Karen, Bul primary, Compassion Kitui Cluster and Grace Foundation Ministries Kakamega.







### **CPR and Life Skills Combo**

The newest introduction to our programs was the lifeskills sessions that touch on real issues such as drugs and substance abuse, mental health, cyber bullying, identity and critical thinking among other relevant topics that are useful to the young men and women in our society in this day and age.

Among the institutions that benefited from these sessions are: PAG Narok compassion center, KE 591 KAG Rwamburi compassion centre, KE 326 PEFA Arroi, ACK Kajiado diocese, PCEA Gateway, KAG Oloroita, EAPCA Nthigirani and Consolata school.

### **Equipped to Empower**

As part of our mandate here at Tanari Trust, we offer training for our different programs to equip youth workers and ministers to empower the youth.

We facilitated ROPES training for Malindi and Busia Teso Compassion Clusters at Camp Malta and CPR training for ICC and CPR/PYD training for Kitui and Mwingi Clusters.

Through these trainings we got to see mindsets transformed not only concerning transitions and sexuality but also on engaging with young men and women.



### **ROPES Celebrations**

Our annual ROPES Celebrations took place at All Saints Cathedral on the 4th of January 2020. The celebrations are held to celebrate the ROPERs for taking on the bold challenge and charge them to live as they have been taught. This year's celebrations were more focused on the ROPERs making them more engaged in the celebrations.

We congratulate the ROPERs who graduated during the ROPES graduation season 11 as we say #KeepThrivingStayEmpowered. We also appreciate the churches, institutions and parents for choosing to celebrate with the young men and women as they take the next step. Special appreciation goes to All Saints Cathedral Church for hosting us, AIC Milimani for availing a ROPER to give her experience, PCEA Riruta Parish for availing ROPERs to assist, worship team and event master of ceremony (Mc.Robert). We also extend our appreciation to ICEA Lion, Dawamu School and Brookhurst School for sponsoring the event.

Take a sneak peek into what happened during the celebrations.











### January 2020, Vol. 1 **Team Building**

"The strength of the team is each individual member.

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This quote is well understood by Chosen Children of Promise and Unilever as they called on Tanari Trust to facilitate their team building sessions.

Chosen Children of Promise requested Tanari Trust to assist as they headed to Hells Gate, Naivasha for Rock Climbing.

Unilever had their sports day at Impala club where Tanari staff and facilitators assisted team in the activities.

In that regard to the mentioned events, see some of the highlighs.









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AS WE START THE YEAR 2020, WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK YOU ALL FOR A SPLENDID 2019.

### WE LOOK FORWARD TO AN AMAZING 2020!

We are happy to announce that Tanari Trust has a new chair of the Board of Trustees. We welcome Eng. Erastus Mwongera as the new chair

to the Board of Trustees. We also have new members of the board and we would like to welcome Mr. Timothy K' Owino of Nairobi Chapel church as he joins. We appreciate the input of the outgoing chairman of the Board Mr Nicholas Simani and Pst Shegz Wanjiru Gichehe for their input while they served in the Board of Trustees.

Looking forward to working with Eng. Mwongera, Mr. K' Owino and other members of the Board during their tenure.







# UPCOMING EVENTS !! Facilitation Skills Training 14th Feb 2020



### ROPES Coordinators Hangout 19th Feb 2020



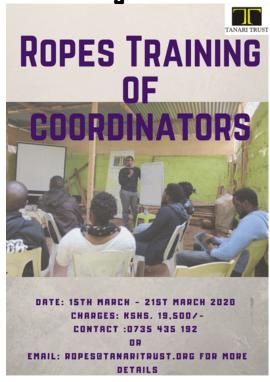
### **Volunteers Drive 22nd FEB 2020**



### CPR Training 4th -6th March 2020



### ROPES Training 15th -21st March 2020



### ROPES Special Camp 20th- 25th April



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