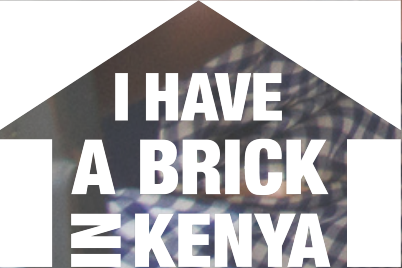


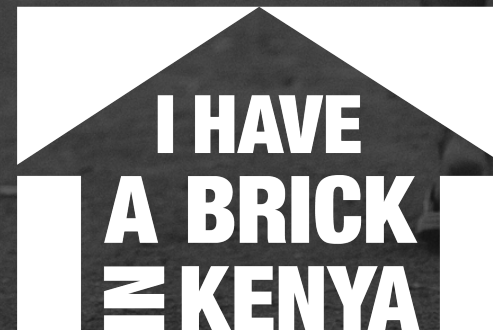


I HAVE A BRICK IN KENYA



INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND

- Sargy Education Centre is a Christian school for children up to the age of 14 in a rural / semi-arid area of Kenya, in Rusinga Island on Lake Victoria. It offers quality education to more than 250 orphaned and disadvantaged children.
- Blythswood Romania, a subsidiary organisation of Blythswood Care, has been partnering with Sargy since 2010. We have offered financial assistance with building a new school and volunteer centre as well as ongoing financial help for running the school.





BLYTHSWOOD CARE

Blythswood Care is a Christian charity, registered in the UK, with a mission to transform lives through the impact of **education**, **community** action and **gospel** activities.

Since 1966, Blythswood Care has combined the Christian message with practical help for those in need. Whether through filled shoeboxes at Christmas, relief and development aid or social projects for young and old, Blythswood brings hope to thousands in Europe, Africa and Asia.

Blythswood is also committed to long-term care projects in Romania, enabling disadvantaged children and young people fulfil their potential.

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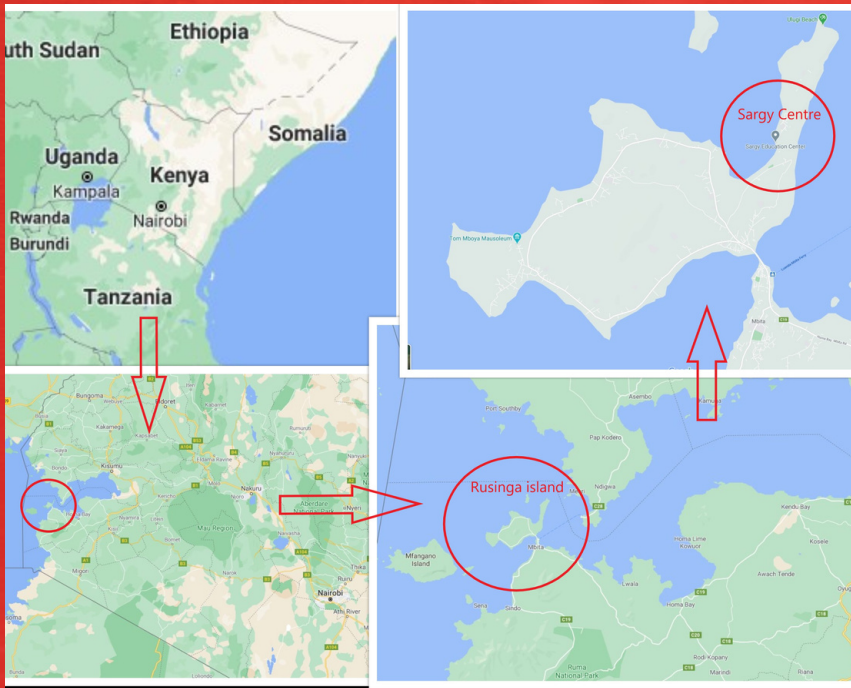
BLYTHSWOOD CARE

- 10 Flagship Projects in 5 countries – India, Romania, Serbia and UK
- 15 Partner Projects in 10 countries – Bulgaria, Burundi, India, Kenya, Moldova, Pakistan, Romania, Zimbabwe and UK
- 10 pastors and mission workers in Eastern Europe and 6 pastors in Asia
- 14 summer camps in 5 countries – Bulgaria, Moldova, Pakistan, Romania and Serbia



RUSINGA ISLAND

- a beautiful small island in Western Kenya, on Lake Victoria
- population: 30,000
- main economic activity: fishing and agriculture
- large percentage of total population is infected with HIV and affected by other diseases like malaria, typhoid fever and yellow fever



PROJECTS



SCHOOL



SUPPORT FOR
WIDOWS



VOLUNTEERING



BURSAIRES



CONSTRUCTION



SCHOOL

- more than 250 children
- 15 teachers
- 1 dedicated leader



SCHOOL



Construction of the new school began in 2011, 5 classrooms have been completed so far and 3 new classrooms are currently being built.







SOME OF THE CHILDREN STILL STUDY IN TEMPORARY SHEET METAL CLASSROOMS









2021 JANUARY - NEW CLASSROOMS CONSTRUCTION



SUPPORT THE SCHOOLING OF A CHILD



Only €15 a month covers a child's schooling, meals, clothing, school supplies (books, exercise books) and teachers' salaries







SUPPORT FOR WIDOWS



We support widowed and HIV-infected women and their families with animals, which greatly increases their chances of survival.

30 goats and 30 cows have been distributed in the last 5 years.

We will be buying and handing over another 12 cows in the near future.









FOOTBALL



Sargy Stars is the first elementary school football team on the island. Lots of young people can be reached through football.





BURSARIES



We are also supporting more than 10 former Sargy students to complete their high school and university education.



CHIANDA HIGH SCHOOL

For Knowledge & For Wisdom



VISION

The school of excellence in teaching and development of responsible citizens

MISSION

To teach, develop character and produce students who are able to enhance their education and contribute to the good of humanity.

CORE VALUES

- Team Work
- Integrity
- Responsibility
- Discipline
- Honesty

SCHOOL AIMS

To foster a partnership among students, parents, staff and the entire community which will lead to shared responsibilities.

To provide education that will help our students to nurture their talents and achieve their fullest potential.

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VOLUNTEERING AND VISION TRIPS

Since 2010, more than 50 volunteers from Transylvania and Hungary have traveled to Kenya, visited the island of Rusinga and became friends with the locals, getting to know the local culture.



MOUNT KENYA 2015



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SCHOOL



AWARENESS RAISING



CROSS
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KILIMANJARO 2016



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VOLUNTEER HOUSE







STORM DAMAGE - 2020 MARCH



PLANS - 2021

- We managed to partially cover the costs of building 2 classrooms and 1 teacher's room on our own.
- Construction is underway. The amount raised (€ 17,300) is enough to finish the structure and roof and complete the plastering. We still need €5,650 to fully finish and furnish the building.
- In addition, we received a grant from Hungary Helps Agency for an other classroom.
- Still there is an urgent need for an additional 3 classrooms to replace the temporary metal sheet buildings damaged in 2020.
- The updated budget for the construction of a new classroom is €9,035.
- The total cost of building the required 3 new classrooms is €27,105.

FURTHER PLANS

Following the implementation of the above, further developments in a new phase will be required, such as a library room, kitchen and dining room, the introduction of electricity, some small service flats for commuting teachers and a computer room.

