



This Journal

We thank you for your continuing interest and support. We hope you enjoy the updates about the home, the boys, the staff, the challenges, and the hope.

Report from Nairobi, Kenya

There are many developments at the home in Nairobi:



- The boys are well and enjoying **classes at home** and cooperating with their teachers. Life4Kids hired two tutors to teach the boys daily in the mornings. The teachers love the boys and the boys are happy to continue their education and to be busy.

- Life4Kids will be **relocating to a new home (again)**. More space is needed since up to 10 more little boys will be brought into the home in the coming months. The current home does not meet code regulations. With the current pandemic, accommodation is needed for a private quarantine room in case of an outbreak of COVID-19.

- **Art class** is held every day after lunch. The boys love it.
- The **older boys** (18 and over) now live separate from the little ones in an offsite apartment. The older boys are finishing high school. Each of them has prepared a plan for completing his education.



Meet the Team

We want you to meet the members of the Life4Kids team.



This month, we are highlighting the **Chair of Life4Kids Norway, Inger Bremvik**. Inger is also a member of the Board of Life4Kids Kenya and of the Advisory Board. She was one of the founders of Life4Kids Norway and has visited the Life4Kids home in

Nairobi once or twice a year since 2013. She has a background in education and was a foster parent to teenagers. She has a deep love and passion for the home and serves as an advisor to our ED Jane Wasike.

Annual Meeting

We're planning to hold an Annual Meeting **on Monday October 26 at 7 PM** on a Zoom platform. To attend, you must hold a current membership. To become a member:

- Go to life4kidscanada.ca and click on "DONATE" and donate \$10 for your membership
- Immediately email members@life4kidscanada.ca and provide your name, address, phone and email.
- We'll then send you a Zoom login that will allow you to access the meeting.

Please: only buy a membership if you will attend the Annual Meeting (due to quorum requirements).

Life4Kids Canada is required to engage the services of a public accountant. **Notice is hereby given** that, at the Annual Meeting, a resolution will be presented that only a review engagement (not an audit) be required.

The Challenge for Us All

Yes, we do face a challenge!! **Bringing in another 10 boys** over the next many months will dramatically **impact the budget of the home**. And the Children's Charities branch of the Kenyan Government is requiring us to move to a much larger home. **The good news is ... we have found the larger home!**



The bad news is that **our accommodation costs will double**. While that is rewarding, it is also challenging. Ten more little boys will come off the streets into a larger home filled with love and support. Instead of sleeping in an alley or dump, they will sleep in a warm bed. They will get an education, health care, clean clothes, nutritious meals, and counselling. While we may feel oppressed by the coronavirus, we do have a roof over our heads, and we do eat regular meals. **Life4Kids Canada must dramatically increase our contributions**. Would you consider committing to make a **monthly payment** to help us to meet the challenge to sustain and grow Life4Kids? It's a great Thanksgiving thought! You can donate on our website life4kidscanada.ca Please also forward this Journal to friends, family, churches, clubs, or businesses who may be able to help us meet the challenge.