

A Miracle for Life4Kids

For several months, Life4Kids has been reeling from one setback after another.

The Children's Charities Ministry in Kenya informed Life4Kids that the licence for the children's home would not be renewed in May 2024 (when it come due) unless Life4Kids owned its own home by then.

The existing rented home became less safe and secure. Political protests, vandals, demonstrations, bar patrons, and interlopers threatened the safety of the boys and staff.

Then, in August, a notice was received advising that the current rental home did not have proper zoning or building approvals and was to be demolished. Then a second notice was received advising that property taxes had not been paid by the Landlord.

So, in our October edition of this Journal, we advised that Life4Kids had to move and had to buy a new home.

Life4Kids Norway advised that they were not able to contribute to the purchase cost of a new home. So, if Life4Kids was to get a new home, the entire burden fell on Life4Kids Canada.

But how was Life4Kids to raise the nearly \$250,000 that would be required to purchase the home, pay legal fees, pay purchase taxes, do necessary renovations, and purchase necessary furnishings?

It was a low point for the organization.

The Directors of Life4Kids Canada agreed that, if the balance of the funds could be raised, the Directors would individually and personally contribute funds. Those donations raised nearly half of the target.

In November, we began approaching some of our loyal supporters. And the response was overwhelming.

We are thrilled/shocked/overwhelmed/grateful that all the necessary funds have been committed and that, thanks to the amazing generosity of our Life4Kids Canada supporters, we have the funds to buy the new home.

The New Home

In the October edition of this Journal, we provide information about the new home that Life4Kids hoped to buy. On the first floor, it has two large bedrooms, a

kitchen, dining area, lounge, two bathrooms and two verandas. On the second floor, it has three bedrooms, a lounge, two balconies and three bathrooms. On the third floor, it has two bedrooms, a lounge, a study, two bathrooms and two balconies. It is in a new development in a township outside Nairobi in a rural setting.

Closing Arrangements

The purchase agreement is being presented now. Searches have been completed. The closing will hopefully occur in mid-December. We are optimistic that we'll be able to provide pictures of the boys moving into the new home in our next edition of the Journal.



A Message to our Sponsors

Our hearts are overwhelmed with your faithful support. This month, we celebrate and express our gratitude to all our sponsors, partners and friends. Your consistent support has played a pivotal role in transforming the lives of our boys, and we are excited to witness them achieve their dreams. Thank you for being instrumental in saving and changing lives in Africa. Thank you for providing a safe place for our young boys to call home. Thank you for giving the great gift of love!!

Kind Regards - Jane