

A message from Deana

In 2012 I retired from work as a health visitor and visited the Monze District as a volunteer. I met members of Zambia Women and Girls Foundation, a Monze based Non Government Organisation. Together we formed a partnership to help schools in deprived communities.

I founded Friends of Monze charity which is supported by Bridgend Quakers and the generosity of people in Wales and beyond.

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Deana testing water pump at Nalutannda school



Current fundraising:

- "Happy Readers" reading scheme
- Sustainable agriculture training
- Garden fences to prevent damage from wandering animals
- Fruit and other tree planting for food and to prevent soil erosion
- Solar panels and batteries to power school laptops and lights
- Solar power to operate water pumps

How you can help?

Invite Deana to present to your organisation or sell Zambian crafts

Donate Online: www.friendsofmonze.org

Donate By cheque using our charity address

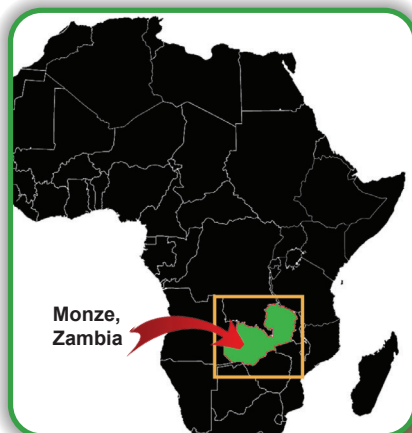
FRIENDS OF MONZE



Helping 16,500 children
In Zambia so far...

Friends of Monze is a volunteer led, charity based in Bridgend, South Wales helping people in Zambia.

Everything we do is in partnership with Zambia Women and Girls Foundation, a grassroots Non Government Organisation based in Monze.

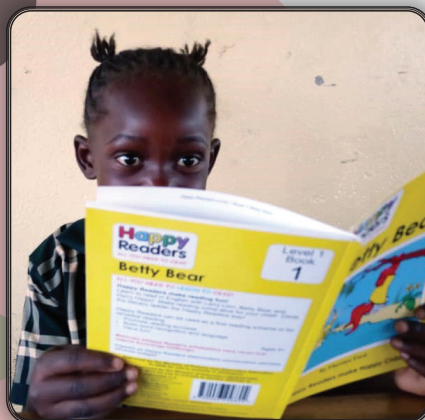


Friends of Monze aims:

- To educate children by building and equipping schools
- To improve childrens health
- To combat climate change by empowering communities to grow food in a sustainable way
- To raise awareness of human rights



Trainee Builder



Our Impact

Improving Education:

- 14 schools built improving the learning environment for 8,000 children
- Raising educational standards by resourcing schools with books, desks, solar powered laptops
- Raising literacy standards using a culturally appropriate reading scheme
- Providing training and employment via building apprenticeships

Preventing Disease:

- Facilitating good health at 28 schools by providing clean water for drinking, washing and gardening
- Promoting women's health by teaching menstrual hygiene and cervical cancer awareness



Improving Human Rights:

- Human rights and women's rights training in schools and communities to keep girls in school

Combating Climate Change:

- Planting trees to prevent soil erosion and improve drainage
- Preventing food insecurity by providing schools with gardens to feed hungry children
- Empowering local communities to use traditional organic fertiliser and seeds to grow trees and food

