

Short travel report 28 January to 7 February 2019

In principle, Pieter would only go because of his work for the morgues in Kampala and Masaka, but because we have many new sponsor children, we decided that I would go along to visit about 25 children. After that we will celebrate a few days holiday together in Entebbe.

After a successful flight and work in Kampala and Masaka, we left for Lwengo with Anthony on Friday morning, February 1.

On the way to Lwengo we passed the Health Centre under construction. They have already made a lot of progress with this and of course we have taken the time to look at this from all sides, to film and to photograph it.

For us it is a new challenge to raise money for the design of the Health Centre.



In Kampala we had picked up the school jerseys that were ready and we first handed them out at school after arrival. A great success! The sweaters have also become very beautiful with the Lwerudeso logo on the chest and Lwengo Kids Foundation on the sleeve. They are sweaters to be proud of!

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Then we visited a number of children at home. It was very hot and to get to Ian we had to walk quite a distance on narrow paths in the scorching sun, so that we arrived at his mother's house completely sweating and with sweat in our eyes.



The best part was that Ian got his new sweater and despite the heat, had absolutely no intention of taking it off!

Behind Anthony's house, the pig pens are realized. They are almost finished and Anthony is already looking for the good pigs to breed with.



The excrement of the animals runs next to the building through a gutter to a large pit behind the building. The ammonia will evaporate from it and this creates manure, which can then be used for the vegetable garden where vegetables will be grown for the school.



Also we bring a visit to St. Joseph Mary's Secondary School in Mbirizi. De school where our two sponsor children Mike and Jamadah will go from February. The school is situated on a well-maintained, park-like site .

We meet the director and when we meet in April for the children's trip in Uganda, may we Quietly visit the two boys on their new School I. Very nice to also with him knowledge we have made. He also has good contact with Anthony.



At the beginning of Saturday evening we return to Masaka after two days of hard work. We use Sunday to get all the information back in the right files and we still have a few appointments regarding Pieter's work in Uganda.

Monday we drive back to Entebbe, to enjoy the beautiful weather and Lake Victoria for a few days.

Unfortunately, we have to cancel our trip earlier than planned. On Tuesday afternoon our eldest daughter calls that Pieter's father is not doing so well and less than fifteen minutes later she calls to say that grandpa has died. We are going to try to rebook like a spear and fortunately both the hotel and KLM are working great and we are on the plane the same evening on the way home.

It is also for this reason that my reporting fell on your digital mat a little later than usual.

At the end of April we will go to Uganda again to visit all the children at school and a number of new sponsor children at home. You can give the usual card or letter, but more about that later.

So much for our report.

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