

Dear Friends

We had an excellent trip to Malawi in July and left with an overwhelming sense of pride in the team. We saw the fruit of their commitment; each project is working so well. Living and working with people in acute poverty is not easy and encouragement is hard to come by. We are continually working hard mentoring the team to not listen to local gossip and lies (very cultural), but to keep coming back to the Trust's values and work together as a team family (counter culture). The trip re-confirmed our calling and how unique/precious the established work is. Our heart is to be in the UK for at least five years serving the Trust, as we reorganise the UK side and expand the work in Malingunde.

September 2013



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We had a wonderful graduation, which was postponed at the students' request as Tom's health meant he couldn't travel in October. So, eight

months later, we had a great morning – singing, dancing and testimonies about the positive changes people had experienced through learning and being part of FM.

Happy Faces

The 2 sessions are at full capacity and Janet has been under huge pressure from parents on the waiting list to squeeze them in. She has done a great job in sticking to the vision. To produce high quality work and also be able to do home visits, facilitating the ideas of play transferring to the home environment.



Happy Faces

CHE (Community Health Evangelism)

Jeanet Sibande a regional trainer from SA came to do more training with the team and Chippo had a great opportunity to assist her in training another organisation in Lilongwe. This timely experience has given Chippo more knowledge and understanding, so he can now develop the DT team to a higher level in CHE.



A CHE community built bridge

UK

Our roles continue to be managing the Trust. We are currently in the process of centralising the UK side of things, writing our 5-year plan and updating the model of partnering with churches to fulfil the vision. So we hope to communicate this early next year with; a new website, new style newsletters and clear opportunities for everyone to engage with the Trust from individuals to churches.



Team Training

We are moving in October to a house we have bought to help give us roots as a family. Tom is still being monitored by the hospital here for the liver parasite, but within the last month finally feels back to full health. So, prior to this, he will be travelling to Malawi to disciple the team and also host a visiting team.

On behalf of the whole Dalitso Trust team thank you for sharing the journey with us,

Tom and Ali

Tom & Ali, Directors



Four interns