



Grandmothers Beyond Borders

2019 Medical Camp
The Overview

Hello!

In the following pages, you will see an overview of Grandmothers Beyond Borders and our partners' commitment to aiding some of East Africa's most venerable individuals – Grandmothers.

Grandmothers Beyond Borders' goal is to create self-reliant assistance for a respected, but often overlooked demographic in Uganda. Our teams consist of volunteers from local Ugandan businesses and organizations; plus an infusion of volunteers from various U.S. - based colleges, psychology practices, and nonprofit organizations. Our program helps our matriarchs thrive long-term in an ever-evolving, fast paced world.

As you read on, we think you'll discover that our approach is a little different than traditional humanitarian efforts. Not only because our aid recipients are grandmothers, but because in an attempt to thoroughly over-stand and respect the local traditions and culture, we partner with local residents and organizations to help our recipients through a shared vision for the future, and work tirelessly to make it happen.





"Do your little bit of good where you are; it's those little bits of good put together that overwhelm the world."

-Desmond Tutu

THE OVERVIEW

2019 Medical Camp

In January 2019, our organization Grandmothers Beyond Borders partnered with another humanitarian group, Hope Without Borders to embark on a day-long medical camp offering medicinal and personal care services to grandmothers and their grandchildren in Kabimbiri Village, a rural district approximately 55 km east of the Ugandan capital of Kampala.

In preparation for their maiden trip to Uganda, Hope Without Borders came from the United States with an assembly of over two dozen collegiate scholars and medical professionals ready to offer medical assistance free of charge to over 300 Grandmothers.

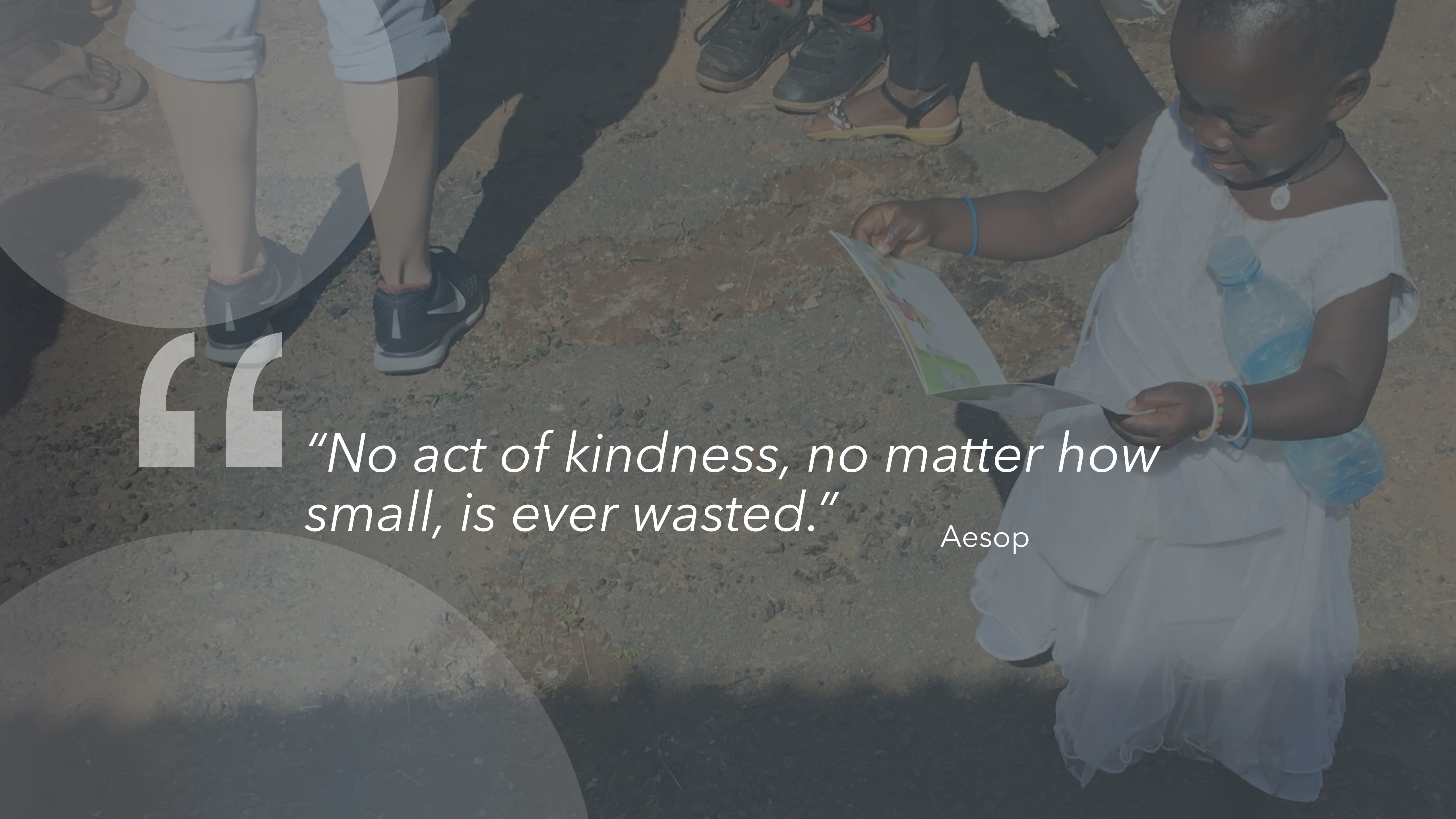
We also partnered with a variety of local organizations who offer support to these Grandmothers routinely including:

- Kangulumira Clinic - Physician Assistants, and Nurses
- Nagalalama Hospital - Medical Doctors, Nurses & Physician Assistants
- Kabimbiri Clinic Nurse
- *Kisubi University* - Lab Technicians to do on-site blood work and rapid result testing.

MEDICAL CAMP RESULTS:

- 350 Grandmothers received medical attention
- Through our partner, Hope Without Borders' program called "The Elephant Project" over 60 granddaughters were trained and received personal hygiene items including reusable sanitary napkins.
- Hope Without Borders' program "The Blue Lion" also distributed personal hygiene products to 20 grandsons.
- Our partners, Hope Without Borders distributed water purifiers to attendees which provide clean drinking water to Grandmothers and their families in rural areas
- With the aid of our partners Hope Without Borders, we were able to distribute over 300 reading books to the grandchildren of the attendees.
- Hope Without Borders also worked with local pharmacists to allocate prescriptions for the elderly attendees.





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“No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted.”

Aesop

Our Leadership

Grandmothers Beyond Borders has an in-house leadership team. Our psychology and accounting professionals with a combined mental & behavioral health sciences experience of over 20 years.

Our leadership is supported by a talented group of individuals with extensive not-for-profit experience, and a deep understanding of what it takes to build and execute a powerful yet efficient humanitarian efforts.



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Thank You.

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