



A DISTRICT 1040 PROJECT,
SUPPORTED BY THE FAMILY OF
ROTARY IN ENGLAND, SWEDEN AND
TANZANIA

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Here is a question.
Who would you trust your
International charitable
donations with?
A Rotarian
or someone at a distance?

The Family of Rotary from England, Sweden and Tanzania recently joined hands with leaders of a marginalised African community on the island of Ukerewe, for a 'holistic' programme to 'make a difference'.

If you would like to know more about our work and hear about the exciting plans for Phase 3, please contact John Philip (01484 421032 or johnphilip@btconnect.com)



ISLAND OF UKEREWE IN LAKE VICTORIA -
3.5 HOURS BY FERRY FROM MAINLAND

An international project with a proven track record,
led by Yorkshire Rotarians, accountable to Rotary members
and acclaimed by Rotary in Great Britain and Ireland.
Please support this project
and become part of our dream to change a community.

Many well meaning humanitarian projects focus on one of several needs of a recipient community.

This project in Ukerewe is a holistic approach to help a community to help themselves!

This is a project where small amounts of money go a long way to make a difference. The project team is accountable to you not to some distant organisation. Your money is handled by your fellow Rotarians who will be accountable to you.

This is Phase 3 of an International Project managed by Yorkshire Rotarians implemented mainly by volunteers from the Rotary Family. We've also had support from many schools, businesses and hospitals.

Phase 3 proposals:

- Improve general water supply and supply water to seven schools.
None of these schools now have any water (£5,000)
- Construct toilet blocks in schools (£4,000 per block)
- Improve standards of education and vocational training (£3,000)
- School health check and prevention of disease (£5,000)
- Improve sterilisation facility and antenatal care in the only hospital on the island (£1,000)
- Expand microcredit (£2,000)
- Help with an orphanage (£1,000)
- Ship vital supplies (£8,000)

Time table:

- Sept/Oct 2011 Preliminary trip to Ukerewe by 3 or 4 team members.
- March 2012 Sending out of a container with essential items
- July/August 2012 Implementation of Phase 3

We are also considering a major agricultural, poultry and farming project! If you have any knowledge about such things, please do give me a call.

"My friends from England and Sweden, I don't have sufficient words to express my sincere appreciation to all that you did. I say thank you very much for your help and it is my hope, that, the longer we are together, the better we understand and help each other."

District Commissioner of Ukerewe, Queen Mlozi 6 March 2011

This is a fantastic opportunity for 'hands on Rotary' as well as for collaboration with schools and other agencies. We need volunteers with a variety of skills. Are you interested to join us in August 2012 for some hard work to change the lives of some of the people of Ukerewe? If so call me for more details (John Philip 01484 421032)