

**ELMINA METHODIST JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL
COMPUTER LAB PROJECT
NEWSLETTER NO. 6**

William W. Sales, Jr. / Aishah Sales / Sitembile Sales - March 14, 2020

WE ARE PROUD TO ANNOUNCE THAT

THE 9 REMAINING COMPUTERS

WERE SHIPPED ON MARCH 12, 2020.

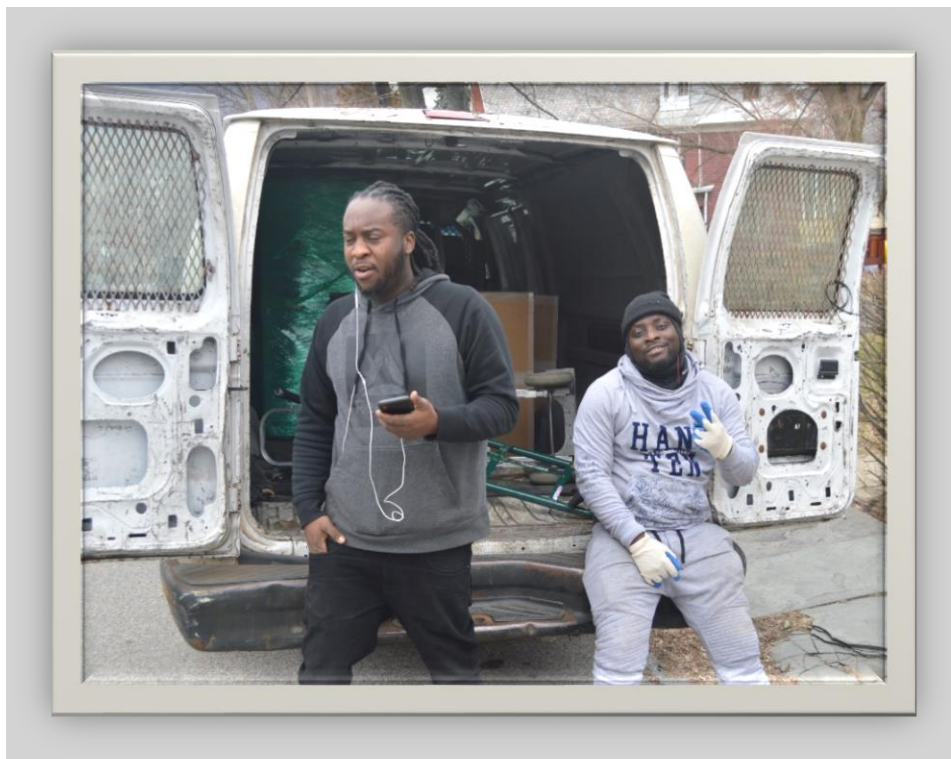
IT HAS BEEN A STRUGGLE,

BUT TOGETHER WE HAVE BEEN

ABLE TO ACHIEVE SUCCESS.



**William W. Sales, Jr. standing next to the last 3 items
that were shipped to Elmina Methodist JHS**



Austin & Augustine of KG & Don's Express Shipping which is a company that is owned and operated by Ghanaians.

AND FINALLY

in approximately 9 weeks, the 500 students at Elmina Methodist JHS will have access to the 31 computers that were sent to the school in the 2 shipments.

WE RECENTLY RECEIVED DONATIONS FROM OUR FRIENDS AND THE ORGANIZATIONS LISTED BELOW.

THIS MADE IT POSSIBLE FOR US

TO PURCHASE ADDITIONAL COMPUTER SUPPLIES, AND FUND THE SHIPMENT OF THE 9 REMAINING COMPUTERS.

WE TRULY THANK YOU ALL

Dr. Evelyn Erickson

Boris Fant

Kaye J. Evans Lutterodt

Meteor Computer, Inc.

Dr. Sitembile Sales

Marilyn Evans

Dr. Geraldine Gregg

Esla Lynch

Sam Nyarko

Dr. William W. Sales, Jr.

S.E.E.D.S., Inc.

Rhona Evans

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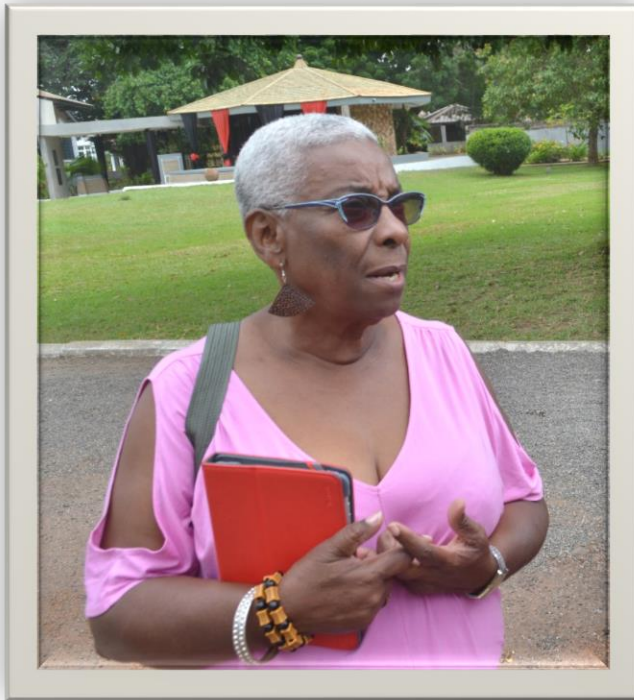
Akinlabi Mckall

Aishah Sales

Jacqueline Wright



Aishah Sales, Rhona Evans, and Esla Lynch discussing the need for a computer lab at Elmina Methodist JHS during their visit to the school in August 2019.



Esla Lynch during the Ghana trip - August 2019



Marilyn Evans standing with a local vendor at Elmina Methodist JHS during her visit in August 2019

THE SUCCESS OF THE ELMINA METHODIST JHS COMPUTER LAB PROJECT WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN POSSIBLE WERE IT NOT FOR THE PLANNING, THE RENOVATION EXPERTISE, DONATIONS, AND SUPPORT OF THE FOLLOWING FRIENDS AND ORGANIZATIONS.

THANKS TO YOU ALL

Kermith Alayon

Marilyn Evans

Dallas Hunter

Akinlabi Mackall

Janice Reid

Dr. Khalid Sales

Dr. William W. Sales, Jr.

Frederick Nana Sarpong Buadu

Boris Fant

KG & Don's Express Shipping

Meteor Computer Inc.

Hector Rivera

Laila Sales

S.E.E.D.S., Inc.

Dr. Evelyn Erickson

Beverly Parsons Greene

Esla Lynch

New York Media

Aishah Sales

Sarai Sales

Jacqueline Wright

Rhona Evans

Dr. Geraldine Gregg

Kaye J. Evans – Lutterodt

Sam Nyarko

Kadin Sales

Dr. Sitembile Sales

AND THANKS TO OUR ELMINA FAMILY

Mr. Eric Appiah Warden - Mathematics Teacher and Elmina Methodist JHS' I.C.T. Project Supervisor

Mr. Jacob Andzie-Quainoo - Head-teacher

Mr. Francis Ebu - Assistant Headteacher (technical Advisor)

Mr. Maxwell Cleland - Carpenter

Mr. Augustine Simpson - Electrician

Mr. Benjamin Sortor - Electrician

MARCH 6, 2020 WAS

GHANA'S 63RD Annual

Independence Day Celebration





Elmina Methodist JHS students proudly marching at Ghana's 63RD Independence Day Celebration

WE ARE PROUD AND WOULD LIKE TO CONGRATULATE THE ELMINA METHODIST JHS STUDENTS FOR THEIR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS.

- A) Three Students were awarded for their Excellent Academic Performance during their Final Examinations.**
- B) Elmina Methodist JHS Placed First in the Inter-School Match Pass Competition.**
- C) Elmina Methodist JHS WON the Inter-Schools 63RD Independence Quiz Competition.**





THIS IS WHAT WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO ACCOMPLISH IN REGARDS TO THE ELMINA METHODIST JHS COMPUTER LAB PROJECT.

- On December 11, 2019, New York Media donated 20 computer monitors, and 31 working computers to the Elmina Methodist JHS Computer Lab Project – **Thanks to Mr. Kermith Alayon & New York Media**

However, with Limited Funds, the following goals were met:

- The computer lab at Elmina Methodist JHS was totally renovated: the installation of new roofing and waterproofing, the complete rewiring and electrical upgrade, the installation of air conditioning, the installation of new security windows and doors.
- The following equipment was purchased (keyboard and mouse sets, a computer server, a computer projector, and other computer ancillary equipment) in order to ship 22 complete sets of computers to the school.
- On February 24, 2020, Twenty-two computers and ancillary supplies were shipped to Elmina Methodist JHS.
- On March 12, 2020, the 9 remaining computers and ancillary supplies were shipped to the school.

• WE EXPECT THAT IN APPROXIMATELY 9 WEEKS

ELMINA METHODIST JHS SHOULD HAVE RECEIVED ALL 31 COMPUTERS.

THANK YOU FOR BEING A PART OF OUR JOURNEY TO OUTFIT ELMINA METHODIST JHS WITH 31 COMPUTERS.

IN NEWSLETTER NO. 7, WE WILL SHARE PICTURES OF THE FUNCTIONING COMPUTER LAB AT THE SCHOOL.

IN THE FUTURE, WE HOPE THAT YOU WILL BE WILLING TO PROVIDE US WITH ADDITIONAL SUPPORT IF AND WHEN IT IS NEEDED BY THE SCHOOL.

THANK YOU

THE STRUGGLE CONTINUES !!!

Jacqueline Wright, and Akinlabi Mackall are the co-founders of S.E.E.D.S., Inc. [www.seedswork.org]

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