

"Nurturing the Bodies & Minds of the Future Generation"





Message from the Executive Director

Launched in August 2017, the initial and primary goal of this Foundation was to provide limited financial assistance to a group of indigent and orphaned kindergarteners and first graders in Government School, Etinan (Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria). The focus of this assistance was on the kids' basic school and medical needs throughout their elementary schooling that ends in sixth grade. The first cohort of these students (popularly known as "Scholars") is currently in second and third grades.

The foundation was very successful in meeting these needs in the 2017/2018 and 2018/2019 academic years. By the spring of last year (2019), however, we had become more aware and conscious of the tremendous and on-going challenges that these scholars face in their daily struggles for survival. This awareness and reality check necessitated the re-evaluation, re-prioritizing and broadening of the Foundation's initial mission. Since July last year, the Foundation began to focus more specifically on four key forms of assistance, namely: the scholars' medical (including dental) needs; nutrition; clothing; and school-based needs.

Thanks to the support, generosity and fundraising skills of the Newton North High School community, the Akwa Ibom Community Association of Massachusetts (AICAM), colleagues, friends, my nuclear and rapidly extending family members, and medical professionals, the Foundation has very successfully made the necessary adjustments and has achieved many of its short-term goals.

Last July and August for example, all Scholars received high level professional and comprehensive medical and dental examinations and treatments, including major surgeries and other medical procedures. Since then, they have had an on-going access to preventive medical services. Secondly, we set up a regular feeding program through which the Scholars continue to have two to three nutritious meals a week. We also gave them various items of clothing (including school uniforms, footwear and Christmas outfits), school supplies (including backpacks), and dental supplies.

For these scholars, the highlight of the Foundation's activities has certainly been the two-week Summer Enrichment Program (SEP). Last summer, this seven-hour daily program included academic sessions, recreational activities, and breakfasts and lunches. It also included two 16-mile-field trips in a "luxury" bus to Kilimanjaro Restaurant (a popular children's fast-food restaurant) in Uyo, the Akwa Ibom State capital.

This year, the Foundation hopes to raise \$8000.00 to continue with its mission. It will also continue to solicit the donation of clothes and sneakers (new and/or lightly worn) for these seven to ten-year old boys and girls. We would greatly appreciate any financial assistance that will enable us to meet these goals.

For online donations, please go to the Foundation's GoFundMe link at https://www.gofundme.com/f/10e43ax8yo or scan the QR code.

For questions and other inquiries, please contact me at <u>DrIbokette89@gmail.com</u> Thank you your continuous assistance and support.

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Inaugural Launching of the Foundation, 2017





Scholars, 2017-2018





Scholars, 2018-2019





Scholars, 2019-2020











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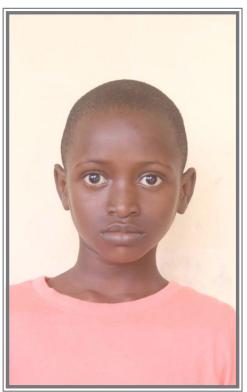






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Aspiration: Doctor







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Field Trip to Kilimanjaro Restaurant













Field Trip to the Hospital (Medical)













Field Trip to the Hospital (Dental)



















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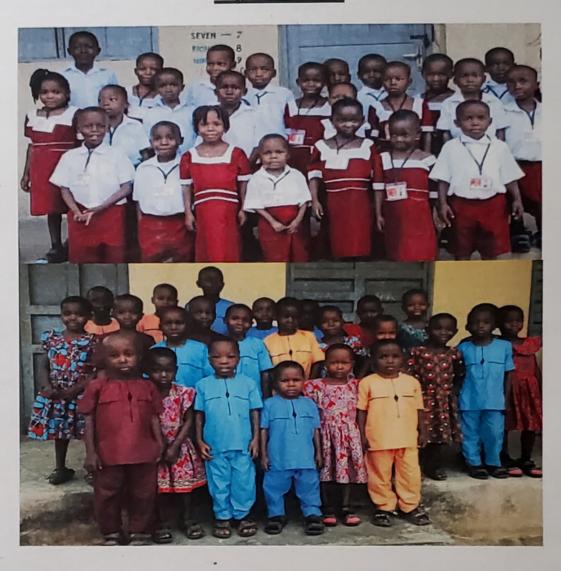
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Enrichment Program: Syllabus

Dr. Ibokette's Scholarship Foundation

Enrichment Program (August 5 - 9, 2019) Syllabus



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Enrichment Program: Opening Ceremony





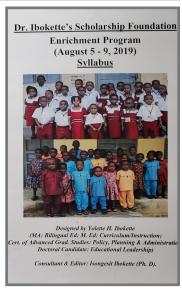


Enrichment Program: Opening Ceremony











Enrichment Program: Scholars at Work











Enrichment Program: Scholars At Play













Enrichment Program: Closing Ceremony









Enrichment Program: Closing Ceremony













Feeding Program: Scholars in the Cafeteria









Foundation's Community Outreach Activities









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Class Officers, Newton North Class of 2019
We thank you for your support



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Dr. Ekere Essien
We thank you for working to keep the scholars healthy





Dr. Udeme Ette
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We wish to congratulate Dr. Ibokette's Scholarship Foundation for giving young, less privileged children of Etinan, Akwa Ibom State, Nigeria, a brighter future.

Our foundation (LWBF Inc.) believes in standing with those that make a difference in the lives of the under privileged. In October 2019, LWBF. Inc. hosted a 5-day free medical mission in Etinan, led by Dr. Asuquo Inyang. We performed 85 surgeries, examined and treated 832 medical outpatients, and dispensed 848 reading glasses. Below are some pictures from the mission.











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