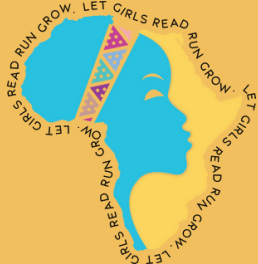


ANNUAL IMPACT



REPORT



OUR 2023 HIGHLIGHTS

While the year brought much uncertainty across the globe, Let Girls Read, Run, Grow continued to stay committed to our cause. With emphasis on consistency and growth, we are pleased with the expansion of our signature programs and look forward to continued growth in new ones.

Camp NexGen™ Tanzania

We welcomed 150 campers aged 11-13 in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania for the ultimate SPORT x STEAM experience. Combining soccer and basketball with drone training in our fun-filled curriculum was a blast we will never forget

#CampToCareer

2023 saw the continuation of our #CampToCareer training for Leon and Leane (campers from our 2022 Camp NexGen™ cohort in Zimbabwe). They have completed 70% of their training and are well on their way to becoming licensed drone pilots in 2024!

Far & Wide Cricket Camp

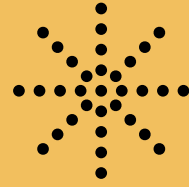
2023 was a busy year in Zimbabwe where we hosted cricket training sessions during National Olympic day in June 2023, and a series of 3-day camps in Bulawayo in August 2023



"Developing the African girl is our calling. The work we do are just a few of the methods."

- Founder & Board Chair, *Idara Otu*

THE YEAR IN REVIEW



2023 was a year dedicated to continuing to do the work we do best. Our SPORT X STEAM Camp, Camp NexGen™ remains an annual highlight, and our time in Dar es Salaam did not disappoint. Taking 150 students through our curriculum was a life changing event for both the campers and volunteers alike.

Through our partnerships in Zimbabwe and Nigeria we furthered our work using sport as a development tool in rural areas all while sponsoring the education for over 40 orphans for

the 2023-2024 academic year.

Finally, our students completing their Drone Training are nearing the time when we can call them fully licensed Drone Pilots! We are proud of their continued dedication for the last 18-months.

The Team here at LGRRG remains indebted to the generosity of the LGRRG village and are excited for the future and all we will accomplish together.





OUR IMPACT IN NUMBERS

500+

children directly impacted by our programs

500+

school items & educational materials donated to orphans

40

scholarships granted for the 2023-2024 academic year

250

copies of *The Miraculous Masquerade* gifted to students in NYC

2

students in year two of the #CampToCareer Drone Training Program

50+

athletic balls & equipment donated in Tanzania, Zimbabwe and Nigeria



THE ULTIMATE SPORT X STEAM EXPERIENCE

September 29th - October 1st, Let Girls Read, Run, Grow (LGRRG) hosted **Camp NexGen™** in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania. We welcomed 150 students aged 11 to 13 from some of the poorest regions of Dar es Salaam for the ultimate SPORT & STEAM experience. We combined athletic training (soccer and basketball) and a Build-A-Drone workshop in an effort to show how both disciplines enhance the other.

"Our focus is not on where the campers are from, but only about where they could go."

- Founder & Board Chair, *Idara Otu*

At camp, campers learned about the latest drone technology, robotics, 3D printing and coding from Federal Aviation Administration FAA-licensed drone pilots.

LGRRG's professional coaches and volunteers taught key developmental skills for each sport, all the while **imparting timeless lessons in goal-setting, discipline, teamwork, and conflict management.**

150

students served

50% 

of campers were girls

2K+

school supply items and educational materials distributed

15

drones built and flown throughout camp

2%

of campers knew what drones were before Camp NexGen™



100%

of campers flew four different types of drones at camp

WE'D LIKE TO THANK ALL OUR DONORS FOR THEIR GENEROUS SUPPORT

None of this work is possible without you. To our partners, **Camara Education, Global Air Drone Academy, Shining Sport and Far and Wide Cricket**, we salute you for your sacrifice.

To our volunteers, the lifeblood of the work we do on-ground, you are the soul of the experience and we are eternally grateful.





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