



# 2008 - Participant Activities in Africa

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## ALGERIA

Alger

### **Scouts Musulmans Algeriens (SMA)**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?165/55>

On September 4, the Algerian Clean Up the World 2008 campaign took advantage of the school summer holidays under the theme, "Start Today... Save Tomorrow - Clean Up Our Climate." Approximately 500 members of the Scouts Musulmans Algériens linked up with millions of fellow Scouts and volunteers worldwide to share in this year's environmental initiative. In the city of Tlemcen located in western Algeria, over 200 Scouts from the local scout groups of El Manar, El Amana, Ennahda and Ettwassol collected over 150 bags of waste. Also in the Algerian Eastern Annaba Province, many fellow Scouts helped with the collection of waste from the beaches of the Mediterranean Sea Algerian Seashore. Cub Scouts also took part in an environment quiz, raising their awareness of the challenges and problems that face their communities in relation to climate change and global warming. In Mostaganem, Scouts organised tree planting and a beach clean up with the participation of 240 Scouts. About 120 trees were also planted in a school.

Local support provided by: GTZ, SARL L'Exquise.

Annaba

### **Association Hippone Pour le Developpement Collectif**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3210/158>

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3210/227>

The "Nettoyons Annaba" activity was carried out by Association Hippone pour le Développement Collectif, on September 19, for CUW Weekend. Members of the group worked with the local scout group, council, business and student associations to clean the FLN - Champs de Mars park area in Annaba. Recycling bins were also installed in the park for future use. Coverage of the day's activities was later shown on the ARTE television channel. A second activity, a clean up of various cemeteries in Annaba was also organised by the association. The clean up caught the attention of the local council and will hopefully ensure that government institutions show greater concern in caring for cemeteries in the area.

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L'Activité de « Nettoyons Annaba » mise en œuvre par l'association Hippone pour le développement collectif a été organisée le jeudi 19 septembre 2008 à l'occasion de la fin de semaine Nettoyons la Terre. Les Membres ont travaillé avec le mouvement Scout local, le conseil municipal et les associations d'étudiants pour nettoyer au niveau de la place FLN (ex Champs de Mars). La campagne de nettoyage a concerné l'évacuation de déchets jetés à même le sol ainsi que l'installation de poubelles de tri des déchets au niveau de la dite place. Un reportage a été réalisé et diffusé sur la chaîne de télévision francogermanique ARTE. Une seconde activité, « Préservons nos cimetières » a concerné le nettoyage d'un ancien cimetière de la ville d'Annaba où le laisser-aller a été constaté ces derniers temps. L'association a été le précurseur et le catalyseur de cette action impliquant divers organismes étatiques et non gouvernementaux. L'association en travaillant collectivement avec d'autres parties a pu initier tout un cycle d'actions non seulement au niveau de ce cimetière mais aussi au niveau d'autres sites (principalement des cimetières).

Bousaada

### **Association Essaada de BouSaada**

A range of educational based activities were organised and carried out by the Association Essaada de BouSaada, to enable primary and high school students to become more active in protecting the environment. The association compiled and distributed their "Green Space" guide to approximately 22 schools. The guide provided practical advice on organising a clean up activity. By working with teachers at the schools, clean ups were carried out at 12 parks in the district and 25 "Green Clubs" were created to encourage further environmental activities in the future. Students that participated in the activities were awarded with a special "environmental badge" for their efforts.

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Un éventail d'activités éducatives ont été organisées et mises en place par l'Association Essaada de BouSaada pour permettre aux écoliers du primaire et du secondaire de devenir actifs dans la protection de l'environnement. L'association a établi et distribué son guide « espace vert » dans approximativement 22 écoles. Les animations et projets pédagogiques sont réalisés en concertation avec le responsable de l'établissement participant et en collaboration avec les professeurs. En travaillant avec les professeurs, 12 espaces verts ont été aménagés, 25 clubs verts ont été créés et 250 enfants ont reçu le « badge environnemental ».

Skikda

### **Association Ecologica de Skikda**

Two clean up activities at Market and Larbi Ben M'hidi Beaches were organised by the Association Ecologica de Skikda, with both the local radio station and the Sonelgaz Society lending their support and participation in the clean up's. The clean up activities highlighted the need to protect coast areas and keep them and free of waste.

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Deux activités de nettoyage des plages de Market et de Larbi Ben M'hidi ont été organisées par l'Association Ecologica de Skikda avec la participation de la radio locale et de la société Sonelgaz. Ces activités de nettoyage ont souligné l'importance de la protection de l'environnement et avec cela la protection du littoral de toutes sortes de déchets.



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Other members in Algeria are:

Alger

 **Forum Scoutisme et Environnement**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3393/219>

Algerie

 **Green Wish**

Batna

 **Troupe Alraja Batna**

Draa Ben Khedda

 **Association de Protection de l'Environnement et de l'Ecologie (THAFSUTH)**

Guelma

 **Talaia Salem Scout Heliopolis de Guelma**

Oran

 **SMA El Izdihar Oran**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3367/332>

## BURKINA FASO

Bobo - Dioulasso

 **Association pour un Developpement Durable Burkina Faso (ADD)**

 **Ecole KUAC**

## CAMEROON


Douala

 **Benevolent Association for Protection of the Environment and the Socially Underprivileged (BAPESU)**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?820/154>

BAPESU organised a clean up campaign in Bambui. 20 volunteers participated in a clean up activity which involved clearing grass and other waste that had been blocking drains and gutters. Grass and organic waste collected from the clean up was used to create a compost heap which will eventually be used as a fertiliser for growing cabbage and spices. The compost will be an example of an environmentally friendly alternative to fertiliser, to show local farmers alternatives to use in their farming practises. The campaign carried out by BAPSEU was praised by local community members for bringing greater health benefits to the village community, as the waste cleared from the drainage areas will discourage breeding grounds for mosquitoes and decrease the risk of malaria rated illnesses.

Kumba

 **Africa Youth for Peace and Development Cameroon**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?993/196>

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?993/281>

Africa Youth for Peace and Development Cameroon conducted a variety of activities as part of the Clean Up the World campaign and the UNEP youth programme. Three different activities were held throughout the year. A tree planting campaign, organised in Ekobme Bonje saw trees planted at two local church grounds and at the hospital. To help address the problem of water pollution in the Ekombe Bonji River, an awareness raising campaign was carried out in the local community. To compliment these activities, members of Africa Youth for Peace and Development Cameroon also held environmental awareness raising days at local schools concerning proper waste disposal techniques. As a result of their activities, participants remarked that community members gained a greater sense of the need to be more responsible for the environment and thanks to the tree planting activity, there is now more shade available for people to enjoy.

 **Forestry & Environmental Conservation Society (FOECONS)**

2008 saw more than 10,000 trees planted including an activity held on WED carried out by FOECONS. Tree planting had such a strong focus to not only promote reforestation so that trees may act as a buffer in extreme weather events, yet to also establish permanent forests to act as carbon sinks. FOECONS also celebrated their CUW Weekend in October by carrying out a variety of tree planting and educational activities. Approximately 20 schools in the Kumba and Menji - Fontem regions, involved 2100 volunteers to work together to plant more than 700 trees. FOECONS complemented these activities with environmental awareness raising events, to help both students and the wider community develop a positive attitude towards environmental protection.

Yaoundé

 **Réseau pour le Développement Rural et la protection de l'Environnement au Cameroun (REDREC)**




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A tree planting campaign organised by REDEC and local environment bodies, took place in Yaoundé throughout the month of June. Approximately 250 people worked together to plant 200 trees. As part of this campaign, a community awareness workshop supported by the mayor was also held in Bivem-Assi quarter, to inform residents about the health benefits of conducting regular clean ups.

Au mois de juin, une campagne de plantation d'arbres a été organisée à Yaoundé par le REDREC en collaboration avec les corps environnementaux locaux. Environ 250 personnes ont participé ensemble à la plantation de 200 arbres. Prenant part à cette campagne, des ateliers de conscientisation ont également été menés dans le quartier de Biyem-Assi sur les bénéfices santé de conduire des activités de nettoyage régulières.





Other members in Cameroon are:

- Bamenda  **Paradise on Earth - Agricultural, Constructional and Environmental Development**
- Buea  **Forestry, Agriculture, Animal and Fishery Network (FAAFNET)**  
 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3370/312>
- Douala  **Global Sports Alliance Douala, Cameroun**
- Edea  **Youths Ahead! - Collectif des Jeunes Talents (Jeunesse en Mouvement)**
- Ngaounderen  **Synergie Jeunesse et Développement (SYJEDE)**
- Tiko  **Cameroon Environmental Protection Association (HIGH - TECH CEPA)**
- Yaoundé  **Groupe Communautaire des Jeunes pour la Protection de L'Environnement (GCJ)**  
 **Little Angels of the Environment Cameroon (LANEC)**  
 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3377/203>

## CONGO

- Brazzaville  **Association des Jeunes pour le Développement Humain et la Protection de l'Environnement (AJDHPE)**
- A clean up activity took place at a primary school in Brazzaville Makélékélé, prior to the start of the 2008-2009 school year. The Brazzaville Makélékélé municipality and more than 20 volunteers participated in the activity. Approximately 150 kilos of waste was collected with all recyclable materials being sent to a recycling centre for proper disposal. Thanks to their efforts, AJDHPE believed that they had contributed to making the school grounds a healthy environment for the start of the school year.
- Une activité de nettoyage a été organisée dans l'école primaire avant la rentrée scolaire 2008-2009. La municipalité de Makélékélé Brazzaville et environ 20 bénévoles ont participé. Environ 150 kilos de déchets ont été ramassés et toutes les matières recyclables ont été envoyées dans un centre de recyclage approprié. Grâce à leurs efforts, l'AJDHPE a contribué à la fabrication d'une école fondée sur un environnement sain pour le début de l'année scolaire.

Other members in Congo are:

-  **Association Congolaise d'Education et de Prevention contre les Maladies et la Drogue en sigle ONG A**
-  **Volontaires pour l'Environnement et le Developpement**
- Pointe-noire  **Aide Jeunes du Congo**  
 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3388/215>

## CONGO (DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE)

- Bukavu  **PEMEPHEA ASBL**



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Several environmental activities were organised by PEMEPHEA as part of their participation in the Clean Up the World campaign. Approximately 800 people took part in a waste clean up day that was held across three districts of the Ibanda community in Bukavu. The local mayor was also offered his support for the event. After the clean up day, posters bearing anti-litter messages in both French and Swahili, were placed throughout the area to spread the word about the need to dispose of waste properly. Three local radio stations publicised the event and an environmental conference held at at l'Institut Supérieur Pédagogique in Bukavu, was also broadcast on the radio station so that the community could also listen to the topics being presented. Thanks to organising these activities, there was a visible reduction in waste on the street and the community - in particular the local church and municipal leaders had greater interest in caring for the environment.

Plusieurs événements ont été conduits par le PEMEPHEA comme prenant part à la campagne de Nettoyons la Terre. Approximativement 800 personnes ont participé à l'activité de nettoyage qui s'est tenue sur trois places stratégiques principales de la commune d'Ibanda – Bukavu. Les activités ont été soutenues par le Maire de la ville. Après la journée de nettoyage, des affiches portant des messages anti-détritus en français et en swahili, ont été placées partout dans le secteur pour diffuser le mot concernant le besoin de se débarrasser correctement des déchets. Trois radios locales ont promu l'événement et la conférence environnementale tenue à l'Institut Supérieur Pédagogique de Bukavu a également été diffusée à la radio, donc la communauté pouvait suivre les sujets présentés. Grace à l'organisation de ces activités, il y a eu une réduction visible des déchets dans la rue et au sein de la communauté – en particulier – les dirigeants municipaux et de l'église ont montré un réel intérêt pour l'environnement.

Kinshasa

## Foyer Agricole de Kishiongo

Approximately 600 volunteers took part in activities to clean up areas by removing tree waste from specified locations to allow for the building of Following on from previous years activities, The Foyer Agricole de Kishiongo continued with their community consultation and awareness raising activities surrounding clean drinking water supplies. The organisation published 10 articles with information concerning water borne diseases, advice for protecting portable water sources and tips on water filtration techniques. Activities were also carried out from January through to November 2008, whereby approximately 600 volunteers took part in activities to clean up areas by removing tree waste from specified locations, to allow for the building of schools throughout the Kwenge region in the south of the country.

Environ 600 volontaires ont participé aux activités de nettoyage du secteurs en enlevant les déchets d'arbres aux emplacements indiqués en tenant compte de la construction du bâtiment suivant et des activités des années précédentes. Le Foyer Agricole de Kishiongo a continué ses activités de consultation communautaire et de conscientisation autour des provisions en eau potable propre. L'organisation a publié 10 articles avec des informations concernant les maladies apportées par l'eau, le conseil sur la protection des sources d'eau et des techniques de filtration d'eau. Les activités ont eu lieu de janvier à novembre 2008, et environ 600 volontaires ont participé aux activités pour nettoyer des secteurs en enlevant les déchets d'arbres des emplacements indiqués, en tenant compte de la construction d'écoles dans la région Kwenge dans le sud du pays

Other members in Congo (Democratic Republic of the) are:

## ONGD Tosunga (TS)

## Programme du developpement pour la gestion de l'Environnement et promotion des forets (PGED)

## COTE D'IVOIRE

Abidjan

## ONG Vivre Sainement

Three different activities were organised by Vivre Sainement in 2008. The first activity, an awareness raising activity concerning forest conservation was conducted with students aged 10-14 years, from the Abidjan district. More than 100 students participated in the activity which included writing an essay based on the question; "Our Forests: What is their future in our country?" Following this, further awareness campaigns concerning HIV/AIDS and improving public hygiene to combat pollution in urban areas, were held in the Yopougon and Koumass districts of Abidjan. These campaigns were organised with the support of the Minister for Health and Public Hygiene.

Trois différentes activités ont été organisées par Vivre Sainement en 2008. La première, un concours de rédaction avec le thème « quel avenir pour la forêt de notre pays » a été organisée pour les enfants entre 10 et 14 ans. Plus d'une centaine d'élèves du district d'Abidjan y ont participé.

Enfin, des nouvelles campagnes de conscientisation concernant le VIH/SIDA et l'amélioration de l'hygiène publique pour combattre la pollution dans des zones urbaines, ont été tenues dans l'Yopougon et les zones de Koumass d'Abidjan. Ces campagnes ont été organisées avec l'appui du Ministre de la Santé et de l'Hygiène Publique.

Other members in Cote D'Ivoire are:

## le S R O (LE SERVICE DE RAMASSAGE DES ORDURES) Abidjan côte d'ivoire




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 **Scoutisme Marin Cote d'Ivoire**

## EGYPT

Al Qahirah

 **Arab Office for Youth and Environment (AOYE)**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?596/66>

In line with the current focus of the United Nations for the Environment Program (UNEP), AOYE sought to address the threats of climate change through this year's Clean Up the World campaign. Pollution, the depletion of natural resources, loss of farmland, the erosion of beaches, accumulation of solid wastes and air pollution was at the core of the campaign; an event that promotes action in all 16 Egyptian governorates. With their involvement in Clean Up the World sixteen years running, AOYE's focus this year was on beautifying and planting trees in target areas. This meant removing waste and cleaning areas, painting street pavements, planting trees and renovating street lighting. All activity was in full cooperation with all local councils. The bulk of the preparation for the campaign was headed by AOYE. Large numbers of t-shirts, banners and posters were printed and distributed to participants - nearly 4,000 young men and women - and the event received local, regional, and international media coverage. The creation of new green space and the trees planted as a result of the Clean Up the World activity is hoped to have a direct and positive impact on the reduction of climate change in Egypt, and the number of participants in the activities are increasing year after year through AOYE's efforts. The Ministry of State for Environment, Ministry of State for Local Development as well as the National Council for Youth were putting the campaign on their annual agenda not only in September of every year but all year round.

Local support provided by: Egyptian mobile services company "MobiNil", Ministry of State for Environment, Egyptian Minister for Local Development Mr. Mohammed Abdel Salam El-Mahgoub, Chairman of the National Council for Youth Dr. Saffey El-Din Kharboush.

Other members in Egypt are:

Alexandria

 **EESD**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3359/280>

Assiut

 **United Nations Youth Club**

Cairo

 **Wadi Environmental Science Centre (WESC)**

Maadi

 **Scouting4peace**

Safaga

 **Solymar Paradise Beach Resort**

## ETHIOPIA

Addis Ababa

 **UNEP Addis Ababa Office**

## GABON

Estuaire

 **Nouvelle Nature Conservancy**

## GAMBIA

Bakau New Town

 **Young People in the Media, The Gambia**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3355/190>

## GHANA

Accra

 **Aruja Dance Ensemble Foundation**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3237/140>














A waste removal activity was organised in the north industrial area of Accra on November 15. Approximately 100 volunteers took part in their first ever Clean Up the World event collecting over 2 tonnes of waste. The organic waste collected on the day was used as compost and the plastic bags collected were recycled.

Local support provided by: Highland Springs Ltd, Travelmax Travel and Tours Ltd, Zoomlion Gh.Ltd.







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Other members in Ghana are:

-  **Akuapem Mountains Womens Forum (AMWF)**
-  **Australian High Commission, Accra**
-  **Bibweg Health Development Organisation, Ghana**
-  **Child Welfare & Protection Agency**  
 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?1784/144>
-  **Clean Ghana Initiative**
-  **Lechies / Young Leaders Forum**
-  **Millennium Youth Foundation**
-  **Rescue Mission Ghana**
-  **Rural Initiatives for Youth Action in Sustainable Development (RIYASUD)**
-  **Saviour Experimental School Complex**
-  **TGIB Production**
-  **Town and Country Sanitation**

Achiase  **Liberation Women Development Association (LIWODA) Ghana**  
 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3363/195>

Assin Foso  **The Lost Talent Foundation Ghana**  
 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3249/287>

Kumasi  **Solid Kids and Teens Club**  
 **Young People We Care (YPWC)**

Takoradi  **Beroea Sevices Mission International**

## KENYA

Kericho  **Motobo Environment Live Programme**

Clean up events were held in four Kenyan towns in March, May and September. Approximately 600 volunteers took part in each town collecting over 8 tonnes of waste in total. The organic waste was separated for composting and paper was sent to commercial recycling facilities. A tree planting and environmental education campaign was held in conjunction with the clean ups, reaching 2,205 students in 15 schools. The campaign was regarded as a success as not only did the events encourage greater community spirit, the waste that was recycled generated income for the community and the activities encouraged the local council to introduce regular waste removal services.

Nairobi  **Kawangware Urumwe Youth Group**



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Kawangware Urumwe Youth Group held a range of environmental activities to coincide with key global environmental events in 2008. The first activity took place on Earth Day in April with the Kawangware Primary School conducting a tree planting day whereby 200 students each planted their own tree. For WED a clean up activity was organised and was attended by more than 300 participants. 8 tonnes of waste was collected on the day and any valuable recyclable waste from the collection, was sorted and sold. CUW Weekend was another success story for the group with 200 participants working together to collect 10 tonnes of waste and plant 100 seedlings within the Ndururu primary school grounds. Finally International Water Day was also observed by holding a water testing activity whereby water fetched from three various sources was monitored and the results from the data collected was sent to the Water Environment Federation for further assessment.

Local support provided by: Plan International and the youth economic empowerment programme.

## **Kibera Sidebridge Community Initiative**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?1103/300>

Whilst the Kibera Side Bridge Community Initiative's Clean Up the World activities were ongoing throughout the year, there was particular emphasis on September 24-25, during which the community was mobilised to clean up a major tributary to the Nairobi Dam. The support of the local administration was invoked to assist in raising awareness of the impacts of dumping refuse, and the resulting pollution to the Nairobi Dam. Although no funding was received and only limited support, locally and internationally, approximately 200 people were involved in the activities. Due to the recent civil unrest in Kenya, the activities were used to highlight peace, with the slogan "our environment, our peace". It is hoped that continued efforts in raising environmental awareness and cleaning up the tributary will lead to the return of some fish species to the dam. The local community too, in realising that "we are our environment's keepers", will learn the benefits of proper waste management; including reduction of mosquito breeding areas and thus malaria transmission, as well as, instilling a sense of community spirit and national pride. The recognition from Clean Up the World has given the group a sense of pride in its work and increased awareness and support of its efforts by the local administration.

## **Mulembe FM**

Mulembe FM, a radio station based in Nairobi, organised a Clean Up the World event in the western province of Kenya during November and December. With the assistance of local government bodies, environment agencies and the private sector, they coordinated the planting of more than 20,000 tree seedlings in Kakamega forest. The forest is one of the only remaining areas of Guineo-Congolian tropical rainforest in East Africa. The volunteers whom took part in the tree planting campaign came from an estimated 57 villages and some 60 schools near the Kakamega forest. By involving the local community, the campaign was able to create awareness amongst the community of the value of forests and by providing ideas on sustainable ways of using forests, this will help to conserve the forest in the future.

## **Pillars of Kibera Youth Kibera**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?1114/298>

Pillars Of Kibera Youth Group organised four clean-up events in Kibera as part of their Clean Up the World initiative. In September, 25 youths cleaned all the offices and a clinic in the Kibera District Officer Compound. In October, 50 residents of Kisumu ndogo village cleaned drainages that were constructed through the support of the Undugu Society. In November, 25 youth came together under Pillars of Kibera to clear 3 dumpsites that were posing a threat to human settlement. In December, 40 youth joined hands under the Ministry of Youth for a tree planting exercise in Olympic Estate and Olympic Primary School. The dumpsite and drainage system were cleared to control stagnant water that leads to water borne diseases and soil erosion. Up to 50 residents and 75 youth were engaged in the community service and the activities promoted the spirit of volunteering and collective responsibility.

Nakuru

## **Youth Wildlife and Environmental Movement (YWEM)**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?1008/324>

YWEM carried out a variety of activities throughout 2008. The first activity in May was held as part of "Conservation Week" at Egerton University campus. Members of YWEM planted 40,000 trees at Ngongonger farm and also attended a waste management workshop, which was informed the participants of sustainable waste management practises. As part of the week long event, students on campus were also involved in an environmental networking program, with outlined the need to adopt lifestyle practises and attitudes in order to achieve environmental sustainability. To celebrate CUW Weekend, YWEM organised several clean ups within the grounds of Egerton University and of Ndarugu market. Members of the community as well as students from the university and schools were also involved in a clean up of the river Njoro on September 20.

Local support provided by: Faculty of Environment and Resource Development (FERD).

Other members in Kenya are:

Bomet

## **Tumaini Outreach Singers**



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Bungoma

 **Mashambani World Watch**


Homa Bay

 **Environmental Watch Programme**

Kangundo

 **Good Fella Youth**

Kimilili

 **Agape Love International**

Kisumu

 **Christian Women Partners (CWP)**

Mombasa

 **Environment Trust of Kenya**

 **Kenya Watersports Trust**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3295/139>

 **PUSH -People United to Save the Harbourline**

Nairobi

 **Destiny Africa**

 **Eastleigh North Youth Welfare Association (ENYWA)**

 **Eco-Club Action**

 **Former Mates Adventure and Discovery Association (FORMADA)**

 **Health and Environmental Awareness Leaders (HEAL)**

 **Humaam Welfare Association**

 **JEC**

 **Laikipia Wildlife Forum**

 **Mathare Youth Sports Association**

 **MGSN Environmental club**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3373/206>

 **Stay Alive Youth Support Group**

Nyeri

 **Kiini Sustainable Initiative (KISI)**

Siaya

 **Centre for Integrated Community Development & Outreach (CICDOT)**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3371/200>

## LIBERIA

Monrovia

 **Bushrod Waste Management and Development Enterprise**

 **Creative Children in Arts (CCA)**


 **Liberia Community Sanitation Service**

 **Movement for the Promotion of Gender Equality in Liberia (MOPGEL)**

 **Youth Against Sanitation (YAS)**



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 Youth for Change Network

## MALAWI

Lilongwe

 **Centre for Community Empowerment and Development**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3245/153>

The Centre for Community Empowerment and Development (CECAD) incorporated their Clean Up the World activity with a demonstration march held in Lilongwe on December 6 as part of the Global Day of Action against climate change. More than 350 people took part in the march that was organised to coincide with the 2008 UN Climate Talks that were taking place in Poznan, Poland from December 1-12. CECAD was also involved facilitating a series of climate talks, entitled the "Rethinking Our World Initiative" that were conducted in 18 schools throughout Lilongwe reaching approximately 1,800 students, to raise awareness on the issue of climate change. Through their activities, communities - in particular the youth population, are more aware of issues surrounding climate change and the need for each individual to act. This was particularly evident during the December 6 march with more than 75% of participants being young people.

Local support provided by: Environmental Affairs Department, UNDP GEF Small Grants Programme.

## MALI

Bamako

 **Comité de Gestion et de Valorisation des Déchets (COGEVAD)**


## MAURITIUS


Beau-Bassin

 **Mauritius Scout Association**

## MOROCCO

Ifrane

 **Association des Amis du Val D'Ifrane: Ifrane-Maroc**


 **Centre de l'Environnement et du Développement Régional**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?655/134>

Marrakech

 **Observatoire de la Palmeraie de Marrakech (OPM)**

Zaio

 **Association Mobadara pour le développement durable et tourisme**

## NAMIBIA

Swakopmund

 **Kelly Hicks**

## NIGER

Niamey

 **SaPHTA MUHALI**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3286/123>

## NIGERIA

Aba

 **Health & Environmental Care Initiative**

Health and Environmental Care Initiatives embarked on a clean up campaign for three months, from September until December of the surrounding area of Ekeoha shopping centre and at the Old Court Road Market in Aba. Commencing their campaign on CUW Weekend, 1500 volunteers participated in cleaning the gutter and drainage systems around the shopping centre and in the market area, as well as sweeping the grounds of the entire premises. The event captured the attention and praise of both business owners and visitors to the market, thanks to the clean surroundings which resulted from the clean up. Health and Environment initiatives view their event to have been successful in improving local health conditions due to cleaning up areas of stagnant water which are often breeding grounds for bacteria.

 **Vision Bearers Youth Organization**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?951/301>



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Vision Bearers Youth Organisation Clean Up the World events were held in three zones of the Aba South locality in April, June and August. More than 70 participants were involved in the three waste clearing activities. All organic waste collected at the cleanups were put into compost and recyclable wastes were sent to recycling centers for disposal. Additionally, environmental education and awareness workshops were also held in the communities reaching out to a further 700 people about the link between health and the environment.

Ado-Ekiti

## **Environmental Management Corps (EMC)**

With a focus on environment and infrastructure maintenance, EMC embarked on a campaign to lead by example and educate the people of Nigeria. Waterways were cleaned and 1770 trees planted, and 300 billboards were erected to curb the dumping of waste materials in waterways in Ekiti State. On August 21, EMC launched a magazine named Mineralinks that focuses on mineral, environment, and tourism issues. During the launching, environmentalists were invited to deliver lectures on conservation to more than 1,000 participants. The occasion also served as an avenue to enlighten the dignitaries about the objectives of Clean Up the World. On November 24 - 26, EMC carried out the educative part of their campaign with, "House to House Talk on Trees Planting and Waterways Cleaning in Ekiti." The group spoke to 400 households in Ado-Ekiti, Ifaki-Ekiti and Aramoko- Ekiti on the issues of tree planting and on the importance of keeping the canals clean.

Benin city

## **Environmental Protection And Food Program**

School children and local residents took part in two clean up events held in November, in Ugbeze and Iguoke. Thanks to the activities organised by the group, there was a marked reduction in the amount of waste on the streets. A particular highlight of the event was when elderly people in the area came to thank participants for their efforts in improving the appearance and health of the local area.

Ibadan

## **Local Youth Assembly of Nigeria**

Health and Environmental Care Initiatives embarked on a clean up campaign for three months, from September until December of the surrounding area of Ekeoha shopping centre and at the Old Court Road Market in Aba. Commencing their campaign on CUW Weekend, 1,500 volunteers participated in cleaning the gutter and drainage systems around the shopping centre and in the market area, as well as sweeping the grounds of the entire premises. The event captured the attention and praise of both business owners and visitors to the market, thanks to the clean surroundings which resulted from the clean up. Health and Environment initiatives view their event to have been successful in improving local health conditions due to cleaning up areas of stagnant water which are often breeding grounds for bacteria.

Lagos State

## **Nigeria Climate Change Working Group**

The Nigeria Climate Change Working Group carried out an environmental awareness raising event about tree planting and the role that trees play in combating climate change. Approximately 100 attendees were at the event. Further environmental awareness raising events were held in December, this time focusing on waste management and the ways people can benefit from recycling and reducing waste. A positive outcome of the events was that participants learnt of the benefits of recycling and how wealth can actually be created through reusing rather than disposing of certain waste products.

Otukpo

## **Society for Life and Human Development Initiative (SLHDI)**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?2656/247>

SLHDI ran a variety of events through the year with a focus on educational based activities concerning the themes of climate change, waste disposal and health and hygiene practices to prevent the spread of infectious diseases such as malaria. Following the activities participants were able to network with each other, increasing the possibility of sustaining and developing their environmental programs in the future.

Local support provided by: Blossom Development Initiative, National Youth Service Corps (Otukpo Chapter), Generation on Track in Transit (GOTIT).

Other members in Nigeria are:

Aba

## **Blueprint Concepts and Environmental Services**

Abakaliki

## **Neighbourhood Environment Watch (N.E.W)**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3318/262>

Awodi-Ora - Apapa

## **Vision Outreach Youth Project**

Calabar

## **Environmental & Petroleum Geochemistry Research Group (EPG, NIGERIA)**



# 2008 - Participant Activities in Africa

Ejigbo	Youth Leadership Network (YOLEN)
Enugu	Union 2015
Ibadan	Bolak Waste Management Deamseed International
Ikot abasi	Foundation for Environmental Ethics and Developments (FEEDS)
Ikun-Ekiti	Gasaa Business Ventures
Kagos State	Nature Cares
Lagos	Afrimat Ventures <a href="http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?1067/97">http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?1067/97</a> Bibweg Health Development Organisation Nigeria British Council Nigeria Foolproof Squad Global Youth Positive Empowerment Initiators (GYPEI) Greenlink
Lagos mainland	Gifted Youth Initiatives
Niger Delta	Green Ambassadors Foundation <a href="http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3360/193">http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3360/193</a>
Onitsha	Victorian Foundation
Osogbo	Eden Society International Foundation
Owerri	Society For The Protection of Nature And Environment
Port Harcourt	Environplan Initiatives Green Fingers <a href="http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3357/191">http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3357/191</a> Youths Environment Society (YES)
Uyo	World Communities Empowerment Network

## SENEGAL







Dakar	Convention des Jeunes de Pikine Scouts du Sénégal
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## SIERRA LEONE



Freetown	Action Group for Education [AGE] in Sierra Leone
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# 2008 - Participant Activities in Africa

-  **BIBWEG Health Development Organisation - Sierra Leone**
-  **conscience international sierra leone**
-  **Global Unification**
-  **Humanity Rescuer Committee**
-  **Restoring Hope to Women and Destitute Children ( RHEWDEC)**
-  **Student Educational Network Sierra Leone**
-  **Tangible Academic Youth Forum Organization (TAYFO)**
-  **Youth Movement For Peace & Non Violence**

## SOMALIA

- Mogadishu  **Omali Rehabilitation and Development Agency (SORDA)**
-  **Somali Forum for Peace and Democracy**










## SOUTH AFRICA

- Pretoria  **SOAPkidz**
  -  <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?952/47>
  -  <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?952/48>

The "Moreleta Spruit Clean Up", was organised by SOAPkidz as a CUW Weekend activity on September 20. 350 volunteers included 123 children from the SOAPkidz programme hiked along the 10 km walking trail at Moreleta Spruit, collecting litter and waste along the way. A total of 348 bags of waste were collected on the day. A second event, a "clean up of Nel Spruit" saw more than 100 volunteers work together to remove approximately 40 bags of waste from the reserve.

Local support provided by: Pick n Pay Faerie Glen local conservation group and local police divisions.

Other members in South Africa are:

- Durban  **Forest View Primary School**
  -  <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3305/152>
-  **Institute for Zero Waste in Africa**
-  **KZN Agriculture and Environmental Affairs: eThekweni**
- Johannesburg  **Plastics Federation of South Africa**
- Johannesburg  **CEEP**
- Pietermaritzburg  **Dusi Umngeni Conservation Trust (DUCT)**
  -  **Lower Mpushini Valley Conservancy**
- Pretoria  **National Victim Empowerment Programme**

## SUDAN

- Gedaref  **Communication in Solid Waste Program or Women Forum (home visitors)**



# 2008 - Participant Activities in Africa

## TANZANIA (UNITED REPUBLIC OF)

Dar es Salaam

### **Tanzania Youth and Environmental Network (TAYEN)**

TAYEN carried out a series of environmental awareness raising workshops throughout various schools in Dar es Salaam to encourage students to participate in conservation activities. Entitled "Youth Environmental Clubs", the workshops were held across 10 schools with students learning about how they can contribute to improving the environment in their school area and community. Through the course of the workshop plans to start tree nurseries within the school grounds and organising future clean up events were developed.

Local support provided by: School administration of Makongo, Tegeta, Boko and Mbezi Beach, Boko secondary school of Dar es Salaam.

Other members in Tanzania (United Republic of) are:

### **Emet Dar Es Salaam School**

### **Joint Environment and Development Management Action (JEMA)**

Mwanza

### **Children's Health and Environment Caretakers**

Tabora

### **Clean Up Tabora**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3342/173>

Zanzibar

### **White Star Society**

### **Zanzibar Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (ZSPCA)**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?883/194>

## TOGO

Lomé

### **Magnificat Environment Association (MEA)**

Clean up activities were organised by the Magnificat Environment Association in Lomé, throughout April, June and September. Approximately 1583 people participated in activities ranging from awareness raising days, to tree planting, waste collection and recycling activities. The activities carried out helped to make people more aware of the importance of good hygiene to avoid the risk of illness and disease and through carrying out clean up and recycling activities, plastic bag waste, which is a large problem in Lomé, was also reduced. As a result of the activities the association noted that there was a positive change in the habits of people towards their environment.

Des activités de nettoyage ont été organisées par la Magnificat Environment Association à Lomé tout au long des mois d'avril, juin et septembre. Environ 1583 personnes ont participé aux journées de conscientisation, à la plantation d'arbres, à la collecte des déchets et aux activités de recyclage.

Les activités ont été effectuées pour aider à rendre les gens plus conscients de l'importance d'une bonne hygiène pour éviter le risque de maladie et de contamination en effectuant des activités de nettoyage et de recyclage. Les déchets de sacs en plastique, qui sont un grand problème à Lomé, ont également été réduits. Suite aux activités, l'association a noté qu'il y avait un changement positif des habitudes des gens à l'égard de leur environnement.

Sokodé

### **Réseau des Organisations de Développement de la Région Centrale (RESODERC)**



# 2008 - Participant Activities in Africa

Three separate awareness raising activities were organised by RESODERC in 2008. In April, "la terre n'est pas une poubelle" (Earth is not a garbage bin) campaign was organised. Approximately 100 members of the group went to 35 local areas to deliver talks concerning personal hygiene and the link that health has to a clean environment. Clean up activities were incorporated into the campaign, with all the waste collected being either burnt or sent to local waste disposal facilities. The second campaign; "Non à la dépendance du carbone" (No to carbon dependence) was held in June, whereby environmental awareness activities were combined with tree planting activities. An estimated 10,000 trees were planted at schools across the Sokodé district. In October, a final campaign concerning food security and the challenges that climate change may present, was organised so that members of RESODERC could learn more about this issue in order to share their knowledge with the wider community.

Trois activités séparées de conscientisation ont été organisées par RESODERC en 2008. En avril, la campagne "la terre n'est pas une poubelle" a été organisée. Environ 100 membres du groupe sont allés dans 35 secteurs locaux livrer des pourparlers concernant l'hygiène corporelle et le lien entre la santé et un environnement propre. Des activités de nettoyage ont été incorporées dans la campagne, tous les déchets rassemblés ont été soit brûlés, soit envoyés dans des centres d'élimination des déchets locaux. La deuxième campagne, "non à la dépendance du carbone" a été tenue en juin, des activités de conscientisation environnementale ont été combinées avec des activités de plantation d'arbres. Environ 10,000 arbres ont été plantés dans les écoles de la zone Sokodé. En octobre, une campagne finale concernant la sécurité alimentaire et les défis que le changement climatique peut présenter, a été organisée comme une activité éducative, avec des participants par groupes.

Village de Danyi-N'  **Femmes Volontaires Debout pour le Developpement Durable (FVDD)**


 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?682/243>

The main focus of activities organised by FVDD in 2008 was centred on a clean up of local river areas. Approximately 271 volunteers were involved in both clean ups of river banks and tree planting activities which resulted in trees being planted alongside rivers and roadsides. At the association's headquarters, a concerted effort was also made to recycle rather than throw out plastic waste.

L'une des principales activités organisées par FVDD en 2008 a été centrée sur le nettoyage des espaces de la rivière locale. Environ 271 volontaires ont été impliqués tant dans le nettoyage des berges que dans les activités de plantation d'arbres qui ont abouti à la plantation d'arbres le long des rivières et aux bords de la route. Au siège social de l'association un effort concerté a aussi été fait pour recycler plutôt que de jeter les déchets en plastique.

Other members in Togo are:

Lomé  **Pae Togo (Pour un Avenir Ensoleillé)**

 **Volontaires pour le Developpement et l'Assainissement de l'Environnement (VDAE)**

## TUNISIA

Tazarka  **Association de l'Environnement de Tazarka**

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3399/236>

 <http://activities.cleanuptheworld.org/?3399/245>

For their first year participating in the Clean Up the World campaign, Association de l'Environnement de Tazarka worked with the support of the local Council to install a series of waste disposal bins along the main road in Tazarka. More than 40 volunteers including the Tazarka Scout group and school children were involved in the activity. To complement this, an awareness raising day was held on June 15, to educate the local community about the importance of a having clean community and to discourage people from littering roadsides. Later in the year, a tree planting activity took place on November 23, at three places in Tarzarka. Approximately 20 Scouts were also involved in the activity.

Local support provided by: l'Agence du Protection et d'Aménagement du Littoral (APAL).

Au cours de leur première année participant dans la campagne de CUW, l'Association de l'Environnement de Tazarka a travaillé, avec l'appui du Conseil local, à l'installation d'une série de poubelles le long de la route principale dans Tazarka. Plus de 40 volontaires incluant le groupe de Scouts Tazarka et les écoliers ont été impliqués dans l'activité.

En plus de cela, une journée de conscientisation a été tenue le 15 juin, pour éduquer la communauté locale sur l'importance d'avoir une communauté propre et pour décourager les gens à éparpiller leurs déchets aux bords de la route. Plus tard dans l'année, une activité de plantation d'arbres a eu lieu le 23 novembre, à trois endroits de Tarzarka. Environ 20 Scouts ont aussi été impliqués dans l'activité.

Support local fourni par : l'Agence du Protection et d'Aménagement du Littoral (APAL).

Other members in Tunisia are:

Bousalem  **Jeune Chambre Economique Bousalem Tunisie**

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# 2008 - Participant Activities in Africa

## UGANDA

Kampala

### **Nature Palace Foundation**

To coincide with the official opening of Mabamba Eco-tourism Information Centre, the Nature Palace Foundation organised a 1-day environmental awareness raising and media campaign involving up to 600 volunteers made up of community members, schools, local leaders, district officials, civil society organisations and political leaders. The "Fix Up our Wetlands of International Importance: Mabamba Clean Up Campaign 2008" took place at Mabamba Bay Ramsar Site on Friday September 19, 2008. Mabamba is an important breeding ground for migrant bird species and is home to globally threatened bird and rare plant species. Due to the important role that wetlands play in controlling climate change, The Nature Palace Foundation chose this site to conduct their Clean Up the World activity. About 100kg of waste (crop residues and plastic materials) was collected and an emphasis on the reforestation of the catchment area and the need to conserve the wetland ecosystem was highlighted throughout the event. Local media organisations published the event and as a result the clean-up helped to increase environmental awareness amongst the community. The Government Minister of Water and Environment made a speech and encouraged community members to begin and initiate their clean up campaigns in their own homes. As a result of the clean up campaign, the Minister ordered the local authorities to remove all illegal structures which were constructed in the wetlands reserve area and were a source of pollution and continuous degradation of the reserve.

Local support provided by: Rufford Small Grants for Nature Conservation.

Other members in Uganda are:

Arua

### **Klin Arua Ventures**

Fort - Portal

### **Canon Apolo Primary Teachers College**

Kampala

### **Kazinga Youth Volunteer Service (KYVS)**

### **Wakiso Environment Conservation & Development Initiative (WECADI)**

Kampala City

### **Foundation for Integrated Rural Development (FIRD)**

Kasese

### **Bwera Youth and Environmental Pollution Association**

Lira Town

### **Hope Revival Agency for Rural Devevelopment (HORARD)**

Tororo

### **Sustainable Agriculture, Forestry & Environment Concerns (SAFE)**

## ZAMBIA

Lusaka

### **United Nations Youth Association of Zambia - Green Section (YUNA-ZAMBIA)**

For the third year in a row, The United Nations Youth Association of Zambia's Green Section (YUNA-Zambia) joined in the CUW Weekend with their campaign, "Make Zambia Clean and Healthy". The activity was carried out September 19 in the Northern part of Lusaka City, about 15km from the Central Business District. The area is an open space between a hospital and an urban settlement area called Mandevu and has been the target of domestic waste dump from residents. The waste was composed mostly of plastics, papers, left-over foods, empty tins and combined household waste. Over 50 volunteers combined gathered in Mandevu Compound and carried out both an awareness raising activity and cleaning exercise aimed at ensuring that Lusaka residents are safe from diseases which may break out as a result of garbage accumulating near their homes. In particular the area risked becoming a breeding ground for various diseases like Malaria and sources of transmittable diseases like cholera. Apart from collecting this refuse, youths from Rhodes Park School PTA also cleared blocked drains which had been filled with plastics and other components of domestic waste.

Other members in Zambia are:

Mazabuka

### **Albidon Zambia Limited**

## ZIMBABWE



# 2008 - Participant Activities in Africa

Harare

 **Bulawayo Progressive Residents Association**

 **Environment Africa**