

On Sunday the 30th September a team will leave Granaghan to take part in the second volunteer project to Western Kenya. The group will travel at their own expense to the Wagwer School, which is in the same area as the Nyasidhi School from last years trip.

Wagwer School was the first Primary School in the Siaya District. They are now trying to establish themselves as a Secondary School so **Granaghan Outreaches** help will go a long way to providing that base. Funds raised through the Granaghan Outreach Charity will help with the renovation of four class rooms which are in poor repair with no windows, doors, desks nor floors.



Children during lessons at Wagwer School

The team travelling include; Seamus Lagan, Tony Conway, John Mulholland, James McLarnon, Dessie Cleary, Paddy Turner, Brenda McWilliams, Ciara Bradley, Kiera McMaster, Damian O’Kane and Theresa Dunne.

The proposed itinerary includes on arrival in Nairobi, a visit to the slums, a visit to the **Ushirika Clinic**, built and run by Moving Mountains at which Granaghan Outreach are currently funding a medical assistant, and see other Moving Mountains projects. It is also hoped to visit Sister Teresa Rafferty who is currently based in Nairobi.



Delivery Suite at the Ushirika Clinic

The second day in Kenya will see the team leave Nairobi early and transfer to Siaya which is a 12 hr drive, hopefully visit the Wagwer School and the Moving Mountains Orphanage.

The rest of the week will see the renovation of classrooms at Wagwer School get well underway.



Fr Mathews Omogo

On Sunday 7th October the team will join in the celebration of mass at the local Church, visit the Nyasidhi School where last years project was completed and meet the teacher for whom Granaghan Outreach is sponsoring. Sunday will also be an opportunity for the team to spend time at the Moving Mountains Orphanage and in the local community.



Moving Mountains Orphanage

The second week will hopefully see the successful completion of the work before making the long journey back to Nairobi for the flight home on Sunday 14th October.

Fundraising is well underway. A Church door collection is to be taken up after mass on the 8th and 9th of September. A Golf day is also taking place on the 21st September at the Moyola Golf Club, a four ball will cost £120 and hole sponsorship at £100. A night of live music & craic will be held in the Rafters Bar on Saturday 29th September starting at 9:00 p.m. Admission is £5.

If there is anyone interested in helping in this year’s project, or are interested in the golf day, please leave your details with Noel McGrath (028 79401586), Ciaran McGuckin (07779109018) or Barney McEldowney (07718340438). Alternatively email ‘info@granaghanoutreach.com’

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