



programmes from

The Literacy in a Box Trust

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The Literacy in a Box Trust is growing and already our core programme, **School Aid 4 Zambia** has sent 187 Literacy Boxes to Zambia. This programme fits the bill for a Rotary International Service project in the field of Literacy. It is also an ideal Com / Voc and New Generations service project that would help school children in this country understand an overseas culture, an integral part of their curriculum.

A donation of £275 will buy and send a **LITERACY BOX** to ensure that 25 Zambian children receive school supplies and are given hope, that through education, they may work their way out of the combined suffering of poverty and the consequences of AIDS.

Our aim is to give the dozen or so schools with whom we work in Zambia, continuity of supply. To do this we need to send 400 Literacy Boxes each year. Please help us in this vital task.

All donations will go to achieve this aim unless a donor specifies differently. As a result of two specific donations, we have widened our sphere of operation. **School Aid 4 Zimbabwe** sent 20 Literacy Boxes to the poorest children in the north of that country, while in the Far East, **School Aid 4 the Philippines** sent 66 Literacy Boxes to help the poorest of Philippine children who work the refuse dumps for survival.

RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE to help Districts / Clubs that wish to adopt **Literacy Boxes** for their service programmes. We can support you in your task of promoting **Literacy Boxes** to District, Club, schools, local youth groups, churches, local media or commerce, in confidence that this will generate the flow of donations so vital for the growth of the Trust to provide continuity of supply of **Literacy Boxes**.

Do contact us if you want support or have any queries.

Website

Our website (and contained links) is the Trust's information resource. On the home page is a short DVD on our work, as well as links to updated news from **the Literacy Box Trust**, including a BBC TV report on us.

DVD / Power Point Presentations

A DVD is freely available on request and is very useful to inform on **The Literacy Box Trust** "in our absence"

The DVD contains a 2 minute synopsis and a 10 minute film sequence covering all aspects of our work.

Power Point presentations are available to supplement the DVD and we can tailor a presentation for your use.

Brochures / Newsletter

Information brochures give a synopsis of **the Literacy Box Trust**, contact details and a Gift Aid donation form. These are ideal for distribution after an information meeting on the work of the Trust. We also have a Newsletter, published regularly which is available in electronic form on our website.

Working with schools

We have a standard letter of introduction to help you make that vital connection with schools, whether you wish the school to adopt Literacy Box as a charity; use it to assist pupils' curriculum need to understand an overseas culture or as a lever for you to discuss Rotary projects with relevant school staff.

To contact the Trust for further information, assistance, or to be sent any of the materials mentioned above, please e-mail info@literacyboxtrust.org.uk with your query. For up to date information please visit www.literacyboxtrust.org.uk Thank you in anticipation of your support.

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