

Retirement of our Headmaster

Greetings from the Prince of Peace School, Mvumi Makulu, Central Tanzania.

We are thankful for the extraordinary progress of the school since its opening in 2011. It is now the leading Primary School in Chamwino District, and one of the leading schools in the Dodoma



Region of Tanzania. This is a significant achievement for a village based school.



Much credit is due to our Headmaster, Caleb Dobogo. He has guided the school through these formative years.

Preparation for the project commenced in 2010. The

official Registration of a school, an exacting process, was completed in 2013. Caleb possessed the patience and perseverance of bring this to completion. The school is the pride of Chamwino District.



Sadly, Caleb has decided it is time to retire from this position. He understands that he has fulfilled the task of placing the school on an excellent academic foundation. The financial situation of the school is also steadily increasing. Academic excellence has encouraged many parents to strongly support the progress of their children.



The Graduation of our initial Standard VII class was a milestone for the school. Here he is addressing the gathering of Visitors, Staff, Students and Parents at the Graduation Ceremony. The achievement of this class led to the presentation of an award plaque, received from the School District.

This is Caleb's second retirement. He retired for a position in a Government Primary School to undertake the task of guiding the formation of the Prince of Peace School.



These graduating Standard VII students have led the way and have set the goal for all succeeding students. This translates into *'Do your Best at all times'*. That is the goal of all education at the school. There is no entrance test. There is much encouragement along the way. Beatrice Christopher, standing in the centre of the adult line, is the incoming Headmistress. Beatrice has been a most effective Deputy Head, generous with her time, particularly in providing extra tuition during the holiday breaks.

The school is operated through the Amani Development Organization. I am the registered Manager of the School. However, it is people such as Caleb and Beatrice, plus a dedicated Staff, who deserve all credit for the success of the school.

Caleb has laboured on a salary considerable lower than that offered in Government Schools, and certainly most private schools. We are non-profit. Our teaching staff has selected Prince of Peace as their preferred place of employment.

*I invite our many friends to contribute towards a **'Retirement Gift'**, recognizing Caleb's selfless contribution to the progress of the school. He was the first person appointed to the staff and has earned a peaceful and secure retirement. Caleb will continue to assist me in the conduct of worship on Sundays. He is a kindly and dedicated Christian man who encourages us all.*

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