

4<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you know for the last ten years or so, we have had close links with the Osiligi Obaya School and the Maasai community in Kenya. Over the years we have been fortunate to be visited by their touring shows and we have been consistently raising money for them, including sponsoring Patience and Joseph, and raising money to build a teacher's house. Additionally, the school's pink uniform was originally modelled on our pink uniform – some of which was donated from **Bournemouth**.



2025 brings some major changes to the entire project including that the charity and school are changing their name, their colours and broadening their services. See attached document for full details, but in summary - they are moving to a new site, building a new school and increasing the range of opportunities they offer to the children and adults in the Maasai community that they serve.



A lot of work to be done before the grand opening in January 2026, but all extremely exciting.

We are keen to continue to sponsor Patience and Joseph (who we hope will transfer to the new school site), and we are keen to help fund some developmental aspects of the new school too. More on that soon.

Furthermore, to mark these developments, the Kenyan Charity has asked us at TBA to be involved in designing a new school uniform for the children attending the school – Mrs Plunkett is on the case with House Reps.

Finally, we are planning a Livelink Call to Kenya on Comic Relief Day – Friday 21st March (like last year).

Huge thanks for your ongoing support of our friends in Kenya.

Best wishes

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