



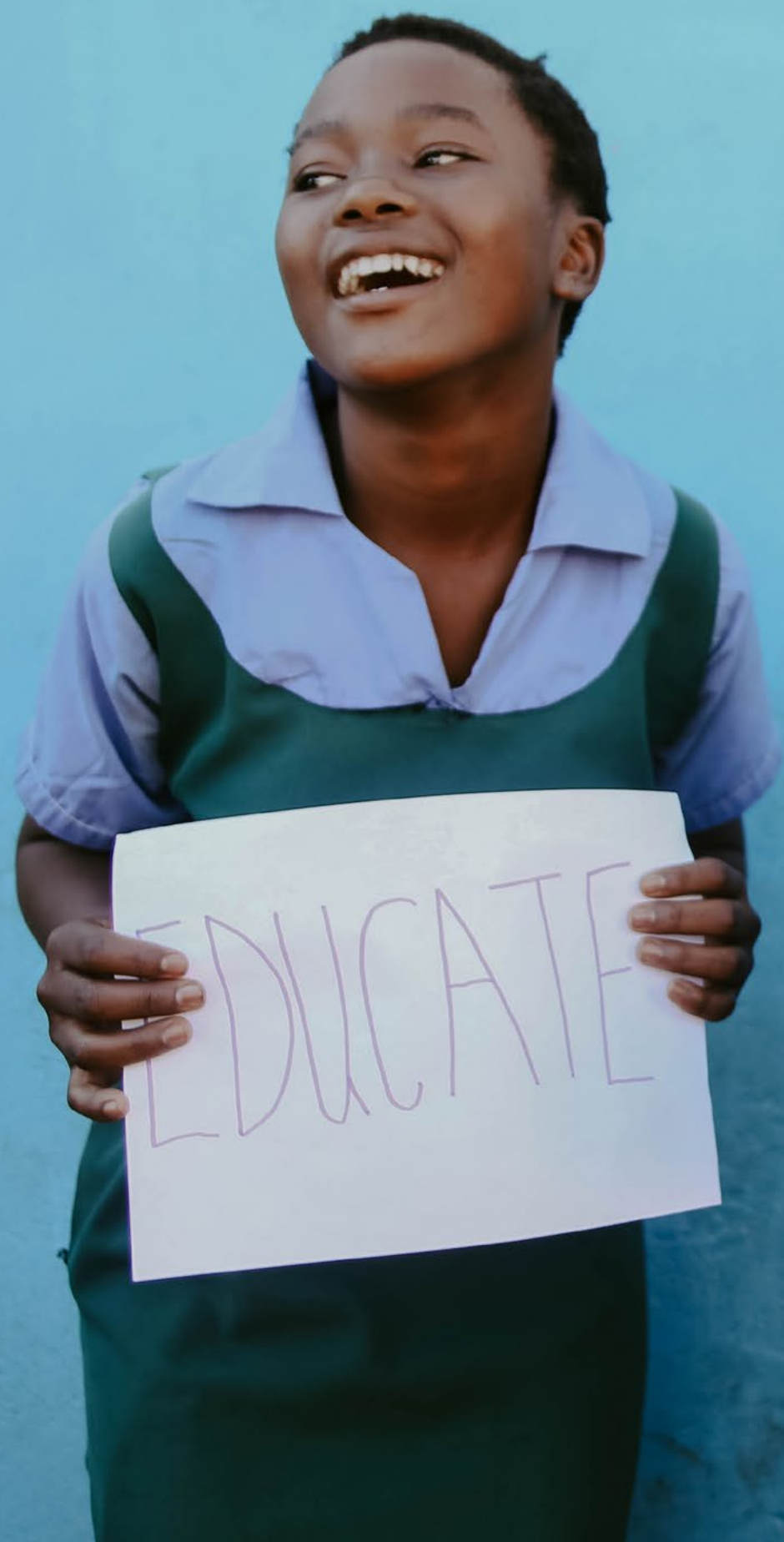
AFRICAN IMPACT
FOUNDATION



Twenty Eighteen

Annual Report

2018



Message from the Director



Michelle Procter

Dear Friends,

10 years ago, the African Impact Foundation was just getting started. Originating in Livingstone, Zambia, we sponsored a few children to go to school and some local projects to start our journey. It was full of heart and started by African Impact to see if we could make an even bigger impact through funds.

Our 10-year journey has been an amazing collaboration between community partners, volunteers, our teams on the ground, interns, and a small office team in Cape Town supporting it all and continuously finding ways to grow our impact in both community development and conservation. I feel great pride that we have grown into an organization that has supported over 35 projects in 12 locations over 10 years and are always learning and developing to ensure our funds are making even more impact. It has not always been plain sailing, but the tough times have led us to where we are now.

The last two years have led to a significant shift in leadership, development, and partnership. Our board of trustees has grown and offers multi-perspective steering and guidance for sustainability and governance. Strong, long term programs are improving circumstances for many people across Africa. Our partnership with African Impact demonstrates how social enterprise and not for profit organizations can work together to make lives better for people every day.

I love this journey I'm part of and the stories of children and adults we work with who have taken opportunities to reach bigger dreams and create better futures, and communities who care more about the environment and wildlife around them. I am so excited to see what the next 10 years bring. Thank you to everyone who has played a part in our journey along the way. Many people have been so passionate, generous and full of heart and we would not be able to make the impact we do without you.

Through Community Partnerships we focus on:

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Education
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Health
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Empowerment
- 
Gender Equality
- 
Conservation



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A special thanks to the teams on the ground

African Impact Foundation works side by side with our sister organization, African Impact. In return, African Impact supply all the dedicated volunteers, interns, and staff on site to allow for continuous, year-round implementation and sustainability of the projects. The project teams work with full passion, dedication, and love to serve the volunteers, communities, and implementation of the Foundation projects. A genuine impact would not be possible without these teams.

We cannot thank our project teams enough for putting the communities first, sharing commitment for development, and welcoming over 2,000 international volunteers every year. Your hard work does not go unnoticed and the Foundation is so privileged to work with you daily. The Foundation cannot wait to celebrate 10 more years with you and continue to grow our impact across Africa.



10 years of impact

Last year, African Impact Foundation proudly celebrated 10 years serving in East and Southern Africa. We had the opportunity to celebrate all of the projects, communities, people, and staff who allowed us to achieve significant impact across our five main pillars: Education, Empowerment, Health and Nutrition, Conservation, and Gender Equality. We reflected on clinics being built, sending 20 teachers through three phases of a Rural Teacher Development Program to be certified teachers, 10 classrooms being built or renovated, over 300 children sponsored a free, quality education in our Sponsor a Child program, launching our gender equality program called The Girl Impact, providing 250,000 seedballs to combat soil erosion, and so much more!

We wrapped up the year with our 10 Year Fundraising campaign which not only celebrated all that has been accomplished over those 10 years, but also set a new solid foundation for the next 10 years. We had an exciting goal of raising \$10,000 to support our projects on the ground. Throughout the month of November, the Foundation, African Impact, volunteers, staff, and supporters all took a stand for one of our five focuses. People from all around the world took their stance by pledging to continue supporting their cause and fighting for development in Africa.

Wrapping up the year and celebration, we ended up surpassing our \$10,000 for 10 years goal and fundraised over \$30,000 for our initiatives across East and Southern Africa.

We want to thank every single supporter, donor, volunteer, intern, staff member, community member, and partner for making our past 10 years so special. The Foundation is eager to continue working with every single person to celebrate an additional 10 years and continue to expand our impact and reach across Africa.



United Nations Sustainable Goals



We are aligned to work alongside the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals, which gives us a guide on how and where to improve.

Impact: Education

136

students received a free, quality education in the Sponsor a Child Program



£47 024

raised for Education



120

new students received two new classrooms

- In Livingstone, Zambia, we completed fundraising for the construction of two classrooms and one teacher's lounge, which will educate 120 additional students a year and decrease the teacher to student ratio by 20%. The buildings will be completed in 2019.
- More than a quarter of a million children in Zambia are not enrolled in school. Our Sponsor a Child program provides opportunities and allows children to further their education by sponsoring their school fees, uniforms, stationary, text books, and making a contribution to their school. In 2018, we provided 136 students with a free, quality education in primary, junior, secondary, and even tertiary and university levels.
- In Cape Town, South Africa, extracurricular activities are not provided by schools, making it extremely difficult for students to explore outside of their townships and surrounding communities. The Foundation sent over 90 students and 12 grannies on two extracurricular field trips to discover and learn more about their South African history and environment, which provides more context to what they learn in school.
- 30% of the population in Kenya, over 21 million people, still use unsanitary shared latrines. At Bethel Academy in Kenya, there was only 1 toilet between 190 children and teachers. We provided two new bathrooms, one of which is disability friendly, to improve hygiene and sanitation at the school.

By funding the building of educational facilities like classrooms, providing books and learning materials, and giving people a safe, weatherproof place in which to learn, we aim to improve the literacy level of both children and adults and foster an environment that encourages learning.



Impact: Empowerment

100

students taught
English in our Jambiani
Educational Center in Zanzibar

£17 732

raised for Empowerment

270

students participated in
street sports
competitions

- In Zanzibar, only 3.9% of the population have access to higher education. Jambiani Educational Center has taught over 100 adult students English with the aim of students graduating and gaining employment. Wanting to further increase their likelihood of employability, we added a computer center to our learning center.
- In South Africa, the unemployment rate for youth under the age of 25 is 67%. Farmers of the Future in Greater Kruger aims at giving youth the skills to sustain themselves and families through farming and developing their own business. 6 students went through the Farmers of the Future program in 2018.
- In Cape Town, South Africa, Physical Education in schools is not part of the curriculum and is inaccessible for under-resourced schools. With our partner, Sporting Chance, we hosted two inter-school competitions and one huge 7-week sports tournament which brought together three communities, 270 students, and 30 coaches to participate in netball, soccer and cricket. These events created community spirit, built confidence, and encouraged children to support each other.
- In Moshi, Tanzania, elderly people are often forgotten about or do not receive proper housing or health care. African Impact Foundation renovated 17 rooms and the common area to provide a safe and updated home to the residents of Langoni Old People's Home.

Through meeting with local leaders and community groups, who identify the needs of their communities, we are able to assist with programs that move entire communities forward and uplift individuals, while creating a culture of empowerment and self-development. To do so, we focus on skills training, income generation, healthcare improvement, and educational enrichment.



Impact: Gender Equality

500

re-usable sanitary
wear kits were handed
out in Livingstone

£18 846

raised for
Gender Equality

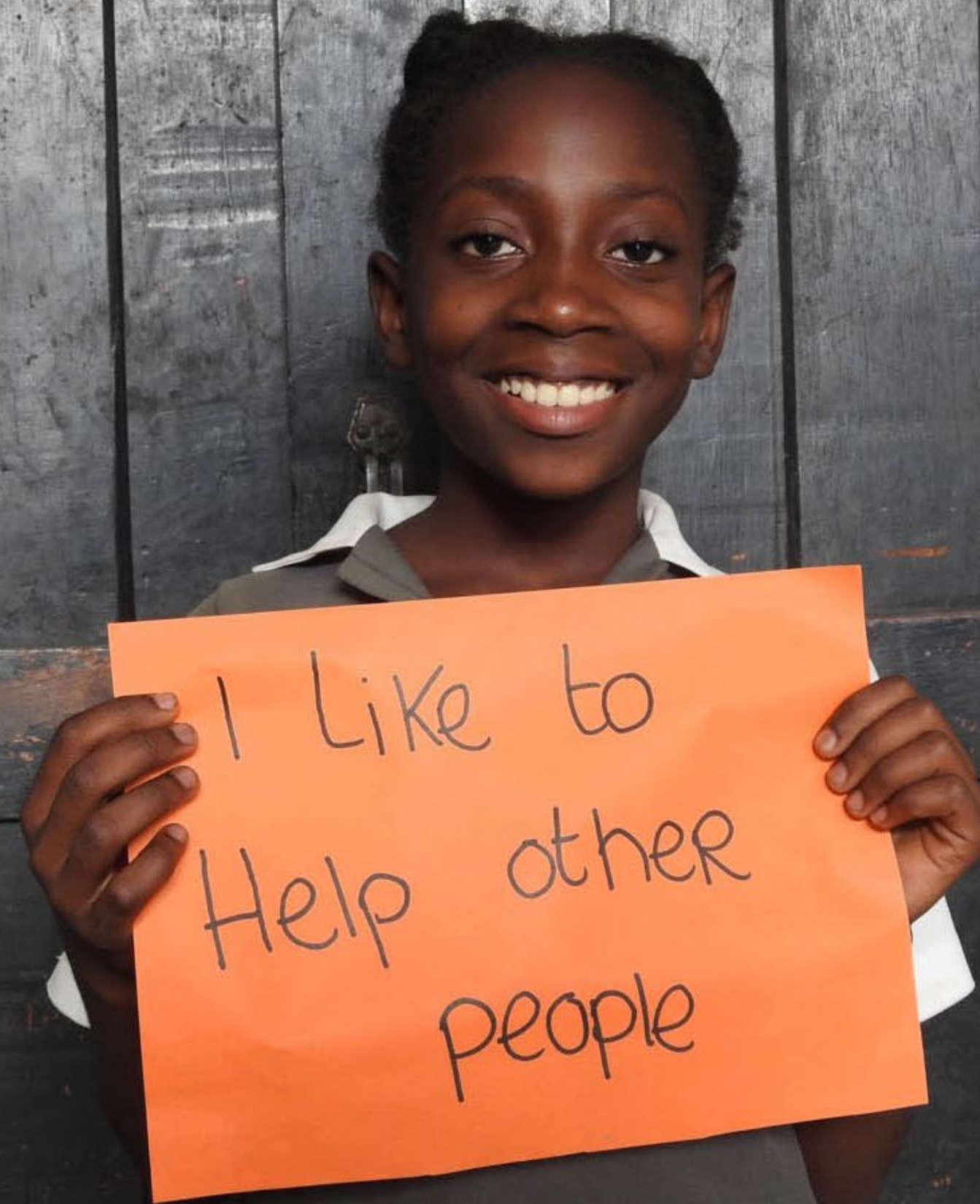
250

books donated to
improve education
pillar

- The first Girl Impact Girls Group in Livingstone which was launched in 2015, graduated from The Girl Impact program and started the first ever Leadership Program to become mentors for other girls in the school and community.
- A new, structured Girls and Boys group launched in Cape Town, where the 250 donated books contributed towards the mobile library and establishment of a reading club to improve literacy scores.
- In Moshi, Tanzania, the Foundation sent 13 women, Wakipa Women's group, through an event and business management training course with the aim to start their own business. The women started their own Events Company, hosted 5 events, and purchased resources such as a tent, chairs, pots, pans, and utensils. They also rent out these materials as an additional source of income and continue to sell their handmade products.
- In Livingstone, Zambia, Girl Impact sessions were previously hosted under a mango tree, so the Foundation fundraised to purchase land and build a Community Center. This centre will provide a safe, conducive learning environment and allow us to extend our current impact to more participants and offer additional workshops and support.

The Girl Impact is a collaborative project between African Impact, a world leading volunteer organization, and African Impact Foundation, an NGO based in nine locations across East and Southern Africa. Our goal is to support and educate young girls to help them make better informed decisions as they move towards womanhood, provide educational workshops, and encourage income generating activities. Furthermore, we look past just girls and women and empower boys and men to join and encourage the movement towards gender equality.





I Like to
Help other
people

Impact: Health & Nutrition

220

nursery students improved dental health and hygiene

£3 403

raised for Health and Nutrition

13

home gardens were started to improve nutrition for medical patients

- In Jambiani, Zanzibar, 220 preschool children are provided porridge every morning, new toothbrushes and toothpaste to practice dental hygiene, and soap to practice hand-washing in order to increase their nutrition, health, and dental hygiene routines.
- In Moshi, Tanzania, the country does not provide monetary support towards physical health improvements for the elderly, making it impossible to improve their health. However, African Impact Foundation established a Physiotherapy Program at Langoni Old People's Home to create individualized and specialized physiotherapy plans to increase the residents' mobility and overall health.
- Limuru General Hospital in Limuru, Kenya, delivers multiple babies daily, however, the leading cause of death for these babies was jaundice, a condition that can be treated easily with the right equipment. The Foundation fundraised for a phototherapy machine to combat jaundice and increase the newborn survival rate. In 2019, we expect to see an increase in the survival rate.

Many areas in Africa are in dire need of health facilities. We work in partnership with local health departments in order to improve or build new hospitals and clinics so that adults and children have access to better quality healthcare.



Impact: Conservation

250,000

seedballs were distributed
in Mara, Kenya to combat
soil erosion

£5 317

raised for
conservation

4

certified ethical boat
drivers in Zanzibar


- At Chimfunshi Sanctuary in Northern Zambia, four chimpanzees, known as the Escape Artists, are kept in a small, old enclosure that limits them to only certain activities. African Impact Foundation fundraised for two solar panels, which will contribute towards the enclosure expansion, so the Escape Artists have a larger, more conducive space to live in.
- Four donated camera traps in the Greater Kruger captured thousands of pictures which allowed the team to continue leopard research and monitor the effect on their habitats.
- In Zanzibar, Tanzania, 50 students regularly attended weekly Conservation Club workshops to learn more about how people and their communities negatively and positively affect their surrounding land and water. Additionally, the Foundation sent these students on three fun extracurricular trips to provide further learning and context to what they were taught in the classroom.

The research we conduct is used to aid conservation, effect tourism regulations to benefit wildlife, or provide information for ongoing research.

The African Impact Foundation works towards reducing the negative impact of humans on conservation through:

- Environment protection through research and action
- Conservation education and inspiration
- Species protection through research, action, and monitoring
- Improving animals lives in sanctuaries and assisting with release programs





"Growth is never by mere chance; it is the
result of forces working together."

James Cash Penney

Justina's story

Growing up, how many times did you complain about having to go to school? In the Western world, education is often taken for granted and sometimes seen as a chore.

Elsewhere in the world, to receive an education – even a basic one – is a right that some children have to fight for. One such student is Justina, who lives in a rural village in Livingstone, Zambia. As the youngest child and only daughter in a family of seven, it was always going to be a struggle to afford to send her to secondary school.

Justina's family has faced their own challenges, both past and present. Money and food are often scarce, and Justina's four brothers must all work to help support the family. However, Justina was determined to make a better life for herself. Through the African Impact Foundation's Sponsor a Child program, she received sponsorship from Sam Peisch and ZAMFUND.

Sponsorship has enabled Justina to attend and thrive at secondary school, with teachers regarding her as a "disciplined and hardworking person, in spite of her living in such a challenging environment."

The Foundation's Sponsor a Child program has successfully facilitated the education of over 300 vulnerable students in Livingstone by removing the financial barriers to attending school with the support of sponsors from around the world.

But Justina's story does not end here. Earlier this year, she was accepted into the highly competitive Yale Young African Scholars program (YYAS), a summer course held in Ghana for high-achieving African students.

Justina's acceptance into the program is testament to her academic ability and commitment to her studies. The opportunity was made possible not only through her sponsorship, but also her own personal drive to succeed and achieve her goals. Having overcome so many obstacles at such a young age, Justina has already started looking towards her future – she dreams of attending university and studying medicine to become a doctor, or perhaps turning her mind to business.

African Impact Foundation's, Ronel Stevens, who supported Justina through the application process, commented: "As a chosen participant, Justina represents an extraordinary group of young women from across the African continent. She is a huge inspiration to her family, her community, and women across the world."

Thank you

African Impact Foundation would not be able to remain sustainable without your extremely generous donations, whether big or small. We would like to extend a very warm thank you to each and every donor who made 2018 such a successful year. We would also like to thank:

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Financials

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Total 2018	Total 2017
	£	£	£	£
Income from:				
Donations	21,613	104,129	125,742	114,689
* Auctions	47,393		47,393	
Fundraising	2,107		2,107	2,357
General Income	860		860	
Total income:	71,974	104,129	176,103	117,046
Expenditure on:				
Raising funds	3,900		3,900	918
* Auctions	33,241		33,241	
Charitable activities	27,793	56,866	84,659	102,811
Total resources expended:	64,934	56,866	121,800	103,729
Net income for the year/ Net movement in funds	7,040	47,263	54,303	13,317
Fund balances at 1 January 2018	608	29,608	30,216	16,899
Fund balances at 31 December 2018	7,648	76,871	84,519	30,216

* Auction prizes have a reserve which is the auction expenditure and is paid from auction income.

The net income is £14,153

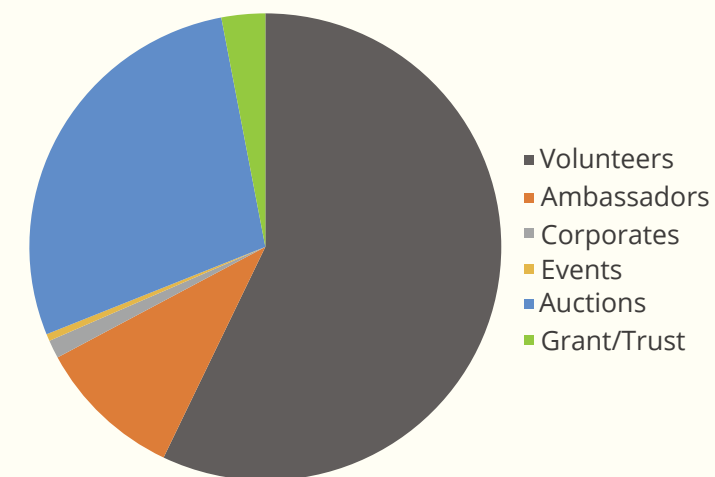
The statement of financial activities includes all gains and losses recognised in the year.

All income and expenditure derive from continuing activities.

The statement of financial activities also complies with the requirements for an income and expenditure account under the UK Companies Act 2006

Financials: Income

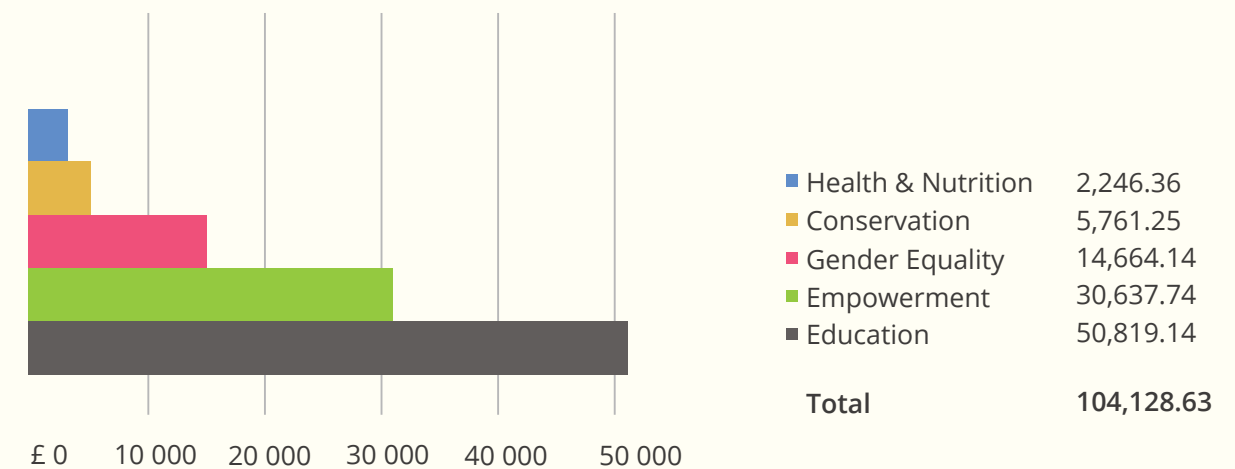
INCOME SOURCE



Our amazing and generous African Impact volunteers and ambassadors continue to be a great source of our donations. When they experience our projects and connect with our beneficiaries they begin to understand the immediate and ongoing impact they could make, thus resulting in donations after their time with us.

It's important we grow our general funds too, so we can support, build strong governance and share the impact and stories from all our programs.

INCOME FOR EACH IMPACT AREA



Education is so important in all the communities we work with and also desperately in need of assistance. To develop in empowerment and a better future for girls, education is our biggest area of investment for now - the need is big!

Get Involved

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To make a donation, please visit our website at www.africanimpactfoundation.org/donate

Volunteer:

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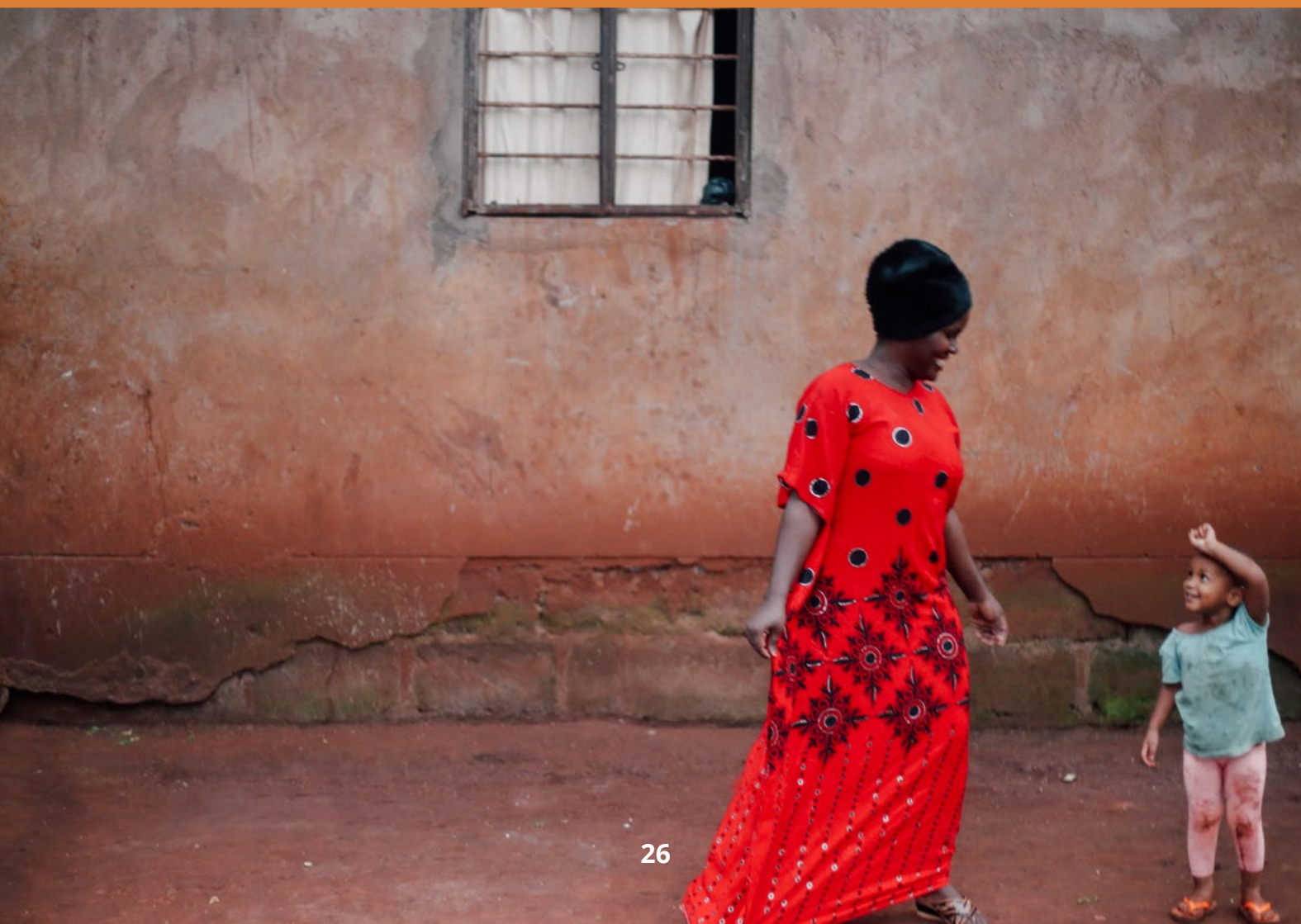
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"What counts in life is not the mere fact that we have lived. It is what difference we have made to the lives of others that will determine the significance of the life we lead."

Nelson Mandela





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