



Ryan's Well Launches Holiday Campaign Bringing Clean Water and Better Health to 2,974 People in West Africa

November 13, 2012 (KEMPTVILLE ON) – In one of the poorest schools in Lomé, Togo, children in pink gingham uniforms cook in a make-believe kitchen, take books from a play library and shop at a “store”. Learning life skills is part of the curriculum at Awatame nursery school. But when it’s time to go to the bathroom, these tots scamper outside and squat in the dirt.

This school has no latrine. There’s no well or proper handwashing station, either.



The Ryan’s Well Foundation announces its 2012 Holiday Campaign, bringing clean water, sanitation and hygiene to three schools in Togo, including the Awatame nursery school.

With funds raised, a well will be drilled, yard taps installed, and latrines and handwashing stations built at each school. Children and teachers at all three schools will also receive lessons in sanitation and hygiene.

Every day, 4,000 children around the world die from preventable diseases associated with inadequate sanitation, poor hygiene, and unsafe water.

The Ryan’s Well 2012 Holiday Campaign offers an opportunity to make a real difference. Donors are encouraged to give a meaningful gift in the name of family and friends this holiday season... a gift that will put 2,974 children and teachers on a path of better health and brighter futures.

Visit www.ryanswell.ca to learn more.

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About Ryan’s Well Foundation: The Ryan’s Well Foundation grew out of the commitment of six-year-old Ryan Hreljac, who learned of the great need for safe water in developing countries. The Ryan's Well Foundation is a family of people committed to delivering access to safe water and sanitation as an essential way to improve the lives of people in the developing world. We empower citizens of all ages to take action and effect change in the world.

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