



Childlife Newsletter – Shelter Rebuild Progress Report

In the two months since the violent storm that destroyed the Shelter on the 24th of May 2005, things have been very active for Childlife.

We have been working with many different friends and organizations, both local and international, to build the new and improved Childlife Shelter. The children, separated into smaller groups, have been sleeping safely in emergency shelters both within and outside of Childlife during the construction.



Thanks to the help of the Sankong Community and the Maesai District Office the new Shelters are nearly fully completed.





Volunteers from the Maesai District Office removing the old building.



The kids on holiday break love joining in on the work.



Volunteers from the Sankong Community and the Maesai District Office breaking for lunch.



The girls have recently moved into their new sleeping quarters, which are structurally complete, yet are still waiting to have windows and doors to be installed. However construction can't continue any further as Childlife has run out of finances to purchase more building materials.



The shelter currently has just 9 new bunk beds for the children, but needs just over 40 to sleep the 85 boys and girls whose only home is Childlife.



The new kitchen and eating area is also near completion, however like the sleeping quarters, they are in need of more funds to continue the work.



The new Shelter isn't finished yet but with continued support we can get there. It's amazing how much has been already achieved in just two months. We'd like to say a huge Thank You to everyone who has been involved and who is making this possible.

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