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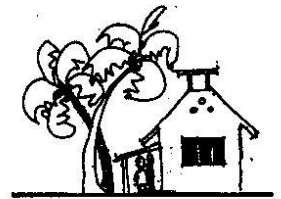
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**END OF YEAR NEWSLETTER 2017  
(and once a year fundraising letter)**

It has been a very productive year for Schools3. Kudos to all of you who made it possible with your generosity.

A preschool classroom was finished and furnished in the Marco Antonio Hernández kindergarten in the community of San Rafael, Nacaome, Valle, located in the dry corridor of Honduras.



This quote from the Save the Children Honduras report (our partner for this project) acknowledges the villagers dedication and commitment. "...particularly recognizes the participation of mothers in the local management of the construction process of this educational center, in which they demonstrated a great deal of commitment and responsibility in each and every one of the activities carried out to achieve the objective."



A school in the village of Bourakala, Mali was completed in January. This is a community of approximately 1,500 people. The nearest school for the 108 students is a 9 km walk from the village. Sidiki Issa Diakite is 13 years old and in the 6th grade. His favorite subject is reading. He wants to be a teacher.

N'grefiana, Mali is a community of approximately 1,068 people with 80 students. Shown in the photograph is one of their three temporary classrooms that we will replace with one of our schools.



Ramata Toure a 10 year old 4th grader who lives in Kokouna-Bilaba, Mali, a community of approximately 650 people. The nearest school is an 11 km walk for Ramata and her 45 classmates. Ramata's favorite subject is math. She wants to be a doctor.

A new school in Malawi has just been funded. We don't have specific information about the village yet but we'll keep you informed.

None of this would have happened without your generous donations. This year end newsletter represents the one and only time we ask you to think of Schools3 in your annual giving.

Happy Holidays.



Ann Keeble  
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Student cutting the ribbon for the opening of the new school in Nacaome, San Rafael, Honduras