



Big Dreams Come to Life

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These kids have big dreams, and together we're helping their dreams come to life. The school district's second middle school welcomed all three grades (7th, 8th, and 9th) for the first time this year! Generous support from donors also enabled an increase to teacher salaries, a critical need due to sky-high inflation.



Kids love their new middle school in Palma



As 2024 comes to an end, we're reflecting on the significant progress made on La Gonâve through your generous support. US partners supply the funding for salaries and materiel and medication. The Haitian partners work with these funds to serve their communities. Together, La Gonâve Haiti Partners care for and empower their communities by improving healthcare, education, economic development, and infrastructure-against all odds!

Our Annual Fund is the cornerstone of this mission, enabling life-changing impact in the 11 communities we partner with. From mobile goat clinics in hard-to-reach villages to education equipping the next generation, to accessible clean water, every dollar you contribute fuels hope and resilience.



Dr. Charius Lazar and a healthy mother-to-be

Mobile clinics that focus on prenatal care are Dr. Lazar's passion. As the medical director of a staff of 50, he leads by example. His team works tirelessly to bring care to remote communities. Medika Mamba finally arrived despite the treacherous journey by boat to the island, allowing the Bill Rice Community Health Network to continue treating malnourished infants and toddlers.



60 cases of Medika Mamba arrived safely



2000 children receive lunch at school each day

In the midst of Haiti's agony, US and Haitian partners are brainstorming with plans to establish a satellite program for St. Trinité music school and expand the Professional Center trade school, add two goat parks, and someday develop a satellite university campus on La Gonâve.

La Gonâvans know that to decrease dependency on mainland Haiti, we must innovate.

This is a critical time for La Gonâve. Your contributions ensure that this island and its people continue to not just survive, but thrive. We've set a 2024 Annual Fund goal of \$75,000 to build on our amazing progress. Could you make a gift this year? Our Haitian partners have big dreams -- you can be a part of making them reality! Please visit the 'donate' button below.