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Dear friends and members of Yaoui e.V.,

it is a long time since the last Newsletter from Yaoui e.V., so now we have new information from Yaoui in Benin.

Visit to Benin

Hans-Peter visited Benin in May 2008 and handed over our financial support for the year 2008. He brought some pictures from Yaoui he made on his trip. You will find some of these pictures at the end of this newsletter.

But he also brought some news from Yaoui. Since February 2008 the government of Benin has canceled the school fees definitely. The 700 €, we are spending every year have been intended to decrease the school fees for the local families in order to enable access to education for more children, especially for more girls.

This has been a great success, because the school gets only few resources compared to the amount of children going to school. Especially the portion of girls has grown significantly. Because of so many children going to school now, the school now has problems to get enough teachers. So the state sent soldiers who attended a three weeks Crash Course to help out as teachers.

Meanwhile the school in Yaoui gets an excellent reputation far beyond the town of Yaoui. The consequence for the school is now, that children from the whole area are coming to the school.

So the people in Yaoui have started to build a new school building for the many new pupils. Hans-Peter wanted to visit the new building, but the persons in charge hesitated to show something not finished to the visitor from Europe and promised to show him the then

finished building at his next visit. For that reason we have no pictures of the new building.

It is intended, that in future our 700 € will be used for infrastructure projects in the school of Yaoui (toilettes, school equipment, school buildings, etc.)

Pictures from Yaoui, May 2008



The Entrance to the school

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5. KINGNIEY D. Eusse	38	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970
6. CHARFARA A. Joseph	38	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970
7. AGAN D. Youssef	38	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970
8. ZINSOU Genevieve	38	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970	1970

The work schedule for the teachers



Pupils dancing for the welcome reception of Hans-Peter



Hans-Peter during the celebration of the handover. On his right the headmaster of the school.



Celebrating the handover. In the background you can see the school.

*„Omnium rerum principia parva sunt“
The beginnings of all things are small
(Cicero)*

For the board

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