



**2009**

*INSPIRE!africa Activities, Events and Successes in 2009*

## **PARTNERS AND PROJECTS**

### **SURF (Survivors Fund)**

#### **Ntarama Community Centre and Medical Clinic**

- Vocational training programs have started in the centre and further programming will be initiated once a detailed plan is finalized and further staff hired.

#### **INSPIRE!africa**

- Supporting the stocking of the medical clinic through the purchase of medical equipment and supplies.

#### **Cyangugu Medical Clinic**

- Introduced the project at the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Fundraiser, fundraising began and delivery of funds to begin in early 2011

### **Solace Ministries**

#### **Livestock for Widows**

- 4 more cows and 230 more goats purchased by INSPIRE!africa

#### **Learning Centre**

- Addition of a classroom
- Another full-time local teacher has been hired.
- Classes provided for 100 genocide orphans, up from 40.

#### **Rwanda Multi Learning Centre (RMLC)**

- 4 full time teachers
- 70 students in 2010, with a capacity to expand in 2011 sessions

## **Student Sponsorships**

- All 6 students successfully completed their first year of studies and their sponsorship will continue

## **Fundraising Activities**

### **3th Annual Fundraiser**

November 19, 2009 Webster Galleries, we raised \$65,000

## **Other Activities and Events**

- Calgary Justice Film Festival screening of *The Greatest Silence: Rape in the Congo*
- Margaret McQuiston led discussion on women's issues in Rwanda and the Congo

### **Speaker Series**

- Olds High School - Diversity Conference
- Muriel Clayton School, Airdrie
- Springbank Middle School
- Calgary Academy
- Whitney Public School, Toronto

### **Festival Booths**

- FigTree Foundation screening of "What are we Doing Here" at U of C Rosza Centre Marda Loop Justice Film Festival weekend

### **Administrative Activities**

- *Welcomed Student Sponsorship Coordinator, Carol Daw*
- *Welcomed Volunteer Liaison and Coordinator, Heather Christie*

**Total Revenues \$83,249.10**

**Disbursed: \$91,409.80**