



GLOBAL IMMERSION
ULTIMATE LEADERSHIP JOURNEYS

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The bearer of this letter is a participant on Global Immersion's extraordinary 21 day journey to East Africa departing Brisbane on Dec 3rd, 2015. During their Tanzanian encounter they will ...

- Serve the beautiful students from the remarkable 'School of St Jude' with teaching and sports coaching lessons.
- They will meet their sponsor child, teach them to read and even visit their home and meet the family.
- They will live with the Maasai, a remarkable experience inspired by staff and parents of 'The School of St Jude'.
- They will teach in three state primary schools. Their lesson is 'FUN with a LEADERSHIP MESSAGE'.
- They will join over 70 other young Aussies, to deliver the only Primary School Athletics Carnival in Tanzania.
- They will trek to the 'Roof of Africa' – KILIMANJARO, over 6 incredible days with the students of St Judes.
- They will enjoy an awesome Safari to two of Tanzania's best parks, but only after receiving a comprehensive wildlife education by the senior students of St Judes.

This is an incredible adventure built over 17 years by the 'Global Immersion' team ... www.globalimmersion.com.au

As part of their registration, **it is an expectation of each participant to raise at least \$1000 so that they can sponsor a Tanzanian child through the remarkable 'The School of St Jude', which is registered as an Australian charity under the name East African Fund Incorporated.** Established by St Jude Founder, Gemma Sisia in 1999, EAF was founded so that 'The School of St Jude' would have a solid legal foundation in Australia to support her incredible vision in Tanzania. EAF is registered in NSW and was granted full tax deductibility by the Australian Government effective July 1st, 2014.

You may know of Gemma from the ABC's 'Australian Story', who have featured her story twice. Gemma's students are plucked from obscurity and are amongst the poorest of the poor in Tanzania. They are tested for their reading and mathematics skills, and if intelligent enough win a place at 'The School of St Judes', where they receive a free education from Year 1 through to the completion of a University degree. She is turning those who never expected to be educated into highly qualified professionals, hence her motto ... 'Fighting Poverty through Education'.

So far, 42 Tanzanian children have been sponsored through St Judes with Global Immersion as the catalyst between student and sponsor. With your help we hope to sponsor yet another child, who without you would never receive a single Maths or Science lesson.

We from 'Global Immersion' would be very grateful if you could support the request of our participant through facilities, resources, or donation, as we suspect that your kind offering will help them assist the noble mission of 'The School of St Jude', and our goal to sponsor 100 children. Our request is legitimate. Our objective is admirable and I can assure you of the most charitable and generous intentions.

Monies offered can be given direct to the bearer or sent direct to East Africa Fund Inc. NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK account: BSB : 085-458 Account : 58-776-3903

Should you require any further information, please call me on 07 3269 9118. I would be happy to support you with whatever detail you require. Thanking you, most sincerely for your generous support

Bernie Kelly



The School of St Jude
FIGHTING POVERTY THROUGH EDUCATION

Meet Mahija!

Mahija told us that her favourite subjects are "Chemistry and Biology" because "I want to be a doctor."

And she would like to become...
"A doctor—I want to help people who don't have money for treatment."

East African Fund

A link in the chain connecting your support to St Jude's

The East African Fund Incorporated (EAF) represents the Australian support base of The School of St Jude. Established by Gemma Sisia in 1999, EAF was founded so that The School of St Jude would have a solid legal foundation in Australia to support the work in Tanzania. EAF is registered in New South Wales and was granted full tax deductibility by the Australian Government effective July 1st, 2014.

Vision

For The School of St Jude to be a fully developed and sustainable school community, working to alleviate poverty through education and therefore breaking the cycle of dependency on external aid.

Mission

To embrace and support The School of St Jude in its mission, working in partnership to ensure its long-term sustainability through guidance, monitoring and capacity building.

EAF keeps costs to a minimum such that more than 98 cents in every dollar collected from supporters goes direct to the school. Through EAF, Australian based supporters provide over ninety per cent of all funds donated to support the school.

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Hey Jude ... Bernie will make it better

SANDGATE business operator Bernie Kelly has set an ambitious task of raising \$400,000 for a new dormitory at the School of St Jude in Tanzania, operated by Australian woman Gemma Sisia. Mr Kelly said he hoped to raise the money via his youth training organisation Ylead by the end of this year.

Mrs Sisia was in Brisbane last week to attend several fundraising events with Mr Kelly and she said Ylead's efforts were "fantastic".

"Because of the numbers at the school, we need to build three new boarding houses each year but last (year) we only built two so this year we need to build four boarding houses," Mrs Sisia said.

"This is so needed by the children, who come to the school from poor families."

Mr Kelly said Ylead organised a movie night and corporate dinner last month, with more fundraising activities set to take place throughout the year.

COMMITTED: Gemma Sisia from the School of St Jude, and Ylead's Bernie Kelly.



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Prior to 2015, Global Immersion built St Jude's a \$ 250,000 State of the Art Science Block pictured below.

