## SPONSOR VISIT REPORT SP G-0782061 – MRS SCHANZ & HUSBAND MATHIAS SC 156044106 – CHARITY GACERI MUGIIRA

DATE OF VISIT: 3<sup>RD</sup> AUG 2011

ACCOMPANYING VISITOR: JOHN OKANDI – SPONSORSHIP COORDINATOR THARAKA PU

The visitors Mrs Schanz and her husband Mathias arrived in Kenya on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of August 2011.

They stayed at Izaac Walton Inn Embu where they were booked.

They set off for the journey to Tharaka PU in the morning of 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2011. They arrived at Plan offices at about 11.00 hrs. They were received by the acting Program Unit Manager Mohammed Ali who briefed the about Plan Tharaka operations.

After the brief introduction to Tharaka Program Unit staff members, the visitors took off for Karocho where Charity and her family live.



The first stop was at Kariini Primary School where Charity goes to school. The visitors were received at the school by the head teacher,

Paul Maingi, the school management committee and parents.

The visitors were taken round the school and were shown some of the

projects that the school together with Plan had undertaken. The

projects include, construction of ECCD classrooms and provision of tables and chairs for the children, Ventilated improved pit latrines, provision of play and art materials and awareness trainings whereby the school management committee and parents were

beneficiaries.

The visitors had the opportunity to hand over a gift of a water tank that they bought for the school. The water tank will provide safe drinking water to the pupils of this school.



The visitors proceeded to Charity's home where they were welcomed by Charity, family members and the community.

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Kenya/Tharaka. The visitors handed an album to Charity with pictures photographs for the Sponsors family general things about Germany. really appreciated the gift. Other the family received from the visitors



introductions, the families had sharing their families and the living in both countries Germany and

a gift of and and Charity gifts that was



foodstuff, clothes, school materials, candies, balloons etc. The visitors also received gifts of a hat, basket and tray made from the local materials from Charity's family. The visitors appreciated the gifts very much.

It was a very memorable moment for both families, first time. Both families appreciation to each other for each other. They also gratitude to Plan staff for making the visit possible.



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The expressed their wish to visit each other in future. The Sponsors promised to market what Plan is doing in Germany and said they would try to request their friends in Germany to support more needy children from Kenya.

Charity's family bid farewell to the visitors after the nice visit and left the family at about 16.00 hrs. The visitors left Plan offices for their hotel in Embu at about 17.00hrs.

