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Restoring the dignity in agriculture for small scale producers

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KAITE-ZIM e.V. was founded in 2007 in Berlin. It exclusively and directly pursues charitable purposes, namely the promotion of sustainable rural development in Zimbabwe.

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Giving hope for a better future for
orphaned children in Zimbabwe

KAMBUZUMA DROP-IN- CENTRE



About Kambuzuma drop-in-centre

Kambuzuma drop in- centre was founded in 2007 in Harare Zimbabwe. Kambuzuma is one of the poorest high density suburbs of Harare. Right at the center of Kambuzuma, Fairtrade Support Network Zimbabwe through the assistance of KAITE Verein in Germany supports 30 orphans aged 6 to 18. These 30 children live in very poor conditions with extended family or alone as child-headed families. Some of them are already HIV positive and need special care.



The cost of education has become unattainable by the average Zimbabwean as people struggle to find money to pay for the school fees. The failure to pay school fees has led to an increase of delinquency on the children as they have nothing else to occupy their time. This leaves them vulnerable and open to abuse which poses a high risk in this era of increased rates of HIV/AIDS as well as the increased number of teenage pregnancies

As these children live with their extended families who took over their care after the demise of their parents FSNZ conducts a needs assessment for every child in order for them to ensure that they provide for the needs which are unique to each child.

We offer group counselling and psychosocial support. The days at the centre are separated for life skills development. The activities at the centre include, the health day talk, gardening and



nutrition days as well as recreational and skills training days. During the garden days the children learn how to practice or-

ganic farming and the preparation of organic fertilizers.

The highlight of the year for the children is the excursion where they can go and enjoy a holiday out of the city for a few days. For most of these children the only bed they have ever slept on is at one of these excursions.



The objectives of KAMBUZUMA DROP -IN-CENTRE

- Provide access to medication to every orphaned child that is under the FSNZrun programme in Kambuzuma
- Provision of school fees and uniforms and books to those children who are currently in school.
- Provide the children with a drop in centre where they can gain access to HIV/AIDS related information, nutrition and health, learn some life skills such as gardening, basket weaving and sewing as well as to improve the



nutritional status of identified orphans and vulnerable children.

