

# Quarterly Newsletter 1 - 2025

#### **EMPOWERING GENERATIONS & TRANSFORMING LIVES**

As we close this quarter, we are excited to share the incredible progress we have made at RIEKO Organization. Your continued support and dedication have helped us achieve remarkable milestones in improving the lives of children and the elderly in our community.



RIEKO new learning class

Rieko children in their new class

#### **ENHANCING DIGITAL LEARNING**

Thanks to Connect Ubuntu's support, we now have a projector and a printer for our digital classes. This advancement will enrich our learning experiences and broaden access to quality education.



Children enjoying online session

Okampo learning to use laptop

#### SUSTAINABLE FOOD SOLUTIONS

We successfully established over 23 vertical gardens for the elderly, ensuring they have access to fresh, nutritious food while promoting sustainable agricultural practices



A new vertical garden installed together with Echo alchemy team



Home visit at Rosalidah

## ADVOCATING FOR AND ADDRESSING HEALTH AND SAFERTY

For a long time, crossing the river was a major challenge, leading to frequent injuries among both children and the elderly. Sadly, over 12 elderly individuals have suffered fractures in 2024, Through our advocacy efforts, a new bridge is now under construction! This will ensure safe and easy access to essential services for everyone in our community.



RIEKO vegetable/ rice farm operated by Okwash

The new bridge under construction

## **LOOKING AHEAD**

We plan to construct a multi-purpose building that will serve as a cafeteria and, during the. To better serve our growing community, we aim to purchase land and relocate to a new, more suitable area where we can expand our programs and impact more lives.

## Dear Friends,

We are immensely grateful to all our supporters, volunteers, and partners who continue to stand by our side. And you can help by spreading the word by sharing the links below in your network: Your contribution transforms lives! You can make a donation into our organization's account, for details see: https://riekowise.org/donate/

Wishing you ALL the very best for 2024! with warmest regards from Kenya,

the entire Rieko team, Eltrud

You can support Rieko <u>here</u> – THANK YOU!

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