MISSION:

Educating, training and equipping the world for great commission, reminding people of their equal natural rights in sharing the world, supporting them to reveal their potential and achieve their life goals.

Vision:

To educate, train and transform people’s lives by the power of joint efforts.

SLOGAN: Educating a generation to win a generation by;

GIVING A HAND

OUR PHILOSOPHY: Imparting behavioral change by addressing knowledge, skills and attitude gap
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GRABEN JUNIOR ACADEMY GOFA’S MAIN PROJECT

January activities conducted

In January 2018 we happened to get our new home for both Graben Orphanage Foundation Africa-GOFA and the school which we are renting $84 per term and the own is giving us an offer to be the first buyer at a reduced cost of $5000. The number increased from 132 pupils we closed a year 2017 with to 162 currently in 2018.

We decided to conduct a family visit to all our pupils, parents and guardians in January.

We are still with the same staff and due to increased number of pupils we added on more 3 new teachers to improve on service delivery specifically to Nursery section.


New teachers are Mr. Wamala Emmanuel, Namubiru Justine and Nalubega Zaituni.
Entrepreneurial and Leadership training happened in Bundibugyo District in January 14 church leaders under Throne of Grace Internation Ministries.

Financial literacy training was conducted to money mintors Kampala investiment club 8 leadership committee were trained in January.

The income generating activity program is still impactful in our communities where we implement and sub programs like power of leadership and people’s effort to eradicate poverty in Uganda made 42 people to start agri-based businesses and also started to put natural, wasted resources into productive which has resulted into economic gains.

Activities conducted in February

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Follow up activities on Money mintersinvestment club of Kampala members and trying to monitor and evaluating our financial literacy training program on how it has polished the business habits of our participants.

Meet Nakazi Margret a member in Money mintersInvestment Club – Kampala and a resident of Gayaza parish, Kasangati Village, Nangabo Sub County in Wakiso district attended GOFA’s financial literacy training in January 2018 but due to continuous coaching, mentorship and mentor’s life story, Margret used her savings to start up a business.

Tandika Uganda literally means start up Uganda, is one of GOFA’s impressing groups going through people’s effort to eradicate poverty in Uganda program (PEEPU), this group of 50 and is composed of early school leavers, single parents, and graduates most especially female youths.

We are taking them through entrepreneurship, financial literacy and craft making. GOFA provided free training materials to the group, the first craft shoes made on the first training it sparked the starting of the group.

PICTORIALS OF TANDIKA UGANDA GROUP

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What a **good story teller** he is GOFA founder Mr. Graben Paul Luswata changed the life of one of Komo sponsored student a.k.a Pixon Acid (Mwebe Ronald) who used to be isolated, criticized, and undermined by many even by his fellow youths due to his life style. Paul taught Pixon during his primary education at Johnson Nkosi in Primary 6 and seven, this made the bonding so easy that resulted into promising impact.

In January Pixon visited GOFA’s new offices in Kasangalabi Mukono opposite Fizzy soda factory, he was taken through a five hour mentorship and coaching sessions under GOFA’s well designed program named **Power of Leadership (POL).**

PICTORIALS:

**March Conducted activities**

**A mentor or a trainer!!!!!!!**

**Mentorship** would be of a relevant and more impactful if it’s adopted from infantry, at Graben Orphanage Foundation Africa –GOFA we realized that you can spend much while change a grown up youth than **mentoring young children** with fresh brains.

However, for the youths and adults it’s not mentoring or coaching but as per our mission statement, it’s more of reminding them of what to do because some they already has ideas but we just polish them help them to suit for an event.

**GOFA’S FOUNDER IN MENTORSHIP SESSION**
Transforming people’s lives by power of joint efforts

Meet Mwebe Ronalld aka Pixon Acid who was abandoned by even his family members because of his lifestyle. It takes less for a natural mentor to make someone to become productive and useful to not only people he living with but to entire world.

Graben Paul Luswata reached to an extent of starting staying with this youth (Ronald) after being chessed by relatives at home. Later due to continuous coaching is now yet to start his parlour from plaiting dreadrocks. He appreciates Mr. Antoine for sponsoring him during his course.

Mwebe has saved now $42 in just a few period of time, he is testifies that Paul has made him to feel like a child in the world and to have a belonging. One by one makes a bundle says Ronald, one day will be a trainer an employer of others.

RONALD SKILLS

Celebrating women’s day in a style of bycle riding

At GOFA we give a girl child and women a driving seat, not because they are mothers of the world but they are world changers. On 8th/March/2018 is an international cerebrated women’s day, we were honoured
to participate and witness bicycle riding race organized by one of our Financial literacy groups called Money Mintors Investment Club Kampala after their craft making training.

We had fun, laughter and you guys you missed this moment but it was also health activity to their bodies because most of them they take long to exercise physically. Ladies they pretend to be working from home to office from office back home and they have no time for servicing their body.

**April Conducted Activities**

GOFA Founder and Innovations officer were invited to an event by Uganda Christian University research department and faculty of social sciences. It was intercourse sports competition and on this very occasion we got an opportunity to present about GOFA. This presentation yielded fruits of partnering with AIESEC of Uganda Christian University. The partnership agreement is already in our hands and the discussions are going on, only left with our patron (MR. Antoine) to give us his recommendation about the contract.

**PICTURES SHOWING UCU INTERCOUSE COMPETITION**

The power of art at GOFA we realised that if it is embraced well and inserted in our income generating activity program (IGAP). Through our people’s effort to erudicate poverty in Uganda (PEEPU) our coaches puts more emphasis on making local people start with natural resources surrounding them to put them into use. This is shown in pictorials below but we still facing challenges of marketing craft products made by our participants. In the pictures is Jjajja Marriam joined Adult training program and retirement age program and she has a future to live.

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Graben Orphanage Foundation Africa – GOFA we put a *girl child and female youths* as our first choice, this is because in African traditional setting, culture and believes women are undermined, unrated and discriminated. “Get up speak out song by local artist Geosteady” is an opening song used by GOFA coaches during power of leadership program (POL) female sessions. This is to make them feel bold and brave to think positively about their status and not to keep quiet in case of female rights violation.

PICTURES OF GOFA 25 FEMALE YOUTHS UNDER POWER OF LEADERSHIP SESSION

May conducted activities

The GOFA spirit was exercised when the founder had some ample time with street kids and most of them are refugees from Congo migrated due to political instability.

GOFA founder with street kids in Bundibugyo

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GOFA founder at Uganda-Congo boarder and Leadership training going on in Busunga to 130 and more carismatic believers

GOFA was give buildings to start conducting any of our programs in Busunga Sub county Bundibugyo district by Bishop of Carismatic Hannington of south western Uganda region.

We visited Mount Zion School in trying to create a linkage between Graben Junior Academy and Zion in Bundibugyo structures and some of kids. We are preparing a tour taking our GOFA kids visit their fellow pupils and they are to contest in games and sports, music, quiz and debate.

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GOFA ARTISTIC IMPRESSION

This is artistic impression plan we want to construct at our main branch in Mukono.

The fundraising campaign is still going on to buy 2 acres to permanently construct Graben Junior Academy and GOFA offices.

GOFA KIDS IN GENERAL CLEANING

‘Let everyone sweeps infront of his/her house then the whole community will be clean’. Graben Orphanage Foundation Africa – GOFA we do not train young generations in academics only, but instead we tackle all the aspects in life and healthy is one of those that are given the first priority.

Success is for health and live people not sick or dead ones, so GOFA kids are ready to testify for success in future.

We serve by example in community through civic engagement activities like cleaning our compounds. If you want to go first you run alone but if you are to go far, you run as a group, at GOFA we do encourage teamwork.
GOFA ENCOURAGES TEAM WORK

We believe that God gave each and everyone of us reading this impactful story different skills and talent, but if those skills and talents come together for a common goal, the loads will be easier to be rolled to its destiny.

This team work helps our kids to develop a sense of one candle to lighten others, and one by one makes a bundle.

Graben Orphanage Foundation Africa – GOFA we superiotize a girl child and we believe that GOFA kids are going to be the next world’s women frontliners. These kids with one voice can change the entire generation for good.

GOFA ROCK STAR

At Graben Orphanage Foundation Africa – GOFA, when we say that we are after educating, training and mentoring a generation to win a generation, we don’t just say it but we mean it.

Meet a GOFA kid who used to come with her mother during Income Generating Activity Program sessions and from the training she sweet talked the parents with the aim of starting up her own business at 7 years.

PICTORIAL OF GOFA KID STARTED CONFECTIONARY BUSINESS OF PAN CAKES.

Customer Care smile Meet GOFA young entreprenuer

June Conducted Activities

GRABEN ORPHANAGE FOUNDATION AFRICA-GOFA’S SUBMISSION ON KIDDNAPPING AND KILLING IN UGANDA

As any concerned citizen, it’s everyones responsibility to have checks and balances on issues concerns with current affairs of any country. Graben Orphanage foundation Africa –GOFA as a concerned institution, we

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felt it that is a right time to have a submission of rackless killing and kidnapping of children and mothers in the country.

GRABEN ORPHANAGE FOUNDATION AFRICA-GOFA COMMEMORATING THE DAY OF AFRICAN CHILD

16TH June.2018

This day started to be celebrated in Africa in early 1990s after the Organization African Union assembly in remembering a peaceful demonstration of only black African students in Sowetto South Africa when they decided to come out and the said enough is enough to racism.

The black African students were discriminated, bullied, tortured and given hard punishment plus denial of their human rights to speak out in schools by the fellow white students and teachers.

GRABEN ORPHANAGE FOUNDATION AFRICA-GOFA'S HEALTH REPORT

GOFA we started this foundation in 2010 and it was just one man’s ideology but later it was loved and expanded to many people, families, villages communities, nation to continent and with power of digitalization to entire global. This means more people expect more and different challenges to rise up from time to time.

Health is very essential in human life, and to young ones is super priority and dominant, we started with only five kids and now we do have 160 kids meaning the requirements and needs increased as the number Website: www.grabenorphanagefoundationafrica.org
goes up. This comes with its related challenges and health is among them, at Graben Junior Academy apart
from not having our permanent home, we don’t even have enough toilets and urinals. On top of that we
don’t even have a first aid kit or box at our school. This puts the lives of our kids in danger because in case
if an accident occurs, we don’t even have where to start from to protect virus from entering a wound per
say.

Look at Nakatto, she got a wound while playing with her friends and by accident she fell down and blood
started coming out, we had to walk a distance to find a motorcycle to take her to urban center to receive
both first aid and treatment at ago. But we don’t know in between the process of taking her to hospital what
happened to her wound??..................

We call upon all individuals and organizations to support GOFA kids with first aid kits or box for better
health of our kids.

Pictorial of Nakatto with her teacher holding a hand to thinking that is minimizing on blood flow;

GRABEN ORPHANAGE FOUNDATION AFRICA-GOFA’S ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAM

GOFA through it’s adult education program of empowering and supporting our elders from being
descriminated, undermined and cheated, we exercised and stretched our muscles to save Mr. Hubu
Edward’s land from being taken up by a chatholic priest who wanted to use an advantage of Edward being
illiterate, impotent, having no relative and old in age to smargle his land.

Habu is a resident of Kichwa- Kisowera village, Mpoma parish, Nama Sub County in Mukono district of
Uganda. This old man bought this land in 1974 at sh.600/= according to a photocopy of his agreement.

The parish priest reached to an extent of demacating Habu’s land using his position’s influence in
community. This so called man of God (priest) bribed the local leaders and none of them is on Habu’s side.
Habu has no child in the world and is now making 94 years.

GOFA director through his determination and love to help the vulnerable people, he visited an office of
president’s representative who also intervened in to save Edward’s land. Graben Orphanage Foundation
Africa-GOFA it’s our role to be a voice of voiceless.

PICTORIALS OF MR. HABU EDWARD

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GRABEN ORPHANAGE FOUNDATION AAFRICA-GOFA FOLLOW UP STORY

Last year 2017 Graben Orphanage Foundation Africa-GOFA through its education program under Graben Junior Academy, we managed to have five candidates registering to sit for National Primary Leaving Examinations (PLE) and out of five, three pupils sit for their national primary leaving examinations (PLE). The pupils sat were Mitala Julius, Nyanzi Abdul and Ssemakula John, None of the three joined secondary level not because they did not pass well but due to limited resource that can support their education.

Below are the pictorials of Julius Mitala with GOFA founder on the day we signed a motorcycle
NETWORKING AND LINKAGE WITH OUR GOD REIGNS INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY-OGRIA

Graben Orphanage Foundation Africa-GOFA through our campaign of expanding our network and finding credible partners, we leaned on Madam Mary Anderson via facebook page and she was able to connect us with one of Christian international school in Kireka –Kamuli, Kiira municipality in Wakiso District of Uganda.

GOFA directors (Graben Paul Luswata, Lawrence Ssenyonjo and Brain Kasule) visited the home of Our God Reigns International Academy-OGRIA where they held a meeting with the principal of the school Madam Beatrice.

Both parties discussed varrious things concerns partnership but the most important one was principal sharing the Accelerated Christian Education curriculum (ACE) they use at OGRIA. As GOFA directors, we liked an idea and we wish one day to have some of our kids join this international school when we get enough resources.

Beatrice promised GOFA directors to reduce on the fees structures for GOFA kids incase if the number is 5 and beyond. We also loved the way each student using an independent office and are attended on individually on daily basis. Support any GOFA kid to join Accelerated Christian Education Curriculum.

MEET MADAM BEATRICE PRINCIPAL –OGRIA, GRABEN PAUL FOUNDER –GOFA, DIRECTOR INCHARGE OF INNOVATION-GOFA AND CO-FOUNDER –GOFA RESPECTIVELY.

SUPPORT GRABEN ORPHANAGE FOUNDATION AFRICA -GOFA TO GET A PERMANENT HOME

As per our problem statement, it’s now our fourth year when Graben Junior Academy under Graben Orphanage Foundation Africa-GOFA is in existence since 2015, but what is interesting is that we have been operating when renting the premises.

We really need a hand to get our permanent home; right now we are renting structures where we are operating from $83.3 per term which is quiet much for us. We do have 12 teachers and 160 kids all have to be catered for in their general way of living like academically, school uniforms, healthwise and welfare.

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We are renting structures but are not enough for the total population of the school, but our current structures we are operating in now are on market, the owner is selling them and is giving us a chance if we can to sell it to us at a fair price. The place is not big like the 2 acres we prefer to buy but it is quiet good to start from these structures and the owner sales it at $5000 as we fundraise for the bigger land.

This means that if we happen to get small grant we shall utilize it by buying these very structures we are operating in currently but still if we get some big grant we just buy the 2 acre land and we set up our home once.

Pictorials of GOFA fundraising poster;

Pictorials of GOFA structures we are renting;

Pictorials of GOFA kids in classrooms;
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GOFA’S 2018 IMPLEMENTATION PLAN Verses MID 2018 IMPLEMENTATION REPORT

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Graben Orphanage Foundation Africa-GOFA Challenges that needs immediate remides are:

1. Securing land for the organization and school as main project
2. Constructing permanent GOFA homes that is classroom structures
3. School stationary and library
4. School clinic
5. Teachers salary and other employee’s salary
6. Staff and pupil’s meals
7. Staff transport
8. Monitoring and evaluation department
9. Staff quarters
10. School garden.

We are proud of our father Mr. Chiquet Antoine for the support, advise, courage and motivation that has resulted into above results noted for mid year 2018. We are also very certain that with funds or donations from both local and international, individual and organization partners, we believe that we can do better than this. Together lets keep our hands crossed for one cause.