

Writing Our Stories



A Word From Our Office

To our Dearest Readers,

I am excited to share with you the latest updates, achievements and our upcoming events.

We celebrate the remarkable achievements of the young women in our community who continue to defy the odds and show incredible strength in their pursuit of education and personal growth. Motherhood at a young age comes with challenges, but it also brings immense strength and resilience. We are proud to announce that several of our members have successfully completed their secondary school education, a monumental milestone that showcases their unwavering commitment to a bright future.

At BTM CBO we are dedicated to providing the necessary tools and support to help young mothers balance their educational aspirations with the demands of motherhood.

To the teenage mother reading this: You are not alone. You are strong. You are capable. And most importantly, you have a community that believes in you. To our supporters and partners; Thank you for walking this journey with us



Lucas Juma
Executive Administrator

Our Achievements

School Fees Support



We take pride in the little milestones we make. Investing in the education of teenage mothers is not just an act of kindness—it's a strategic

and meaningful step towards breaking cycles of poverty, promoting gender equality, and building stronger communities.

We are happy to report that our girls were kept in school the whole of first term. We paid school fees in time and we are that happy we fulfilled our promise to the girls. We continue to encourage them to be more determined to keep walking towards their dreams.

We believe that education is a fundamental right and a powerful tool for breaking the cycle of poverty. Our objective is to let the society know that every child, whether a girl or a boy, has this fun-



damental right, and therefore no circumstance should create room for discrimination.

Teenage mothers deserve the same opportunity to learn, grow, and build a better future, just like any other student. As part of our ongoing commitment to empowering teenage mothers and fostering sustainable development, we are committed to support young mothers who face economic barriers to accessing quality education.

Our First High School Graduates

We Congratulate you, the trio on completing your secondary school education!!

Mitchele Alpha:

Thank you so much! Completing secondary school, especially while juggling the responsibilities of being a teen mom, is such a huge accomplishment. Your resilience and determination are truly inspiring.



Happy for you Marion!!

Weldone!! Balancing both education and motherhood is not easy, but it shows incredible strength and dedication. You're capable of achieving even more! We are proud of you!!!



Congratulations!! Linda– You’re extraordinary

Your resilience and determination have truly paid off, and you should be incredibly proud of yourself. Navigating the challenges of being a teen mom while staying committed to your studies is no small feat.

Balancing motherhood at a young age is already a tremendous responsibility, but to also carry the role of a family breadwinner speaks volumes about your strength, resilience, and love. You were not just surviving, you were providing, protecting, and paving a way forward for your child and your family. Well done Girl!!!



Half Term Break Home Visits

We visit our beneficiaries as often as we can to be updated of how they are doing. We use these home visits to evaluate their conditions to determine how we can best help them.



These home visits allow our organization to provide personalized and direct support to teen moms that responds to their needs in their own environment. Through this exercise we have been able to build trust, because teen mums have always felt a bit more comfortable to discuss their challenges and needs when they're at home. Home visits have also allowed us to better understand their unique circumstances, struggles, and strengths of each beneficiary.

HOME VISITS IN PICTURES



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*** Singing Vocal Training**

We identified some talented girls and who love singing. We have mobilized them to meet as often as possible to make singing practice. We foresee a music band that would be formed by our talented teen moms. This band, besides tapping and nurturing talents, it may become one of our BTM CBO source of revenue in future. We dream to obtain basic musical instruments for the girls that are already meeting to sing.



On March 3, 2025, we were privileged to host Mrs. Elizabeth Achieng, a professional music teacher and vocal coach who committed to occasionally come and train our girls on vocals. From the one day session Mrs. Achieng had with our girls, she recognized that they have the potential to become good singers. We desire to continue supporting them to the best of our capacity. We hope to start sharing their songs soon on our Youtube Channel. We continue to dream for greater possibilities.

*** Physical support; Purchase of bicycles**

BTM has purchased bicycles to support girls in music under the special aid program. Due to the long distances covered, BTM found it wise to purchase the bicycles for them. The bicycles are very handy. Now the girls can comfortably come for the trainings daily. This initiative aims at empowering the girls through nurturing their singing talents.



The objectives of this initiative include:

- **To foster youth development:** Singing is not only therapeutic but also promotes values that can be applied across all aspects of life.
- **To promote community growth:** By supporting local talent, we are contributing to the overall development of our community, helping to create role models and inspiring others to pursue their dreams.

THE FIRST -TERM SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

- **Guidance and Counseling**



On 26th April, we invited a professional counselor, Madam Dorothy, for a guidance and Counseling Session targeting a section of our teenage mothers. The session provided a supportive space to share, learn, and empower young mothers on their journey forward.

The purpose of this was to provide support, encouragement, and resources necessary for the navigation of challenges to build a brighter future. Madam Dorothy emphasized on the importance of academic planning which allows teenage mothers to create a realistic schedule that considers both school responsibilities and parenting duties.

With clear goals and a structured plan, they can reduce stress and avoid being overwhelmed. Recognizing that teen moms struggle with self-esteem, we believe that ongoing guidance may encourage them to believe in their abilities and embrace their potential, both as young women and as parents.



We thank all who participated and made this event meaningful. The event was indeed a safe space to explore challenges, set goals, and gain valuable insights for a better future for our beneficiaries.

Bonding Activities– FUN

Our recent bonding Activities for our beneficiaries were a great success! The day was filled with fun, connection, and meaningful moments that helped build confidence, trust, and a strong sense of community. Everyone felt growing stronger together!

The fun activities created an environment that was filled with laughter, creativity, and openness. The event and activities provided a joyful break and helped strengthen teen ties. The sessions were focusing on strengthening connections, building confidence, and fostering a sense of community and support among the participants.



In Our calendar...

- 8 th May— Mothers' Day
- 16th May– Marking one years since the official registration of our organization
- 28th May— Menstrual Hygiene Day
- 8 th to 14th June -School Visits
- 10th June– Launching campaign to purchase
- 5 Sewing machines

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