

Thank you for Your Support

We are so thankful for all the support given to the work of Discovery Centre, particularly those who make a regular monthly contribution to the project, through standing orders. Your continued support is very much appreciated and valued.

We are also very thankful for specific support received in the last month which has included:

- * Safety helmets for the challenge course.
- * Approved lifejackets (For use when groups go for boat trips on the Nile and Lake Victoria)
- * Educational equipment to the value of £1000 (We can choose from the company's catalogue what we wish to have. It will also be delivered to Uganda!)
- * Funding to pay for all the external pipe work and building of the septic tank for the Education Centre.
- * School fees for two students for three years.

Double Your Donation !

Last year Adventure Projects Trust, (The name of the Charity which jointly runs Discovery Centre) took part in the Big Give Match Funding Challenge. In total £5000 was donated, which was then matched by a further £5000 from the Big Give. We are doing this again this year !

Our target is £5000, but this has to be pledged by **30 September 2009**

theBigGive.org.uk
helping your donations go further

How to give in this challenge :

- * Go to www.thebiggive.org.uk
- * Click "Find a Charity" button at the top of the page
- * Type in Adventure Projects Trust in "By Keyword"
- * Click on the "More Info" button
- * Click on "Donate on line" and then follow the instructions

Thank you very much

(Please note in this scheme £100 is the minimum donation that qualifies)

Friends of
Discovery Centre, Uganda



Main Building Discovery Centre

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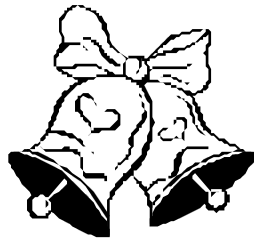
*The newsletter is issued four times a year,
Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter.*

**For many photos and further information
please visit the web site at:**

www.discoverycentres.org.uk

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Eric and Rachel Married !

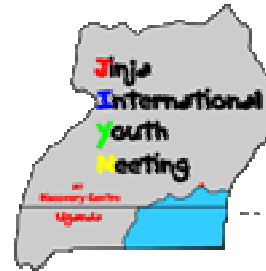


*Eric
and
Rachel*

On Saturday 25th July Eric Mande and Rachel Jenkins were married. Their reception was held at Discovery Centre. It was an amazing sight to see all the arrangements at the Centre, with the canopy tents and the wedding arch through which the newly weds processed. (see above).

Eric has been on the staff of D.C. since December 2005 and Rachel was on the staff during her gap year in 2006. As mentioned in the last newsletter, Rachel expects to be working in a children's home in Jinja.. Eric will be leaving Discovery Centre as he takes up a two year course of Biblical Studies at the YWAM base. We so grateful for the contribution they have made to the success of Discovery Centre - in particular Eric whose cheerful presence and willingness to serve have been exemplary. We wish them a very blessed and happy time in their new life together.

Jinja International Youth Meeting 2009



Preparations for the forthcoming conferences involving sixth-form students from six Northamptonshire and eight Ugandan schools are well under way. As numbers involved have grown from previous years, we decided to run two conferences this year rather than one large one, thus allowing for better interactions. The two conferences which make up the Jinja International Youth Meeting 2009 will be

run over 23rd -26th October and 30th October - 2nd November. Of the Ugandan schools, three come from the Jinja area, two from Iganga, two from Kampala and one from the Ssesse Islands in Lake Victoria . Topics to be discussed by the delegates this year include: Global Citizenship, Sustainable Development, Social Enterprise, Social Justice, Conflict Resolution and Restorative Justice. We look forward to a great time together.



2008 Delegates

Uganda Information Portal



All the linking activities between schools in Uganda and the UK, including the conferences mentioned above, take place under the banner of the Uganda -UK Schools Linking Partnership (U-UKSLP). In order to help develop these links, information concerning Uganda has been put together on the U-UKSLP web site.

Just follow the link to the "Uganda Information Portal on the web site at www.u-ukslp.org