

## Information for Intervention Newsletter

Holiday Edition— 2024 Year in Review

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### FROM THE DESK OF OUR EXECUTIVE PRESIDENT

#### Happy New Year!

It is with thankful hearts that we crossover into 2025 with great anticipation for what is ahead by God's grace.

All glory, honour and thanks be unto Him alone.

#### Activities in 2024

The 2024 Duamenefa Regional Tournament ended with great success as top players were selected to form a team named the Duamenefa 11, who are being trained to travel for

opportunities to show their skills in Europe. We are grateful to God for Gabriel Kwamigah Atokple Tanko for his devotion and support to the vision of Duamenefa.

The vocational school building project is at the roofing level on all buildings.

This is a school for the Trokosi, single parents, and

disabled along with other vulnerable groups.

The membership numbers are reaching the sky as 46,088 members and more to come bring peace, which is permeating the Volta Region. Resolutions to spiritual matters also rose as lives were saved and families reconciled through the power of prayer.

We thank God for your prayers and support

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### Costheta Educational Support Fund

April is a month of celebration as we gather the students, their families and/or pastors together to award the Costheta Educational Support Scholarships to brilliant, but needy students with good Christian character. The one-time support helps university students who find many unexpected expenses in their first year. Dr. David Kotei Nutakor and Duamenefa Foundation want to see the students relieved of some of the financial pressure they might face. Twenty more students were awarded in 2024 making a total of 80 students since the program began in 2020.

A thought-provoking speech was given by one of our top five winners, a visually impaired student. Now studying law at the University of Ghana, Legon, in Accra, Ghana, she encouraged those present to never disregard someone because of a disability.



### Yuletide Blessings!

Duamenefa Foundation reaches out to the sick every year. The Foundation provides food and drink to over 1,200 sick in the following hospitals: **St. Anthony's Hospital, Dzodze; Sacred Heart Hospital, Weme-Abor; Ketu South, Aflao; Akatsi General Hospital, Akatsi; Dagbi Hospital, Akatsi; Keta Municipal Hospital, Keta; Father's Heart International, Tegbi; In My Father's House Children's Village, Abor.** The team also visits two children's homes and is always accompanied by Intercessors of the Land to pray for the sick.



Donations of food and drink for patients, staff and guardians at five hospitals and two children's homes.

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Mr. Emmanuel Ketaman Evortepe and  
Dr. Joseph Attipoe, Atty. (above)  
With Reporters (below)



## TROKOSI RELEASE PROJECT-VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

Rev. Gaston Akoto, one of our intercessors shared his testimony of how he grew up as the son of a Trokosi woman in the shrine and the abuses they suffered. He is now leading the great task of gathering information and negotiating for the release of many Trokosi and their families. The vocational school's completion is vital to these next steps.

On another note: Mr. George Bainborough of the UK heard of our efforts and came to visit Papa Ketaman Evortepe to share in the vision to set captives free. He has a school in which he takes in rescued child slaves to raise them in the love of Christ Jesus. He has offered to open the school for all the Trokosi's children as well. We have eight children of the Trokosi's who are now at the school. A true answer to prayer. [Link to a Trokosi's testimony.](#)



George Bainborough / Rev. Akoto

Seeway Academy

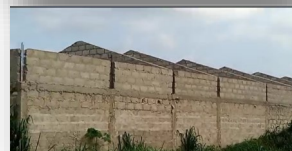


Director's Bungalow (left)

Six large classroom block (right)

Hostel (boarding facility)

(Bottom right and left)



## Swearing in of Community Reporters

Thirty-eight Duamenefa Community Reporters were officially sworn in by our Deputy President and Legal Luminary Dr. Joseph Attipoe, Atty.

The tremendous growth of the Foundation's work, necessitated seeking a better way to serve and develop the communities within our catchment area (about 600 communities).

Community leaders were gathered into an electronic platform to brainstorm the needs, after which they selected a person from their area to be trained as a community reporter for the

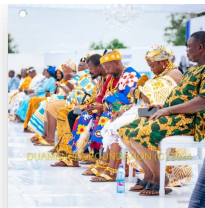
newsworthy stories, challenges and events in and around their communities.

The Reporter Trainees were taken through six months of training and six months of practicals before this notable day. Once qualified they became a community reporter. These were also certified by the Government of Ghana to cover the recent presidential elections in their areas. We thank God that with our ear to the ground, we are seeing great changes in these communities.

## Duamenefa

This year's Duamenefa Regional Tournament was highlighted with new events and activities. With the finale taking place on the 6th and 7th of September, there was much to see.

**Events:** The tournament featured Soccer (38 all-male (under 17 yr.) teams), a marathon (60 participants—43 males and 17 females), volleyball (10 all-male teams), and Tug of Peace, our version of Tug of War with (5 all-female teams). Hundreds of chiefs, dignitaries and other VIPs came to witness the Grand Durbar. Single parents also received 38 sewing machines during the finale given by the Foundation.





## SUPPORT TO KETA MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL CHILDREN'S & MALE WARDS

Dr. David Kotei Nutakor, in honor of his late parents, adopted the children's ward in 2019 doing some major work there.

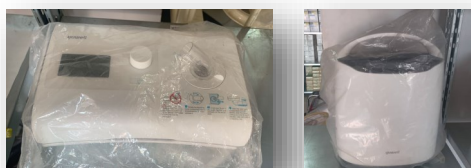
- In December of 2019, he began by donating a 65" plasma TV with satellite hookups for the children. That was followed by a complete painting of the ward inside and out, then curtains were made to brighten up the place.
- In 2021, 20 high-density student mattresses were donated for the parents of children to sleep on when having to stay over, next renovation of a small exam room into a play/learning room for the children.
- In 2022, much needed adult and baby scales and strong plastic chairs to help the nurses do their job well were given to the ward.
- In 2023, a nebulizer, pulse oximeter, fetal doppler, glucose monitoring system, suction machine and an oxygen cylinder with regulator were donated
- The contributions continue and for 2024, five new

wheelchairs were donated and in December, a photo therapy light and a C-PAP machine are to be given to the children's ward.

The Executive President of Duamenefa Foundation, Mr. Emmanuel Ketaman Evortepe, desired to help the Male Ward by first gifting four-32" televisions with satellite hookup to keep the men engaged in the news affairs while healing.

- The hospital recognized the need in this ward to help prevent covid, so three automatic hand dryers, four touchless sanitizer dispensers, 120 hand towels and bottles of sanitizer were delivered during the first quarter of 2021.
- The ward received room dividers, thermometers, stethoscopes and rolling medicine tray tables.
- In 2022, two hospital beds with mattresses were given.
- In 2023, four ceiling fans and an adult scale were given.
- This year the male ward will receive an oxygen concentrator (pictured below).

C-PAP (left)  
Photo therapy (right)  
Oxygen concentrator (below)



## EMPOWERING SINGLE PARENTS

Pastor Adefunke Adeoye of the UK, Country Director of Treasure of His Eyes joined hands with Duamenefa Foundation and has been empowering single parents with Skills Training. So far, over 80 single parents have received sewing machines, irrigation pumps, professional hairdryers and more to help them create a better life for their families.

Skills empowerment training takes place with hundreds attending to learn new skills to help them. We thank God for Pastor Funke.



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