



In early March, SAF embarked on a new project supporting a school in New Amanful- Apowa; a fishing community just outside of Takoradi, adjacent to nearly completed Amandi developments.

Located along the coast, New Amanful is home to the Ebenezer Methodist Preparatory School; wherein 8 teachers instruct more than 280 students in a total of 8 rooms, separated only by modest wooden dividers.

SAF's mission was to provide professional swimming lessons to the older students to not only teach them proper swimming techniques and offer them an extra-curricular activity but to also foster their relationship with water and to provide them with a valuable lifesaving skill. This activity will commence in the 2016-2017 academic year.



Another initiative organized by SAF volunteers is English language instruction. Older students receive private English lessons and are encouraged to serve as mentors for the younger students by passing on their knowledge and skills to them. The students really enjoy the lessons and interacting with one another.

In addition, one of the school's main priorities is to finish the outdoor playground area. Unfortunately, this area is the designated waste site for the entire community. SAF immediately decided to take action and took on the task of creating the school's first outhouse (wooden toilet). SAF will continue to work on cleaning the playground area so that the children can enjoy a clean and waste-free recreational environment.

Thank you to all the SAF staff and to the local volunteers for your dedication and hard work.