

About Ken 'Ya Run

The **Ken 'Ya Run** is a charity event produced by Kenya Connection Kids, Inc. All proceeds from this race will be put towards the construction of a Technical School in Chuka, Kenya. The school will provide the youth of Kenya who are not eligible to attend the University training in carpentry, welding, electrical, seamstress and other trades with the goal of improving the economic situation of Kenya through education.

The funds raised from this event will be used towards the completion of the offices and classrooms.

The Compound

In 2008-2009 KCK reached out in Faith and God answered our prayers with the property that was bought to house the Technical School meet future needs of the KCK programs.



Being built on approximately one acre of land just to the west of the Children's Homes, the Technical School is on its way to reality. Above is an artist's rendition of the compound. As you can see it is an ambitious project for KCK.



The final compound is designed to have the following features:

- Administrative Offices for the director and his staff.
- Class and Conference Rooms
- A Workshop building to initially house three 26 foot by 40 foot workshops. It is designed to have a second floor added in the future.
- The Men's and Women's Exit Houses
- Three additional two story Children's Homes

The priority for KCK is the school and this is the driver for this event. the Exit Houses and the Children's Homes will come later.

The Workshops

In 2013 KCK and the Board of Directors reached out in again in Faith and dug the foundation, dedicating it to God's continuing work through the raising up and training of Orphans.

Since that time KCK has seen God act by providing, in 2007, 2008, 2009, and 2010, donated Industrial strength shop tools for us to ship in donated containers. In addition, donations from local Kenyan individuals, additional USA individuals, as well as some Government agencies have continued to come in.





Today, standing on the west side of the property, amid the banana trees and corn fields, the Workshops are in place.



Administrative Offices

Earlier this year (2016) work started on the offices for the school. Like the workshops, construction began with a prayer. Donations have again made it possible to proceed and good progress has been made.









More is needed to complete these offices and get them furnished.

Class and Conference Rooms

This portion of the school has not yet started. As you can imagine this is a critical aspect of a learning environment. These rooms will be used for instruction in the various topics ranging from business administration and book keeping to mathematics and other subjects needed for a diploma.



These buildings have not begun yet. With your help and the funds raised from this event and future events like this one, these building will be completed and classes can start.

Kenya Connection Kids

Other areas in which Kenya Connection Kids is involved include

- Children's Homes for Orphans
- Funding Education for Children
- Mediation of Tribal Disputes

Please visit our website (<u>www.kenyaconnectionkids.org</u>) for a better understanding of the areas KCK is working in and other ways you can help.