

## **FOUNDATION CHANCE FOR CHILDREN**

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## Helping street-connected children develop their full potential

## Dear Donor,

We have been working with street-connected children in Ghana for 23 years. It remains very important to us to respond to each child individually and to help them develop their full potential and find their own path in life. We have been able to support thousands of children - yet I am always touched and deeply impressed by the diverse individual paths, but also by the strength, resilience, willpower, adaptability and perseverance of many children.

Today I would like to introduce to you two young adults:

**Rebecca:** From life on the street, back to her grandmother - today an intern at the Mövenpick Ambassador Hotel

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At the age of nine, Rebecca came to our Drop-in Center primarily to play, learn and have a meal with the other children. Later she lived in our Hebron Home. During that time, she completed Junior High School - with distinction - and soon after, she was reunited with her grandmother. In October 2021 she graduated from St. Louis Senior High School. CFC got in touch with the Mövenpick Ambassador Hotel in Accra, which has been supporting us for many years. Rebecca is currently doing an internship there and is being supported by our CFC-TVET Agency. Rebecca's dedication, passion and friendliness are greatly appreciated at the Mövenpick Hotel. She is interested in Accounting and wants to continue her career in this direction. Rebecca is a highly motivated, focused and resilient young lady.





**Richard:** From life on the street to our guidedyouth-flat – now training to be a plumber at ASAP Plumbing and Civil Works Ltd.

In 2013 Richard visited the Drop-in Center in Accra. He then lived in our Homes in Hebron for a few years, where he graduated from Junior High School in 2019. With the guidance of our social workers he finally decided to become a plumber. He has been participating in our TVET program since May 2021. Richard studies and works in the company for three weeks a month and for one week he attends our training courses. He learns work relevant subjects like team work, develops self-reflection and social skills as well as values. Richard is currently concentrating on completing his professional training and wants to build up his own company. Later he would like to have a family and train other young people to become great professionals.

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It is very important to us to fully understand and appreciate all the children individually, their strengths and weaknesses, their dreams and fears and their family contexts. Supporting our children on their journey through life to become responsible citizens who make their own decisions requires a big heart, open-mindedness and highest level of professional skills from the entire CFC team: We are determined to help each street-connected child develop his or her full potential.

## Soccer Club "Shooting Stars" and the "Borussia Dortmund Legends" in Hebron

It was a great honor for us to welcome Shooting Stars Ghana and Borussia Dortmund, to Hebron. During the Legends Tour 2022 in Ghana, they visited Hebron on June 9th as part of their CSR activities.



Our kids were thrilled and excited to spend time with the players, playing football but also proudly showing off their other talents! They were so happy and excited!

We would like to thank all team members from Shooting Stars Ghana and the BVB Legends for their trust and support and this fantastic, unforgettable day with us. They made the children aware of how valuable they are and that each of them will definitely succeed in life.

Warm regards,

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