

FRIENDS & FAMILY

Community  Connection



February 3, 2011

Tanzania Team #8 is ready for launch!

Tanzania Team #8 will be flying out of San Diego at 8:30am on Saturday, February 12th. The team will return on Tuesday, March 1st, at 7:00pm. There will be 17 volunteers traveling to the city of Arusha and then traveling by land out to central Tanzania.



During the 2 1/2 week trip the team will be:

- * Installing a playground at the Children's Center in Singida Town.
- * Constructing a mini strip mall for small businesses to rent that will help cover the operational cost of the Children's Center.
- * Ground breaking of a medical clinic with Hadzabe Tribe.
- * Meeting with the Tanzania Prime Minister and Commissioner of Social Welfare to discuss child adoptions.
- * Distributing meals shipped from San Diego (2.7 million) and installing water filter systems.

There have been 106 volunteers from FFCC that have left their mark on the hearts of the people in Tanzania. Thank you, San Diego, for another opportunity to represent you and our county as we bring the much needed resources of building materials, packaged food, water kits, encouragement, and hope.

If you would like to donate financial resources to help meet the trip objectives, you can do so through the [Donate page](#) of our website. Also, if you would like to join the team headed to Tanzania this summer, please email Phil at philffcc@san.rr.com for more information.



23rd Packaging Event Coming Up!

Sign ups for our 23rd food packaging event will begin March 6th. Our goal is to package 500,000 meals at .25 cents per meal (\$125,000).

In addition to your donation of time to help us package

the meals in March, would you also consider a financial donation to help us raise the money to purchase the bulk food ingredients? All we need is 6,250 people donating \$20 each. We've done it in the past and I'm confident we'll do it again. If you remember, last year about this time we raised enough money to do a 1 million meal event.

Twenty-two past food packaging events have produced 600,000 meals for families throughout San Diego, 1 million meals shipped to Haiti, and 2.7 million meals shipped to Tanzania. Great job FFCC Team!!



Water That Saves Lives!

FFCC recently installed over 45 water filtration systems in Haiti, and is planning on installing a similar number of systems in Tanzania in the next few weeks.

The key to this amazingly simple system is a high-tech filter manufactured with the same technology used in kidney dialysis systems. The 0.1 micron filter can eliminate virtually all bacteria and cysts (including cholera) from the water, and filter over one million gallons, about a lifetime's worth of drinking water.

If you or your family would like to purchase one or more of these systems to donate to families in Haiti or Tanzania, FFCC will install them during trips to both countries over the next several months. [Please click here to donate to this special project](#) or make your tax-deductible check out to FFCC and write "clean water" in the memo section. Mail to:

FFCC
12463 Rancho Bernardo Rd., PMB 158
San Diego, CA 92128

You can also purchase the same \$75 filtration system for your own family as part of your emergency preparedness kit. We'll even show you how to set it up and use it!

In This Issue

23rd Packaging Event
Water That Saves Lives!



You make a difference!
Thank you so much for your gifts of time, talent, and financial support!

Quick Links

FFCC Website!

[email](#) FFCC

Upcoming Events at a Glance

| | | |
|--|----------------------|-------------|
| Tanzania Trip # 8 Family Dinner and Send-Off | February 5 | 5:00pm |
| Homeless Outreach (Downtown Salvation Army) | February 7 | 6:00pm |
| Tanzania February Trip #8 | February 12-March 1 | |
| Adult Senior Outreach | February 22 | 9:00am-12pm |
| Food Packaging Event #23 | March 26-27 | |
| Haiti April Trip #6 | April 2-10, 2011 | |
| Haiti April Medical Trip #7 | April 9-16, 2011 | |
| Tanzania Trip #9 | June 20-July 7, 2011 | |
| Haiti Trip #8 | August 12-20, 2011 | |
| Haiti Trip #9 | November 4-12, 2011 | |
| Haiti Trip #10 | January 13-21, 2012 | |
| Tanzania Trip #10 | February 10-27, 2012 | |

Contact Information

FFCC Director
Phil Harris
philfcc@san.rr.com

Friends & Family Community Connection
12463 Rancho Bernardo Road, PMB 158
San Diego, California 92128
858-204-9643,
www.ffccsd.org
Nonprofit 501(c)3, Federal Tax Identification 75-3057954

[Forward email](#)



This email was sent to olsonsbca@mac.com by philfcc@san.rr.com | [Update Profile/Email Address](#) | Instant removal with [SafeUnsubscribe™](#) | [Privacy Policy](#).
FFCC | 12463 Rancho Bernardo Rd | PMB158 | San Diego | CA | 92128