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SAVE THE DATE

GSP Annual Dinner 23 September 2017

Drought in East Africa

A severe drought is affecting East Africa and the people of Kenya are suffering - wells have dried up, streams are slowed to a trickle, animals are dying and crops have failed. Famine is claiming the lives of many people. Two weeks ago it was declared a humanitarian disaster.



Streams and wells dry

This stream (pictured above) normally provides water for 2 GSP schools in Kenya and for the nearby village and businesses. There is just no water and no community reservoir to truck water into for this community.





Walk for water – tanks inspected by GSP

4 water tanks were installed in St Georges Academy and Riamabana Academy both in Nyamira County, Kenya, thanks to funds raised by Drs Mark Naunton and Shane Jackson when walking Kokoda Trail in 2016.

GSP CEO Simon Carroll inspected the tanks in the schools during his visit to Kenya in January 2017.

The tanks have made a world of difference to the students who now have access to water on their school campus.





The drought means no local water

The drought in Kenya is severe and St George's Academy is buying tanker loads of water to fill the tanks. The nearby stream and well are both dry.

Without the new tanks the school, which has over 100 boarders, may have had to close as they could not provide water for the students.

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