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It is time for the HAT Trivia Night!

Do you want to have a wonderful night with family and friends? Join the HAT committee for its annual trivia night fundraiser!

The event will be hosted by **Ian Rawlings of Neighbours and Sons & Daughters fame!**

This year it falls on Father's Day so what better opportunity than to spend a lovely evening with your family. There will be games, great raffle prizes and trivia winning and runners' up prizes! You will also be able to buy yummy food and drinks to get those brains ticking.

Date: Sunday 7th September 2014

Time: 5.30pm arrival, 6pm start

Venue: The Pumphouse Hotel, 128 Nicholson St, Carlton

Entry: \$20 adults, \$10 concession, pay on the night

Form a team or come along and join any of the teams. If you wish to attend, please email Ana at ana.peguero@hat.org.au or simply come along and enjoy the night.

All proceeds will go towards [Matumbo Village - Community Engagement & Marketing of Health Clinic Project](#).

Welcome to our new committee member

The HAT committee is proud to announce the addition of a new committee member, Tessa Saunders, who will act as the new Volunteer Coordinator.

Tessa has worked in program management within the not-for-profit sector for over 7 years. She currently works for the Inner North West Melbourne Medicare Local and is also studying international health at Monash University.

We are thrilled to have Tessa with us and would like to encourage you to contact her at tessa.saunders@hat.org.au if you would like to volunteer for HAT in fundraising events or raising funds by selling chocolate. We are currently looking for an expert in marketing and also an experienced professional to help HAT to achieve its fundraising goals. If you would like to volunteer your experience and skills, please do not hesitate to contact her.

Welcome to the HAT committee Tessa!

Sogeambele Project- External Evaluation

The HAT committee has received the final evaluation report for the Sogeambele Primary School Sanitation Project, which was initiated in partnership with one of our Tanzanian NGO partners, MAMADO. The project took place in 2012 in the community of Sogeambele in Dodoma, Tanzania; and aimed to improve health outcomes for students at Sogeambele Primary School through the construction of latrines, and through improving water supply systems, promoting hygiene and providing health education.

The sanitation project successfully built eight toilets, constructed a shallow well and undertook educational and training activities for both students and teachers on the impact of water related diseases and the importance of having adequate hygiene practises. Community capacity building through educational programs, and also through teaching the community how to operate and maintain the infrastructure, was crucial and it was implemented in order to sustain the improvements.

As part of the project a school health club with 50 pupils was formed to provide a forum for students to learn about health issues.

The report concludes that the infrastructure built as part of the project is being used by the students and surrounding community, the students are grasping the adequate hygiene and sanitation practises and the school health clubs are still operating.

If you wish to read the full evaluation report, please click [here](#).

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