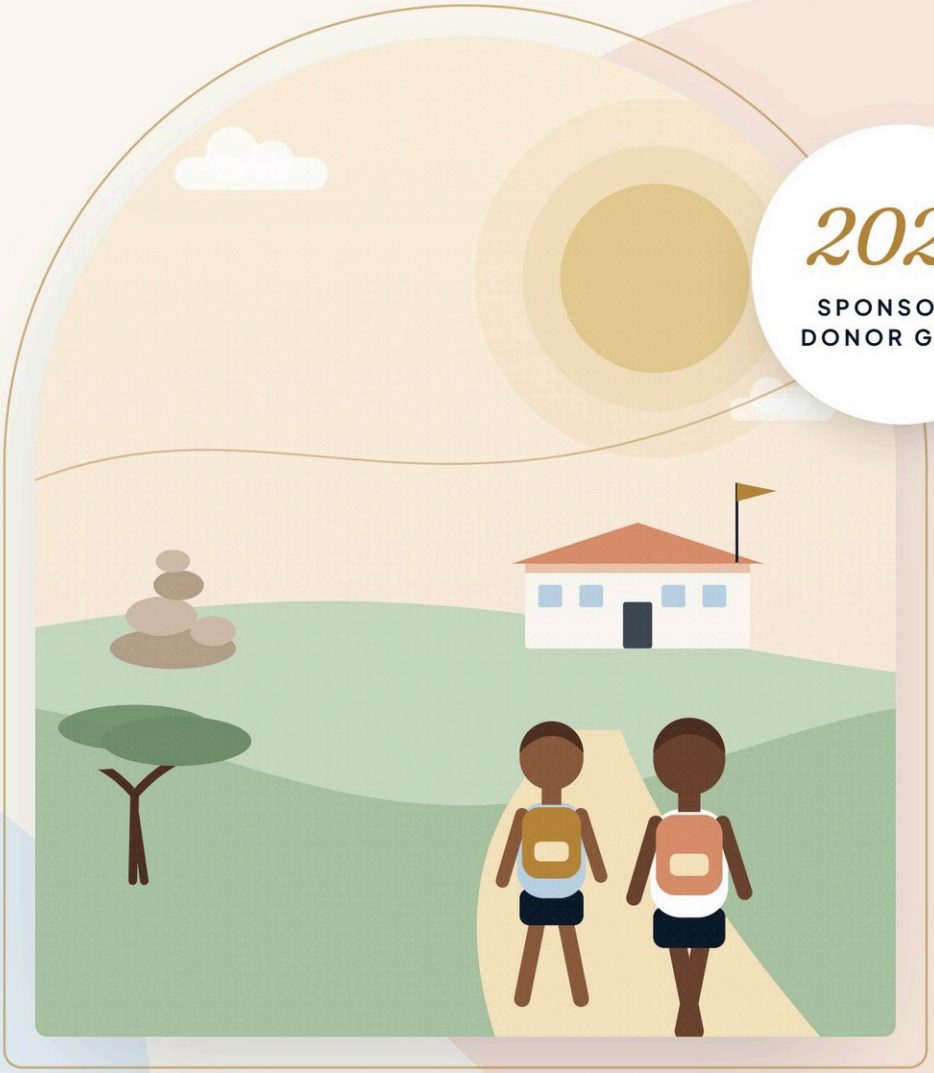
BENETA'S FOUNDATION

EVERY CHILD MATTERS. EVERY FUTURE COUNTS.



2026

SPONSOR & DONOR GUIDE

RURAL ZIMBABWE & HARARE

A legacy of *kindness.* A pathway to *opportunity.*

IN LOVING MEMORY

Mbuya Beneta *Neshena*



As a young bride

Born in Johani, Rusape, one of ten siblings, Mbuya Beneta Neshena (née Maringa) raised seven children with her husband Richard in KwaMunyengwa. A woman of deep Christian faith and quiet humility, she made her home a place of refuge, warmth and belonging.

Neighbours, people experiencing homelessness, people living with mental health challenges and travelling missionaries all found a welcome and a hot meal at her table. She had little, but gave freely. Her children and grandchildren founded Beneta's Foundation to carry that spirit forward.

> **Her table always had room for one more. Through Beneta's Foundation, we hope to make that table a little bigger.**

CHARLES, GRANDSON OF MBUYA BENETA & FOUNDER

WHO WE ARE

A child's circumstances should never decide their *future.*

Beneta's Foundation is a Zimbabwe-based charitable initiative supporting underprivileged primary and secondary school children in rural communities and Harare.

Vision

A Zimbabwe in which a child's circumstances do not determine their access to education, wellbeing or opportunity.

Mission

One child. One family. One objective at a time: remove barriers to learning, protect children's wellbeing and help families build sustainable livelihoods.

Values

Compassion · Dignity · Equity · Child-centred choice · Transparency · Long-term stewardship

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WHAT WE DO

Five connected services. *One plan* for each child.

Education access
Fees, uniform, sports kit, exam fees, lunch, books and support to return to school.

Household essentials
A family grocery parcel every term, plus help in an emergency.

Health & wellbeing
Help with medical costs, referrals and wellbeing follow-up.

Personal development
Sport, arts, clubs and trips, so children can simply be children.

Family enterprise
Small start-up grants and coaching so caregivers can earn.

How support *works*

01

Referral & safety check

From families, schools, clinics or local leaders. Every child's safety is checked first.

02

Family assessment

We listen and agree what is really getting in the way.

03

A 12-month plan

Written, approved by an independent panel and paid directly to schools and suppliers.

04

Regular contact

A named social worker, monthly check-ins and planned renewal.

Our safeguarding promise

- ✓ **Children chosen by need**
- ✓ **Protected privacy**
- ✓ **Open books**
- ✓ **Qualified people**
- ✓ **Independent oversight**
- ✓ **A voice for everyone**

Sponsorship is financial support, never ownership. To protect every child, sponsors receive safeguarded, consent-based updates, never private contact or identifying details.

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YOUR MONEY AT WORK

What it costs to keep *one child* in school.

Every cost, item by item. We pay schools and suppliers directly, term by term.



ITEM	PER TERM	PER YEAR	SHARE
School fees	US$45	US$135	25%
School uniform	US$20	US$60	11%
Tracksuit & sports kit	US$18	US$54	10%
ZIMSEC exam fees (Grade 6 & 7)	US$15	US$45	8%
School lunch	US$15	US$45	8%
Term grocery parcel	US$50	US$150	28%
Books & materials	US$15	US$45	8%
Total for one child	**US$178**	**US$534**	**100%**

Sponsor one child

Covers everything above plus a share of the people and running costs that keep support safe.

US$62.30 a month

US$249.20 a term · US$747.60 a year

The child 71% | Running 29%

£46.50 GBP **R1,041** ZAR **C$86.95** CAD **A$88.52** AUD **€55.81** EUR

Running costs

The people and essentials behind every plan, published in full.

Admin salary	US$100/mo
Social worker trainees	US$75/mo
Travel & fuel	US$50/mo
Subscription fees	US$30/mo
Transfer fees	US$30/mo
Phone, airtime & data	US$20/mo
Accounting, audit & registration	US$25/mo
Insurance	US$15/mo
Safeguarding checks & training	US$10/mo
Stationery, printing & reports	US$10/mo
Payment processing fees	US$15/mo
Contingency fund	US$20/mo
Total	**US$400**/mo

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WHERE WE ARE HEADING

From 10 children to *50.*

We start with 10 children in Year 1 and plan to support 50 by Year 5, growing only as fast as funding and safe caseloads allow, so care is never stretched thin.



Each child has a written 12-month plan and a named social worker. New children join only when funding and safe caseloads allow.

WAYS TO GIVE

Choose how you'd like to *change a story.*

Community giver

US$15 /month

A monthly gift of any size towards schooling, groceries and care, wherever need is greatest.

Education sponsor

US$44.80 /month

Covers one child's school costs: fees, uniform, kit, exams, lunch and books.

MOST IMPACT

Whole-child sponsor

US$62.30 /month

Covers everything for one child, including a family grocery parcel every term.

Corporate partners

Annual sponsorship, payroll giving, matched grants, in-kind support and multi-year commitments.

Outside the UK? Email bf@majco.co.uk.

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THE PEOPLE BEHIND IT

A small team with a *big heart.*

Charles
FOUNDER

Farai
CHIEF FINANCE OFFICER

Jane
ADMIN & SAFEGUARDING LEAD

Munashe
TRUSTEE SECRETARY

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Harare & Rural Zimbabwe

Partnering with us? Email with the subject "Partner with Benetas Foundation".

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