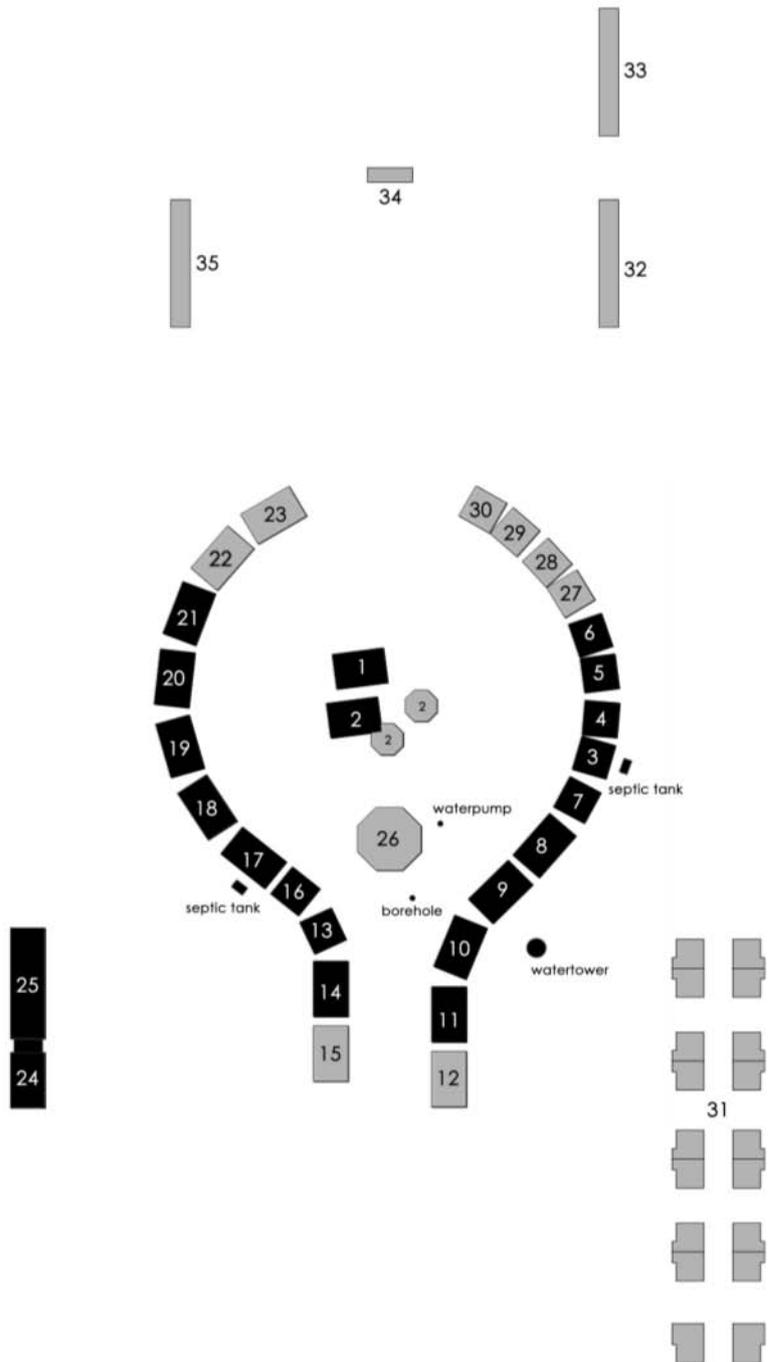




# Report VTC 11<sup>th</sup> of October 2013

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Phase 1

Phase 2

Dear members GKMT,

Following you'll find the monthly report on the activities at the VTC. Please bear in mind that in the last period we had considerable less manpower due to the financial situation. Of the 46 workers we had before only 19 have been working the entire period. At the moment of writing all 46 (including the 6 tubombeshe students) have been called back for duty.

**1 Storage Room.** We have managed to offload the container without a fork lifter (which appeared not to be available anywhere in Mpongwe). Using only manpower and inspired by the old roman way, we made a railway from the container to the workshop using Kayimbi timbers and metal pipes. With a lot of patience and carefulness we succeeded in dragging the generator and all the machines into the workshop with the Prado (↓).



The generator works perfectly, the exhaust has been expanded trough the wall to avoid aircontamination in the workshop. It replaced the small generator we were using before. The old sawtable (very powerfull though, and a big improvement on the one we were using) is allready in use (outside) as well as the sander. The machines have been checked and provided with new plugs and switches bij two members of the group from Zwolle and as soon as the ventilationsystem is running, we'll start using them (↓).



**6 Classroom 4.** Finished the cable box and repaired plastering in and outside. Except for painting this building is finished (↓).



**7 Sanitary Girls.** Finished fixing the bamboo doors at the toilet side (↑). Assembled and fixed the technical hallway door (↓).



**8 Boarding Girls 2.** Assembled and fixed four interior doors on the right side (↑) and finished the cable boxes (↓).



**9 Boarding Girls 1.** Finished thatching front side (↑). Finished interior masonry (↓).



**10 Computerroom.** Assembled and fixed all the window frames (↑).

**13 Administration 1.** Finished ring beam, interior masonry and plastering inside walls (↓).



**14 Administration 2.** Finished ring beam, interior masonry and plastering inside walls (↑).

**17 Boarding Boys 1.** Reinforced foundation for the weight of the interior brick walls (↓).



**18 Boarding boys 2.** Finished digging the foundation hole (↑).

**Veranda.** On the girl's wing, on the front side of the veranda we started with the gutter. This project was financed and started by the Zwolle group who hired back some of our helpers to assist them. Now we finished digging, reinforcing and pouring the concrete floor and the one layer brickwall (↓). At the back we are finished pouring the veranda floor, plastering and digging the gutter hole (↓).



**Other.** In the period when there were no financial means to continue constructing we did stock count and re-piling of timbers, tree chopping as preparation of the agricultural land (and also for firewood to burn bricks) and continued baking bricks (↓).



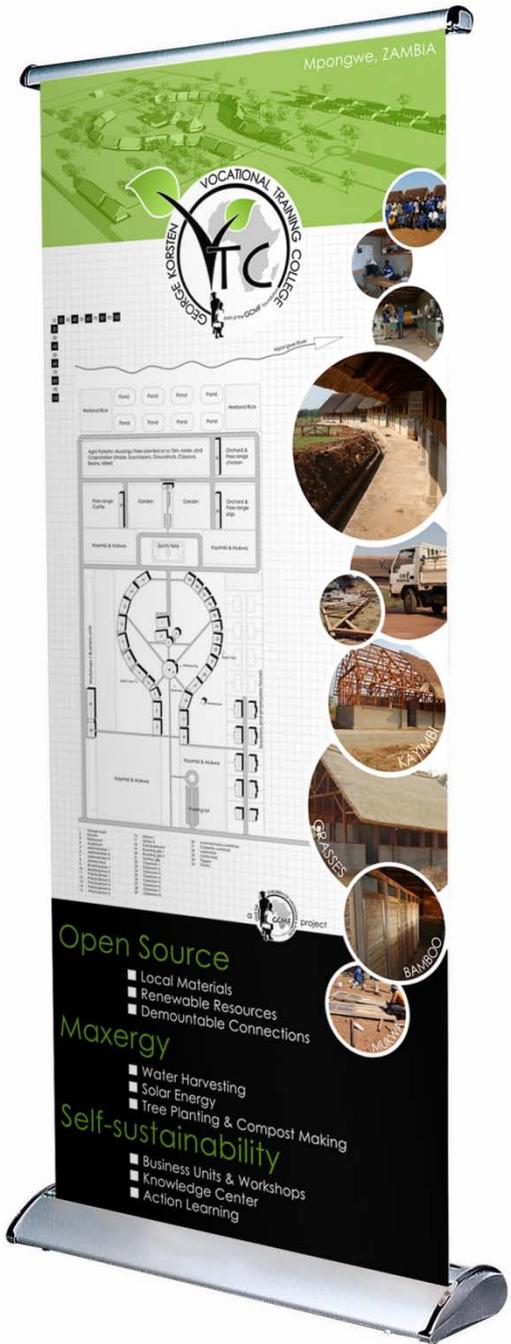
**Building permit.** The working drawings have been approved by the planning office in Ndola. In order to get a building permit the Ministry of Land (also in Ndola) has to assign a plot number. Frida is in charge of this, paid a visit to the ministry several times already, but ones again nothing goes easily.

**Electricity.** A request for a quotation has been sent to EML in Lusaka. The quotation includes dimensioning, drawing, materials and installing the entire electrical circuit for phase one.

**VTC Football team.** After one lost game and about seven draws, our VTC team won their first match last Saturday against Tigers (2-0).



**Drawings.** As requested by the GKMT board I designed a VTC banner for presentation and fundraising purposes.



Kind regards, Bram