



"The Second Monday in November"

World Orphans Day™ **Global Update & Nashville Summit Summary**

With the Flagship event for *World Orphans Day™* being hosted in Nashville, Tennessee, November 11, 2019, numerous collaborations with non profits, governments and partnered agencies around the world brought heightened awareness to the plight of the 140,000,000 orphans in the world and the challenges they face.



DOLLY PARTON WORLD ORPHANS DAY **THEME SONG**

One of the most exciting announcements from *Nashville* to the *Global Orphan Care Community* is that the iconic *Country Music Artist Dolly Parton* is giving a recording to *The Stars Foundation™* to support *World Orphans Day™*.

Dolly in association with *Kent Wells* of *Kent Wells Productions* has recorded the theme song for *World Orphans Day™* called 'Lean on Me'. Proceeds of the song will go to highly selective non-profit organizations that have met the stringent guidelines of our partnering monitoring organizations in the field that will change the lives of orphans and the deprived children in the world.



Dolly Parton Country Music icon with Cheryl R. Piggott, Founder, The Stars Foundation



Arrington

VINEYARDS

During the *Proclamation Ceremony* that was held at *Arrington at the Vineyards*, *Kix Brooks* welcomed delegates and commended their passion and dedication to the cause. *Kix Brooks*, recently inducted into the *Country Music Hall of Fame* with *Ronnie Dunn*, was a major contributor to the event.



Kix Brooks and his "Arrington at the Vineyard" played host to the Proclamation Ceremony & Reception

Shawn Parr, national syndicated radio host for the *Westwood One Radio Networks*, *NASH Nights Live*, emceed the event. We are honored to have *Shawn* as the voice of the *Country Music Cares Campaign* for *The Stars Foundation™*. As a national radio host in 175 USA markets, *Shawn* is committed to help further the awareness of the second Monday in November as *World Orphans Day™* and to petition the *United Nations* to observe the day.



Shawn Parr (Host: NASH Nights Live) - Kix Brooks (Country Artist) - Roger J. Piggott (Iceman Television)



Arrington at the Vineyards Reception & Proclamation Ceremony hosted by Country Artist Kix Brooks

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The *Omni Hotel Nashville* played host to the *World Orphans Day™* Summit recently held in Nashville, Tennessee. Key Note Speaker, *Deputy Prime Minister Themba Masuku, Kingdom of Eswatini*, joined forces with *The Stars Foundation™* and the *World* in calling for a *United Nations* observed *World Orphans Day™* the Second Monday in November annually.



Key Note Speaker, the Honorable Deputy Prime Minister Themba Masuku, Kingdom of Eswatini, set the tone for the 2019 World Orphans Day Summit, Nashville, Tennessee

As the *Honorary Patron of World Orphans Day for Africa*, several global delegates gathered to petition the *United Nations* for *World Orphans Day™*. Included in the summit were; *Cheryl R. Piggott, Founder The Stars Foundation*, *Dr. Hetherwick Ntaba, Presidential Advisor on Domestic Policy for Malawi*, *Dr. Kate Whetten, Duke University*; *Janet McElligott, Office of the President of Sudan* and *Coordinator of the Peace Committee*, *Shawn Parr, Host: NASH Nights Live*, *Ambassador Njabuliso Gwebu of Eswatini*, *Dr. David Nowell, Hope Institute*; *Dr. Hy V. Huynh, Kim Deardorff, NRBTv*, *Jay Paul Deratany "Foster Boy" Hollywood Movie Producer*; *Reverend Margaret Dobson, Dlamini Hlobisile, Undersecretary to the Deputy Prime Minister of Eswatini*, *Joe Morris of the JC Morris Family Foundation* and *Liberian Amos Sawboh of Orphans Concern*. Through video messages, *Motoi Tauchi, Chairman of the UN World Orphans Day™ Promotion Committee, Tokyo, Japan* and *Lord David Alton, Life Peer Member of the UK Parliament* participated in the international summit.



Kingdom of Eswatini Deputy Prime Minister Themba Masuku, Dr. Ntaba, Presidential Advisor on Domestic Policy to the President of Malawi and Ambassador Njabuliso Gwebu of Eswatini sign the United Nations Petition with World Orphans Day™ Founder, Cheryl Robeson Piggott



ESWATINI CALLS FOR TRANSITION HOUSES AND VOCATIONAL TRAINING

The *Eswatini Deputy Prime Minister Themba Masuku* conveyed the need for *Transition Houses* and *Vocational Training* as children transition from being displaced through poverty, AIDS, and homelessness to alternative living situations. Panel discussions moderated by *Janet McElligott, Office of the President of Sudan and Coordinator of the Peace Committee* disclosed mutual concerns among nations in *Africa* and the *Middle East* including *Liberia, Malawi, Eswatini* and *Sudan*.



Summit Moderator: Janet McElligott, Office of the President of Sudan and Coordinator of the Peace Committee

Duke UNIVERSITY QUALITY RESIDENTIAL CARE

Duke University's Dr. Kathryn Whetten, moderated a panel which focused on the data related to *Quality Residential Care* for displaced children and orphans and the emotional impacts of the living conditions for these children. She engaged outstanding panelists, including; *Dr. Hy Huynh, Duke University*, and *Dr. David Nowell, of the Hope Institute*.

Dr. Kathryn Whetten, Duke University, also moderated during a session on *Adoption and Foster Care* with *Whitney & Dave Campbell, Joe Morris, JC Morris Family foundation, Kim Deardorff, NRBTv* and *Janet McElligott Office of the President of Sudan and Coordinator of the Peace Committee*



Moderator Dr. Kathryn Whetten, Duke University, Cheryl R. Piggott, Dr. Ntaba, Presidential Advisor on Domestic Policy to the President of Malawi, Eswatini Deputy Prime Minister Themba Masuku, Dr. Hy Huynh Duke University and Dr. David Nowell, Hope Institute



The American Basketball Association

While activities were strong in Nashville, *Commissioner Joe Newman* of the ABA announced partnership with *World Orphans Day™* in 155 cities in the USA to commemorate the day from this year forward. They are strategically planning a way to carry the *Flame of Peace* throughout the 155 cities and take up donations for the *Orphan Programs* that *The Stars Foundation™* supports in 2020. *General Manager of the Nashville Team, Whitney Coles* and *Charles McDonald, Captain*, joined us at *Arrington at the Vineyard* and at the *Country Music Hall of Fame*.



INTERNATIONAL FLAME of PEACE TOUR

Dr. Ntaba, Presidential Advisor on Domestic Policy to the President of Malawi, invites *The Stars Foundation™* to appear in Malawi with the *Country Music Cares* campaign and the *Flame of Peace Tour*. Additionally, *Dr. Ntaba* will invite the *Malawi Government* and *The Stars Foundation™* to host an *Embassy Reception* in Washington, DC for a *Proclamation Signing of World Orphans Day™* petition to the United Nations.



Dr. Ntaba, Presidential Advisor on Domestic Policy to the President of Malawi & Cheryl R. Piggott

Dr. Ntaba was a special guest speaker during the Summit and spoke on the Plight of Orphan Care in *Malawi*. *Dr. Ntaba* also represented *Malawi*, in a session with *Dr. Kathryn Whetten* on *AIDS Orphans*, and discussed the situation in more detail in *Malawi*.



Dr. Ntaba shakes hands with Dr. David Nowell, of the Hope Institute



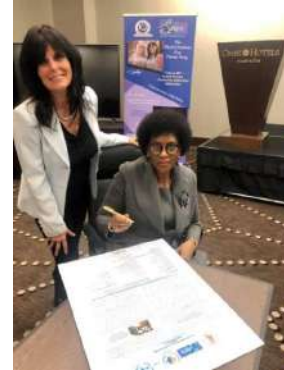
ESWATINI GAINS MOMENTUM on WORLD STAGE

*Eswatini Deputy Prime Minister Themba Masuku, and his wife Dimpo Masuku, who heads up a foundation for building transition houses, are strong advocates for housing the youth leaving foster care who are displaced due to family environments. They are building safe houses or half way houses for the youth and are partnering with *The Stars Foundation™* to increase the number of homes built.*



Eswatini Deputy Prime Minister Themba Masuku, Cheryl R. Piggott and Dimpo Masuku

*Ambassador Gwebu of Eswatini is passionate about helping the orphans in Eswatini and engaged in an interview for the *HEARTS on Fire Television Series*.*



Ambassador Gwebu of Eswatini signs United Nations Proclamation with Cheryl R. Piggott



International Media Capture the Global Messages from Eswatini, Deputy Prime Minister Themba Masuku and Cheryl R. Piggott, Founder, The Stars Foundation

Movie Supports World Orphans Day

It's Tough Being a Foster Kid!

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Jay Paul Deratany is the Writer and Lead Producer of the **Foster Boy** Movie.
Shaquille O'Neal is the Executive Producer of the Movie.

The movie is a perfect fit to take real life into the theater systems around the world to expose the corrupt foster care system with the purpose of opening dialogue and a movement for change.



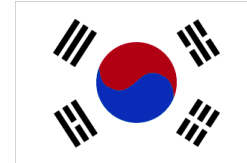
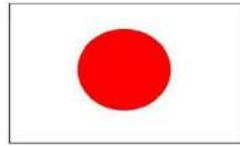
TAKE ACTION NOW

New movie, *Foster Boy*, will be promoting *World Orphans Day™* in its credits and using the *World Orphans Day™* theme song, “*Lean on Me*” as part of its soundtrack.

The nationally acclaimed new movie, written and produced by *Jay Paul Deratany*, and *Executive Produced* by *Shaquille O'Neal*, exposes the truth of a corrupt foster care system in America and challenges us to rethink ways to fix the problems. The story is based up a real life case that *Jay Paul Deratany*, a defense lawyer, tried in defense of a child in the *Foster Care* system. *Jay Paul Deratany* and his associate producer *Curt Smith* were on hand at the Nashville Summit and *V.I.P. Reception* held at the *Arrington at the Vineyards* to rally support for an improved *Foster Care* and *Orphan Care* system, not only here in USA but around the world.



Jay Paul Deratany (Producer), Curt Smith (Associate Producer) with Roger J. Piggott & Cheryl R. Piggott



Japan & Korea

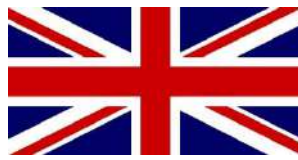
Family of Heart Foundation and the UN World Orphans Day Promotion Committee

Japan and Korea, under leadership of the Social Activist and Executive Director of Family of Hearts Foundation, Motoi Tauchi, is giving his total passion to encourage the United Nations to ratify a resolution to observe the second Monday in November as World Orphans Day™. Motoi Tauchi and The Stars Foundation™ are working together to bring this to fruition by holding a presentation at the United Nations in 2020.

Tauchi has numerous programs supporting Orphans, Widows and Seniors spreading across the two countries, under the Family of Heart Foundation. He and his wife have picked up the torch that his own parents carried for the orphans now into its 90th year of operation. His mother, Chizuko Tauchi better known as “The Mother of Korean Orphans” cared for over 4,000 orphans in her life and now Motoi Tauchi (her son) continues by championing the rights of Orphans in helping get the Second Monday in November observed by the United Nations, as World Orphans Day™.



The Presenter, Mr. & Mrs. Motoi Tauchi, were honored by The Stars Foundation™ with the Heroes of Humanity Award in a ceremony during the Petition Conference held in New York City



UNITED KINGDOM'S LORD DAVID ALTON IGNITES THE UN PETITION

UK PARLIAMENT Life Peer Lord David Alton, one of the leading human rights activists in the world, addressed the delegates at the World Orphans Day™ Summit by video presentation and has prepared a powerful message to be delivered to the United Nations by The Stars Foundation™ in 2020.

For 18 years *David Alton* was a *Member of the House of Commons* and today is an *Independent Crossbench Life Peer*. His motto on his *Coat of Arms* is taken from the Book of Deuteronomy: Choose Life. *Lord Alton* is a widely known human rights activist and engaged on several continents in human rights issues. He also is legendary for supporting *Pro Life* and *Christian* values and has been a key supporter to *The Stars Foundation's™* plight for *Orphans* and *Displaced Children*, acting as the *World Orphans Day, Co-Honorary Chairman* on the global stage.



Lord David Alton Life Peer of the UK Parliament



Canada Joins World Orphans Day Summit Expanding Baby Rescue Program

Ellen Campbell, Honorary Chairwoman of World Orphan Day™ Canada, via Message to the Attendees through Reverend Margaret Dobson, who proclaimed the message of Love, Peace and Hope for Canada.

Her statement of Proclamation champions the rights of the most impoverished, the abandoned babies in *Canada* that are left in unsafe places like trash cans to die, instead of SAFE HAVEN programs as we have here in the USA. Ellen's organization is known for advocating within the government of *Canada* for *Safe Haven* programs to be implemented as in America, and *The Stars Foundation™* has joined *Canadian Centre for Abuse Awareness* for assisting their *Baby Rescue Program*. The *Canadian Centre for Abuse Awareness* is underwriting the costs of the burials for these most heinous acts of murder.



Reverend Dr. Margaret Dobson brings a message of Hope, Peace and Love to the Nashville Summit



Joe Morris, President of the JC Morris Family Foundation, served as a major sponsor at the World Orphan Day™ Summit activities and was a key panelist for Adoption and Foster Care. The mission of the family foundation is to provide scholarship opportunities and support for the post secondary educational pursuits of students in Foster Care. Joe articulated a powerful message and plea on international television for 'Blessed Families & Companies to Step Up to the Plate' to make a difference and become World Changers for Foster Care Children in the United States and the World.



Dr. David Z. Nowell, Hope Institute and Joe Morris, JC Morris Family Foundation panel discuss Post Secondary Education for Foster Care Post Graduate Students in America and abroad. The panel session was moderated by; Dr. Kathryn Whetten, Director of the Center for Health Policy and Inequalities Research part of the Duke Global Health Institute at Duke University, Durham, North Carolina



South Africa calls for World Orphans Day Commemoration by leader of Ministry of Social Development

Minister of Social Development in the Western Cape, Albert Fritz, is commemorating World Orphan Day™ In his speech, he highlights the need for all of society to work Better Together to raise and support orphaned children. An orphan is defined as a child under the age of 18 years whose mother, father or both biological parents have died. In 2015, there were 3.1 million orphans in South Africa. Between 2016 and 2018, 105 babies were abandoned in the Western Cape. Many children are orphaned due to HIV/AIDs and related illnesses.



MEC Albert Fritz



PROCLAMATIONS in AFRICA ARE GAINING MOMENTUM

AMICAALL Chairman calls for Global Recognition of World Orphans Day™

Chairman of AMICAALL, Dr. Benedict Xaba, the organization of mayors and municipal leaders helping with AIDS orphans and AIDS/HIV community care initiatives in 13 countries, is calling for the United Nations to recognize and observe World Orphans Day™. Dr. Benedict Xaba, who serves as the Minister of Health of Eswatini, is a champion of orphans and fights for the betterment of their poor health stemming from inadequate living conditions as orphans.



***Chairman of AMICAALL, and Minister of Health for Eswatini Dr. Benedict Xaba
with Eswatini Deputy Prime Minister Themba Masuku***

Dr. Benedict Xaba was recently appointed Chairman for Africa of World Orphans Day™, through The Stars Foundation™. Through an AMICAALL Alliance with The Stars Foundation™, there are thousands of mayors and municipal leaders in 13 African countries that are under the AMICAALL organization calling for World Orphans Day™ to be recognized by the United Nations on the Second Monday in November.

Initially, the first Proclamation Ceremony attended by an African President was in 2016 with President Museveni in Uganda. The Uganda Chapter of AMICAALL, Country Director James Titus, World Orphans Day™ Uganda Honorary Chairman, led the World Orphans Day™ Proclamation Reading at the AMICAALL annual Mayors Forum in Kampala.



***President Museveni with James Titus at AMICAALL Uganda for Proclamation
and Amos Sawboh with Senator Geraldine Doe Sheriff***



Nigeria on World Orphans Day



The Governor's Wife First Lady Edith Okowa in the Delta State of Nigeria

From the 36 orphanages that were serviced by *First Lady Edith Okowa* in the *Delta State of Nigeria* on *World Orphans Day™*. *Dame Edith Okowa*, has hosted *World Orphans Day™* events in 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019 at the Parliamentary Building, resulting in provisions being made available to 46 orphanages. Her passionate heart is to touch the lives of orphans with food, love and education.

Nigeria is growing in its expansion of events with 16 new orphanages being actively served in *Northern Nigeria* by the loving and exemplary foundation called the *Nisaau Ahlil Jannah Charity Foundation*.



LIBERIA Stands behind the Senator Geraldine Doe Sheriff Foundation

Liberia has been empowered in part by *Orphan Concern* under the direction of *Amos Sawboh* who recently attended the *Nashville World Orphans Day™ Summit* as both a speaker and panelist. The *Senator Geraldine Doe Sheriff Foundation* in *Liberia* also works directly with *The Stars Foundation™* building orphans homes of which *The Stars Foundation™* will be contributing financial aid from the *Dolly Parton Theme Song* and the *Country Music Cares Campaign* to assist with development of several new homes during the 2020-2021 seasons.





Pakistan Takes Leading Role on World Orphans Day

In *Pakistan* over 75 churches are praying and holding vigils for *World Orphans Day™*. Led by our *World Orphans Day™ Board of Regent in Pakistan*, *Pastor Edward Qasar*, is the *Executive Director of the Evangelistic Gospel Ministries of Pakistan*, who oversees widow and orphan programs and gives scholarships to the orphans. He empowers and assists families with food, medicines as well as shelter and education.



India on World Orphans Day

Tara Sansthan has thousands of churches praying for Orphans on *World Orphans Day™*. With 20,000,000 orphans in the country, it is a major pandemic and solutions need to be found. Fortunately, with the blessings of *Dr. Kailash 'Manav' the Founder and Managing Trustee of Narayan SewaSansthan Udaipur*, his daughter *Kalpana Goyal* founded *Tara Sansthan*, with the purpose of service to the suffering poor children of *India*.



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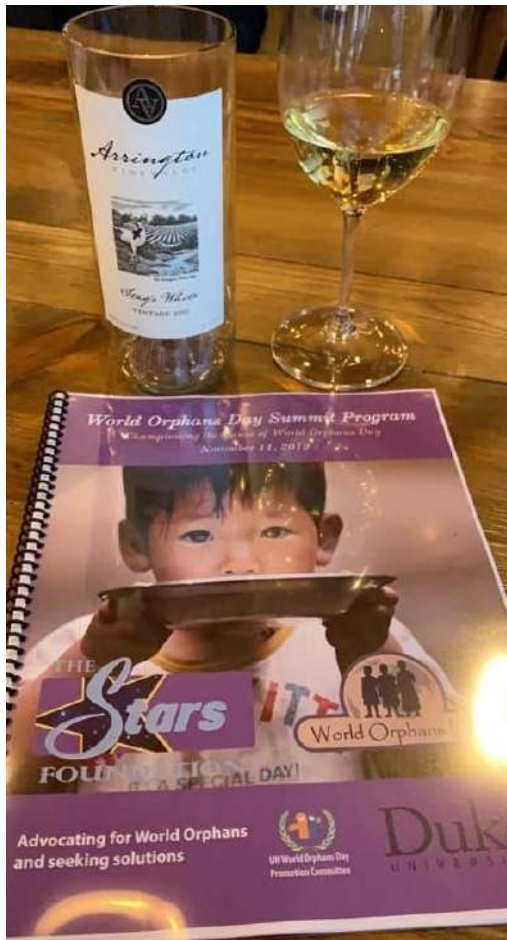
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