

ARIGATOU INTERNATIONAL – NAIROBI AND INTERFAITH INITIATIVE TO END CHILD POVERTY (IIECP) NAIROBI LAUNCH PICTORIAL

The International Day to Eradicate Poverty

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1. CIVIL SOCIETY AND FAITH-BASED ORGANISATIONS' REPRESENTATIVES





2. CHILDREN PARTCIPANTS



Amrik Chana, Irene Matimba and Princess Elsie Ligare.



Osman Said Opoka (L) and Suleyman Deyie, the youngest participants and left, accompanied by Zam Obed, Kibera's Community Mobilizer.

3. WELCOME ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION OF HECP



Dr. Mustafa Ali (L) Director, AI – N & Secretary General, GNRC and Rev. Fred Nyabera (R) Director, IIECP.

4. PARTICIPATION BY CHILDREN





Clockwise from left: A poem presentation by children from Kibera (Princess Elsie Ligare, Irene Matimba, Joel Azango and Nusaib Yusuf Kegode), A child participates in the plenary Q&A session, Zawadi Kuria of Riara School reads Gabriela Mistral's "The Child's Name is Today" and a vote of thanks by Heena Gorasia, from the Shree Cutchi Leva Patel Samaj School.

5. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION



Anthony Njoroge (L), Child Protection Advisor - Plan International Inc. and Rupy Chana, a parent.

6. SPEECHES BY THE REPRESENTATIVES OF DIFFERENT STAKEHOLDERS



Rev. Evans Omollo (L) of the Anglican Church of Kenya representing the Protestant Christian Community and Muljibhai Pindolia, representing the Kenyan Hindu Community.



Jabbal Sutinder (L) representing the Sikh Community and Alhajj Adan Wachu representing the Muslim Community.



Jane Gaithuma (L) Regional Campaigns and Policy Manager, Oxfam HECA GB and Julius Muthoka from the Department of Children Services.



Charles Abugre Akelyira (L) Regional Coordinator, Africa - UN Millennium Campaign and Marcel Rudasingwa, Country Representative - UNICEF Kenya.

7. SYMBOLIC OFFICE OPENING



Mr. Marcel Rudasingwa cuts the ribbon (L) and the special guests 'walk' into the AI – N office.

8. A MEETING OF ALL SPECIAL GUESTS



