



Hope for Haiti Fundraiser

Message from the Mayor

On behalf of my colleagues on Council, I would like to commend FreddyLink on their wonderful 'Kids for Haiti' fundraising initiative.

After visiting the Cobocol Area Development Program in the central plateau of Haiti, I have seen first-hand how our contributions can make a significant impact on the lives of those that live there.

The new Kids for Haiti initiative focuses on donating goats, which are not only an important source of income to Haitian families, but create opportunities to learn new skills, and provide important nourishment for children.

I encourage you to donate to this amazing initiative. Your gift is one that keeps on giving, as new goats are born, and passed back through the program, many new generations will benefit.

Congratulations to Bernie and the whole FreddyLink team on their continued support of the people of Haiti, and showing the world how caring and compassionate our City truly is.



Fredericton Mayor Brad Woodside, with FreddyLink volunteer Julie MacDonald, kicks off the 'Kids for Haiti' fundraiser by donating a goat.

Donate a goat to make a REAL difference in Haiti

Want to make a REAL difference? It's easy to do thanks to a partnership between FreddyLink and World Vision. For just a few dollars, you can provide a family in Haiti with a goat.

This new breed of goats is larger and more productive than the native goats. They are impor-

tant source of nutritious food for children, and through breeding can be an important source of family income. The family not only receives a goat, but also training in animal husbandry, sanitation and business skills to make the most of your gift. And this is a gift that keeps on giving - each family who receives a goat gives one of the first baby goats (called kids) back to the program to benefit another family.

When in Haiti, I heard first-hand from families that received goats just how important they are. One woman had three kids from her goat. She gave one

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back to the program, kept one for breeding, and sold the third for enough money to buy the materials to build a new home.

To donate to this worthy cause, simply go to our website www.Fred-dyLink.com and make a donation through our on-line system. A gift of \$100 will provide one goat to a family in Haiti. You can make a donation for any amount. Tax receipts will be issued for donations of \$15 or more.

We also offer two other ways you can make a difference. You can also support literacy and donate fruit trees.



What a great way to make a real and lasting difference for a family in Haiti.

FreddyLink – The Fredericton-Haiti Community Development Partnership

Linking caring individuals in the community of Fredericton with children and families in need in the central plateau region of Haiti through World Vision. Together we can:

- give the children of Haiti a sense of hope for the future
- help families in Haiti break the cycle of poverty
- help communities in Haiti to become self-sufficient
- respond to the needs of the world's poor and vulnerable through acts of compassion and justice
- enrich the lives and strengthen the sense of community among FreddyLink partners in Fredericton.

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