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IT IS FINALLY HERE



DAVID AND ABUDU PLOUGHING A GARDEN IN MALAWA "B" ZONE.

After a long wait, the rainy season in Papoli village has finally started which is witnessed by the amount of rain which is being received right from last week to date. This has provided the people of this papoli village with seasonal employment and enabled them to keep busy in their gardens as well. Besides the grass and other crops which were withering have greened and the animals especially livestock now have something to feed on.

LET US PLANT MORE TREES



SOME OF THE TREES PLANTED BY PACODEF



**MR EMMAMNUEL OFUMBI —PACODEF EXECUTIVE
DIRECTOR**

During a meeting with the Village based facilitators (VBFs) and other community heads of Papoli village last week, the PACODEF Executive Director Mr. Emmanuel Ofumbi implored upon them to not only plant and sow food crops during this rainy season but to ensure that they plant trees as an alternative income generating activity. He told them that trees require less effort compared to food crops but pay off in the long run. He further stated that society changes positively when older and mature members of the community plant trees whose shade they are even not sure they will enjoy.

YOUTH EMBRACE BRICK LAYING IN PAPOLI VILLAGE



Paul a youth in Papoli village preparing mud for brick making

The youth in Papoli village have embraced brick laying as a means of fighting poverty and improving upon their livelihoods. This has been done in youth groups who work together and share the proceeds from their venture. Last week the community development officer of PACODEF Mr. Oyese David visited the youth in their work station and encouraged them to keep working together to enable them develop much faster.

PLAY TIME AT ROBERT H COOLEY CHILD-WELLNESS CENTRE



DAY CARE CHILDREN IN THE PLAYGROUND AT THE CHILD-WELLNESS CENTRE



DAY CARE CHILDREN IN THE PLAYROOM WATCHING CARTOONS AT THE CHILD-WELLNESS CENTRE

At Robert H Cooley child wellness centre malnutrition is tackled right from the time of identification to medication and to rehabilitation plus socialization. However the real time that children always look forward to is the play time in the play ground where children play on the swing and merry go round to the play room where dolls and toys are distributed to the children. Finally the children are entertained with cartoons and other child educational content on television

NEXT WEEK...

- Nutrition internship training by students from Bukalasa agricultural college at the daycare.
- Provision of sanitary pads to pupils and students in Papoli village
- The programme manager will carry out a programme status analysis.



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