

## **TWENDE HOCKEY ACTIVITY REPORT 2022**

Starting with the good news, we have embraced two new members of the board. Lia and Willem Huisman, both having lived a long time in Africa, have joined us. Partly thanks to their efforts, we have also been able to guarantee continuity in our work for the coming years. Indeed, very good news after having “survived” the Covid-period in which we lost some important donors!

Another highlight has been the appointment of the new board of the Tanzania Hockey association. We hope to continue our collaboration with the newly elected members.

One of the new members, Mark Sequoia, is the Technical Director of JMK Youth Park, a facility that we are allowed to use very often for our training sessions and matches.

More good news: Our women’s group, Hockey Queens got registered ,so they can now apply for micro loans at the local government!

Regarding our coaches, Eliza, Ally and Joseph all obtained a new job in the army. They have developed themselves in a great way that made this possible. We thank them for their tremendous effort in the past years! In 2023 we will organize in collaboration with THA, a training week for new potential coaches.

Unfortunately, there was also very sad news. Mnonda Magani, our right and left hand in coaching and managing the coaching base in Dar es Salaam, a real friend, has passed away. We will remember him as a great man, who has played a crucial role in the establishment and promotion of our foundation and hockey in general.

He will remain a source of inspiration for all of us and we foster the remembrance in continuing to work on the social and economic well-being of the youngsters in Tanzania.

