




UNICEF December Meeting

HIV/AIDS

Helping Children Fight HIV/AIDS

- For the first time since the start of the epidemic, an AIDS-free generation is within reach.
 - 67% of pregnant women in countries with the highest rate of infection receiving services in 2013.
 - UNICEF-supported prevention programs have also helped reduce new infections among adolescents, but more needs to be done to break the cycle.
 - AIDS-related deaths among adolescents increased by 50% between 2005 and 2012.
 - New infections among children under 15 years old dropped 35% globally between 2009 and 2012.
 - Children under 15 years old are only half as likely as adults to receive the lifesaving treatment they need.
 - In 2013, there were 240,000 new HIV infections among children in low- and middle-income countries.
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What is UNICEF Doing?

- Prevention of mother-to-child-transmission (PMTCT) is the most effective way to create an HIV-free generation.
- Better services to prevent mother-to-child transmission of HIV averted nearly 1.1 million new infections among children between 2005 and 2013.
- Only 15 years ago, an HIV diagnosis was tantamount to a death sentence for most children and their families in low-income countries. But today, early diagnosis and the right treatment can ensure long healthy lives and prevent the transmission of HIV to others.





UNICEF fighting
AIDS

What Can You Do?

Petition

- The Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB, and Malaria has saved more than 17 million lives, working with countries to fight these three killer diseases.
- The Global Fund's work to fight AIDS is especially important for girls and women, who in sub-Saharan Africa are almost three times as likely as their male peers to be living with HIV.
- The Global Fund is on a path to save 22 million lives by 2016 and can do even more, but it won't happen without the funding it needs next year.

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Events-Holiday Shopping

- **Shop UNICEF:**
 - Send us your receipt for hours
 - *Tribute Cards*: \$25 minimum donation
 - Sends a card to someone of your choice
 - Market
- **Receive hours for any organization that make donations with a purchase**
 - Include the organization's "Purpose Statement" with your purchase
- **Inspired Gift:**
 - Buy something for people in need
 - Send a card to someone you made the donation in honor of
- **Fitband:**
 - Purchase a Fitband from Target for \$39.99
 - ***Activity=Power Points=Money donated to UNICEF and club hours***

Events-Ongoing

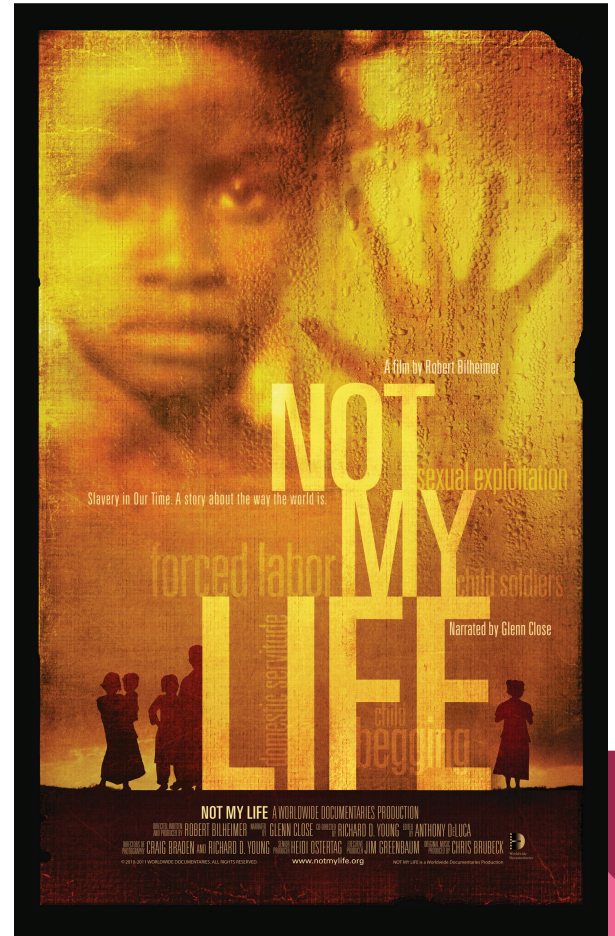
- ***Congressional Action Team***
 - Email us for more information on how to join monthly advocacy calls
- ***NEW Volunteer Webinar:***
 - Once a month in the first week
 - 1 hour for participation--> confirmation email
 - ***Maximum: 1 Time***
- ***Free Rice:***
 - <http://freerice.com/>
 - 120 correct questions (1,200 grains of rice) = 1 hour
 - ****Limit of 6 hrs per semester***
- ***UNICEF Math: Send us a screenshot for hours***
 - \$30=1 hour ****Limit of 4 hrs per semester***

****Links available on website Event page***



Not My Life

- Film focuses on topic of Child Trafficking
- **Movie screening: January 13th** after school
- **For Additional Hours:**
 - Sign up to bring food
 - Bring non-club member friends
 - *Each guest=1 hour*



Future Events

- **January:**
 - Canned food drive
 - *Not My Life* movie screening (1/13)
- **February:**
 - *He Named Me Malala* movie screening
 - Foreign currency collection
- **March:**
 - UNICEF Tap Project
- **April:**
 - Bake Sale
- **May:**
 - International Night

Reminder:
4 HOURS PER
SEMESTER
(Including 1 Event)

Check hours sheet on
Hours tab on website!





Next Meeting:
January 13th