

Mission

"To assist Chiquita associates and their communities affected by hardships beyond their control to recover the basic necessities of life and improve their standard of living"

2007 REVIEW

Hurricane Felix: Thanks to your donations, We Care administered more than \$11,000 in aid to Chiquita employees and their families affected by Hurricane Felix. 25 families were provided new beds, mattresses, stoves, refrigerators, and dining room sets.

Ivory Coast: Approximately \$25,000 has been invested in a major project that will provide safe and clean drinking water to farm workers and their families in three Ivory Coast villages. Additional investments in this project will be made in 2008 and will greatly improve the lives of our farm workers.

Guatemalan Schools: In 2007, We Care evaluated the needs of school systems in Guatemala and shipped three containers filled with more than \$4,000 of school supplies. 1,074 students at Escuela Champona, Rural el Cinchado, Placa Uno, San Francisco, and Rural La Luna benefited from the donation.



Hurricane Felix Recipient



Lagonda Water Tower and Hand Wash Station, Ivory Coast



Boyer Water Tower and Hand Wash Station, Ivory Coast



Desks donated to Escuela Champona

2008 CHARITY CONNECTION

We Care would like to thank all employees who made one time donations, renewed their pledge, or made a new pledge during Chiquita's Charity Connection. You are now a member of We Care and can take pride in knowing a world of needs will be fulfilled this year. Children will thrive, people will be healthy and self-sufficient, and Chiquita communities will be strengthened. Contributions pledged for 2008, including one time donations during the two week charity drive total \$10,388. Payroll deductions began with your first paycheck of 2008 and will continue through your last paycheck of 2008. If you know someone who would like to donate but missed the opportunity during the charity drive, they may still participate! Pledge forms are available at www.ChiquitaWeCare.com, "How to Contribute". Completed pledge forms can be sent via interoffice mail to Corporate Communications.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elections and Committees: We Care is administered by a volunteer operational board from many different regions and professions within the corporation. Elections and committee appointments will take place in the coming weeks. The board meets on a monthly basis and as required during times of disaster recovery. In addition, volunteers are needed to serve on committees including fundraising, membership, and grant management. Interested in volunteering for We Care? Please send an email to WeCare@Chiquita.com.

GoodSearch.com: Last year search engines generated close to \$8 billion in revenue from advertisers. GoodSearch has developed a way to direct some of that money to causes like We Care. Every time you search the Internet at www.GoodSearch.com, We Care is given \$0.01. The first time you use good search, enter "Chiquita" in "Who do you GoodSearch for?" and click "Verify". The site is powered by Yahoo!, so you will get high-quality search results. The money generated from using GoodSearch will be used by We Care to continue strengthening Chiquita Communities in 2008.

Not a Member? Get Involved!

To learn more details about donating, volunteer opportunities, the aid we have provided, or to view our financial statements visit us online at www.ChiquitaWeCare.com

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