



## Ubuntu International Youth Voluntary Service Award 2009

Celebrating the value of voluntary service by young people from Africa and Europe.

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Highlighting good practice and co-operation in managing international voluntary service programmes in Africa and Europe.

# CERTIFICATE GREEN AWARD FOR ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

is awarded to

**THE TAITA FOUNDATION FOR THE ST JOSEPH'S CHILDREN'S HOME IN KENYA**

in recognition of the contribution made to international volunteering for young people from Africa and Europe

This award is given in recognition of the efforts made by the St Joseph's Children's Home in Kenya towards environmental sustainability by growing the produce on which the children's home depends.

The concept of *ubuntu* is captured in the expression *Umuntu ngumuntu ngabantu* – I am because you are; you are because we are. *Ubuntu* is underpinned by mutual respect and asserts that our very identity as people is drawn from what we share and not what separates us.

**UBUNTU PARTNERS:** Association of Voluntary Service Organisations (AVSO – Belgium), Community Service Volunteers (CSV – UK), Experiment e.V. (Germany), EIL Intercultural Learning (Ireland), loveLife Trust (South Africa), Swedish Centre for International Youth Exchange (CIU – Sweden), Volunteer and Service Enquiry Southern Africa (VOSESA – South Africa), Volunteer Centre (South Africa), Youth Association of Zambia (YAZ – Zambia), Youth Net and Counselling (YONECO – Malawi)