



OMITIDE! WATER HAS COME! NEWSLETTER

3RD QUARTER



Installing Irrigation Kits on a beneficiary's farm

CONTINUED RAINWATER HARVESTING AND IRRIGATION KITS DISTRIBUTION

Rainwater Harvesting and Irrigation kits were distributed to some tomatoes farmers who struggled to keep their tomatoes farm surviving and almost lost their tomatoes farm to water stress as a result of lack of water.



Rainwater harvesting kits

"Farmers Feed the Nation!"

OMITIDE is a non-governmental organization dedicated to providing clean, drinkable water to rural communities and irrigation systems for farmers through rainwater harvesting.

OUR VISION

We envision a country where clean drinkable water is at everyone's reach.

OUR MISSION

We aim to accomplish this goal by employing innovative rainwater harvesting methods, watershed management, and construction of water recycling systems in collaboration with people in rural communities.

Dear Donors, Partners, Friends, and Supporters of OMITIDE,

The year 2025 is gradually coming to an end and we're super grateful for all we have done through your sponsorship and support.

We're happy to share with you the third quarterly newsletter of 2025 with updates from our rainwater harvesting and irrigation kits distribution, our beneficiaries' vegetable farm, Omitide's demo farm, founder's BRACE program, and office building.

Thank you for your continued support!



Installation of irrigation kits



Beneficiaries on their tomatoes farm

BENEFICIARY'S VEGETABLE FARM



Sprouting Okra farm



sprouting pumpkin vegetable farm

Our vegetable farmers planted okra (ladies finger) and pumpkin leaf that are already sprouting.

OMITIDE'S DEMO FARM



50 Cocoa (Cacao) seedlings planted



Harvesting demo farm pumpkin leave

As part of our commitment to groundwater conservation and income generation for sustainability, some cocoa seedlings were donated to Omitide by Springboard and more were purchased to make up 50 cocoa seedlings that were planted on the demo farm.



Demo tomatoes farm at fruiting the stage



Demo farm produce in the training hall



Demo farm tomatoes



Harvested tomatoes from the demo farm

FOUNDER'S BRACE PROGRAM

The founder of Omitide was selected to participate in the Building Resilience Against Climate and Environmental Shocks (BRACE) Program by the African Food Changemakers. It was an eye-opening and impactful online training on Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation. The training called our attention to some of our agribusiness activities that were contributing to climate change in farming, production, processing, packaging, and distribution. We learnt how to mitigate and adapt to climate change through climate smart agriculture, how to reduce carbon emission, and gain access to carbon credit. The learnings from this training are being factored into our daily activities.



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The journey broadened my perspective on sustainability, resilience, and innovation covering circular economy principles and design thinking strategies with networking and exposure to donors.

OMITIDE'S OFFICE BUILDING

The building was roofed, with electrical, and plumbing pipes installed. Aluminum windows were also produced, but they need to be fixed during the plastering of the interior. The roofing made the building useable to some extent but not to the full capacity as a lot still needs to be done.



Roofing of the building



Electrical conduit have been installed in the building

Below are the things needed to complete the building for maximum utility:

1. Fixing of doors, and window burglaries.
2. Wall plastering and fixing of aluminum windows.
3. Installation of electrical wires and fittings.
4. Installation of toilet and washroom fittings.
5. Fixing of external plumbing pipes and fittings.
6. Digging of waste water drainage.
7. Fixing of ceilings
8. Tiling
9. Fencing of property with security house.
10. Rainwater harvesting system.
11. Water Recycling system.
12. Landscaping
13. Painting.



Soak away



Plumbing pipes installed on the building

UPCOMING

- Monitoring and evaluating the rainwater harvesting project
- Fundraising for the completion of our office building.
- Fundraising for water management training.
- Expansion to other communities.

Dear Sponsors, Supporters and Friends,
We are grateful for your support so far. We need more of it for the next phase to achieve greater impact.

Thank you also for helping us by sharing this newsletter with those who might be interested in your network.

With Best Regards,
Itohan Iyawe Ogiemudia and the entire Omitide Team

If you wish to support the work of Omitide, you can do this by donating to:

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