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*Institute for Community Partnerships and Sustainable Development*

## ICPSD Quarterly Update

We can't believe we are into the summer season and the second quarter of 2022!! We joyously and with deep gratitude celebrate the support of our ICPSD community. As we busy ourselves with Notsé summer activities, setting up the computer lab, and some upcoming events we have in the works, we hope you will follow along and join in where you can.

Nkekea nenyo!

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### A Message From Donné

*Togo Office Administrator & Youth Program Coordinator*

Today's world revolves around computers. That is why I know a computer center or lab here at ICPSD in Notsé will bring a lot of benefits to our young people. [This laboratory](#) will allow them to know how to utilize computer tools and give them opportunities for a bright future. This will support them in developing a mindset equipped to navigate the changing world.

I am very excited to know that soon we will have a slightly larger computer center that will allow us to train daily to become knowledgeable, brave young

board and especially to the various donors who have allowed this project to take place. To the various donors who are supporting the development of our community. Together we will support the youth of ICPSD.

With Deep Gratitude,  
Dieudonné Arfa



## Thank You for Your Support During Idaho Gives!

86%

**\$6,570** Raised **\$7,600** Goal **67** Donors

We had an incredible [Idaho Gives](#) this year and are overwhelmed by the love and support we received!

We set a goal to raise \$7,600 to expand our computer lab from two computers to seven. And we reached 86% of our goal!! We could not be more excited! Watch for updates as we setup the computer lab and expand the hands-on access and training Notsé youth have to digital learning and literacy. We are so blessed to have such a wonderful community of supporters.



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Miss out on Idaho Gives? Don't worry, you can still support the computer lab and other ICPSD activities through a variety of contribution options.

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## Meet Mawouli Goffou

With the completion of the storage and research facility at the plant nursery, we were ready to find a new nursery overseer. The overseer provides general watch over the nursery while making sure seedlings are watched over and regularly watered once the rainy season subsides, the nursery kept tidy, equipment properly locked up, and other such duties.

Some of our students come to Notsé from outlying villages in order to attend school. We saw this as a great opportunity to provide room and board for one of these students who did not have family locally to stay with. His name is Mawouli Goffou and we are thrilled to have him in this role.

"My name is Mawouli Goffou, I am 23 years old and I am in Terminale D class.

comfortable here. I like the plant production activities and learning from this nursery gives me a kind of extra training. The best thing is, the maintenance of the plants and the watering are for me a means of distraction after long readings and exercises. The calm that reigns here allows me to study well. I say thank you very much!"



## Seedling Class of 2022

Growing nicely and looking forward to  
June planting season!

## What's New on the ICPSD Blog?



### What is the Ecosystem Restoration Program?

Sustainable development is the driving factor at ICPSD. It is vital to helping agricultural communities and ecosystems thrive.

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### Building Community Development Through Youth Support

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