## Support us...

### ...to raise enough money for regular expenses

When taking care of so many children it can be tough to make the costs run smoothly. Help us to cover the costs for water, electricity, municipality, food, clothing, medical aid, salaries of housemothers and the driver, holiday activities etc.

#### ...to ensure the children get school education

The children who live at Dolam Children's Home come from difficult family backgrounds where education is not a first priority in life. Help us to ensure that all Dolam children get school education. In Namibia public schools are free of charge, but school uniforms and school stationeries still have to be paid. Furthermore, petrol is causing costs as the children have to be brought to their different schools with the Children's Home's bus.

#### ...to build a new and a bigger place in Katutura

To protect children from homelessness, vulnerability and from death, a new and a bigger Dolam Children's Home is desperately needed.



Dolam Children's Home is located in Katutura, Namibia.

The founder and director is Ms Rosa Namises.

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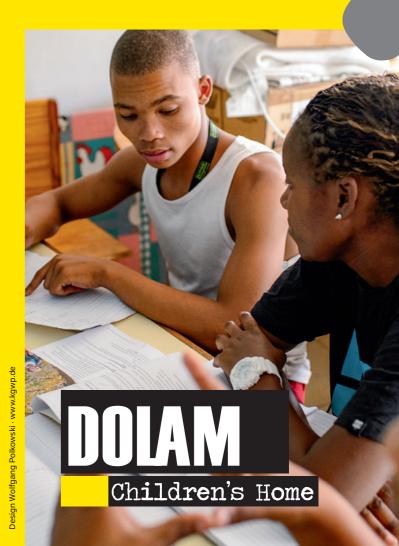
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# Donors for new building needed

»Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has.« (Margaret Mead)

In 1999 Rosa Namises, a human rights activist for woman and children's rights, founded the Dolam Children's Home Trust (DCHT) to take care of orphans and vulnerable children in Namibia. DCHT is a non-profit community based and registered welfare organization (WO 184).

At Dolam Children's Home Rosa Namises cares since nearly twenty years for children and adolescents who are orphaned, abandoned, whose families are too poor to take care of them; many of the children have experienced violence, neglect and abuse. At present, Dolam Children's Home accommodates more than 20 children and adolescents between the ages of 7 and 18 years. All children are enrolled into school education. The children are allowed to stay in the care of the Children's Home until the age of 18 years or even beyond, depending on their formal education level. The Dolam Children's Home also provides temporary emergency shelter for children who are sent by the Woman and Child Protection Units (WACPU).

The building site in Katutura





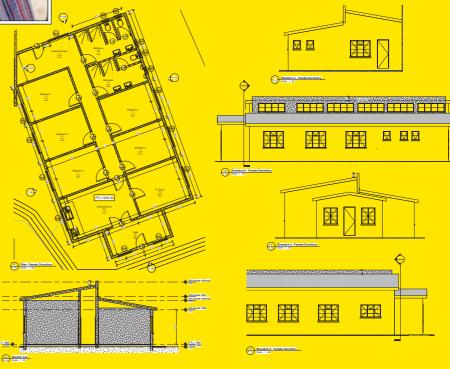
Rosa Namises, founder and director of Dolam Children's Home

To date, the Dolam Children's Home has supported and ensured the care and education of 55 children, living at the Children's Home and some living with their extended families in Windhoek/Katutura and in rural areas like Dorbabis or Okandjira farmland.

The minors who live at the current Dolam Children's Home sleep in tiny dormrooms. Over the years, as the children and adolescents have been growing up, the question arose where these children will live in the future. To expand the project Rosa Namises purchased a piece of land from the City of Windhoek. With the support of German donors she was able to fence the plot in 2015. The plan for the new »Dolam Children's Home Village« has been finalized and approved by the City of Windhoek.

The Dolam Children's Home Village will provide more privacy and study space, as well as a larger recreational area for the children and teenagers. It will also provide space to accommodate a larger number of orphans and vulnerable children and to integrate a project for abandoned, orphaned and sick babies.

To realize the vision of the new Children's Home and to continue the important work that has already been done for so many years, funds are urgently needed!



Building phase 1: The first building of the planned Dolam Children's Home Village