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### CHILDREN OUTREACH of Hosanna Church

On the 1<sup>st</sup> of Mai Hosanna Church organized a SCOUT outreach, called young visionaries, for children of 9 – 16 years. 42 Children and 15 leaders went to Sarando, a village nearby Niamey to spend a day of fellowship, Bible Theater, different teachings, games etc.

We experienced the protection of GOD, as the car with 57 people on it broke down (one wheel went completely off). Nobody got hurt. The children had to walk the last 6,5 km to the destination. They did very well and experienced their first “scout activity” (to walk distances). Later they learned about forgiveness shown by a small bible sketch. Late in the afternoon, we represented the bible sketch in the garden of Sarando, where Hosanna has different agricultural projects with Women. Children from the village also came to watch and the gospel was presented to them.

We are very thankful to GOD for this opportunity of outreach and we will go on to organize such Scout happenings and children clubs in Niamey and surrounding villages (also in villages, were Hosanna and its Partners are involved with projects in order to strengthen the testimony of the gospel among the children.

Some impressions of the day.

Gathering in the morning



Tanja, a missionary from Germany, who is working in the reporting departement, was leading this day, together with other Scout leaders.



On the truck, before it broke down; worshipping together; and when we had to walk





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At Hosanna church in Sarando: The leaders are presenting a bible sketch about forgiveness; the children listening very carefully and having fun



Children being active and helping with the dishes and eating together



Playing games



Children posing for photo



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At Sarando GARDEN: The children requested to see the bible sketch once more; children from Sarando village were also present:



The Leaders of this day:



This day, was the starting point of a scout ministry (after a two month training for future scout leaders). From now on, we will continue to meet every Friday afternoon from 5 – 7 p.m. We had already two Scout gatherings with Children of 9-15 Years old at Hosanna Church. 4 Scout leaders have been nominated and officially presented to the church (so that this ministry will continue also after the leave of Tanja and Tabea, who started it).

THANKS GOD FOR THE CHILDREN AND HIS PROTECTION during all our activities and THANKs for HIS GRACE to start this ministry.  
AND THANKS also for YOUR PRAYERS.

May our God bless you richly.

Yours,

Tanja  
With the Hosanna “Jeunes Visionnaires”-Team

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