



PRINCE OF WALES SCHOOL ALUMNI FOUNDATION NEWSLETTER

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The Prince of Wales School Alumni Foundation (POWSAF) is a non-profit organization based in Georgia, USA that is committed to supporting the Educational Attainment at the Prince of Wales School in Freetown, Sierra Leone. It is a registered Internal Revenue Service 501(c)(3) Non-Profit Organization in the US and a registered Domestic Non-profit Corporation in the State of Georgia. It was formed after the realization by several alumni that the current fund-raising efforts could not sustain the school.

Ways to Support the Foundation

There are several ways to support the mission of POWSAF and these include (but are not limited to):

- Via Website - Donate through the POWSAF website. Options include:
 - Personal Donations (one-off or recurring) that informs the donor's donation tiers.
 - Donations on behalf of a sponsored Prince-walean (one-off or recurring) informs the beneficiary's donation tier.
 - Other donations for special campaigns (do not inform donation tiers).
- Via Mail - Send a check to POWSAF in Atlanta. Check can be for personal donations or on behalf of a beneficiary. Cash donations are also welcome.
- Matching Gifts - Employers may match employee donations. Check with your employer for matching gift programs. These donations inform the donor's donation tier.
- Charity Events - Participate in events to raise funds. These donations inform the donor's donation tier.
- In Memoriam - Donate in memory of an Alumni. Leave a tribute message on the website.
- In-Kind Donations - Non-cash gifts like stocks, stock options, securities, cars, boats, or houses. These do not inform donor's donation tiers. Submit the In-Kind Donation form after reviewing our policy.
- Personal Time - Volunteer your time for tasks such as website management, bookkeeping, and business management.

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PRINCE WALEAN SPOTLIGHT

Dr. Evan F.S. Williams, POWSAF Trustee

Dr. Evan Williams is a retired Professor and Biomedical Research Scientist. He was born in Rotifunk Hospital, an Evangelical United Brethren Missionary Hospital in the Moyamba District, once a premier hospital in Sierra Leone. He attended the Prince of Wales Secondary School following his elementary education at the Cathedral Day School and the Government Model School. Upon completion of his secondary education, he worked briefly for the Customs Department before proceeding to the United States for further studies.



Dr. Williams earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Zoology in 1970 at Howard University in Washington, D.C. and a Ph.D. in Pharmacology in 1978 from the Howard University College of Medicine.

After a Fogarty Postdoctoral Research Fellowship at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Maryland and the Alberta Heritage Foundation for Medical Research Fellowship at the University of Alberta in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. Dr. Williams joined the faculty of the Morehouse School of Medicine in Atlanta in 1984 as an Assistant Professor in the department of Pharmacology and Toxicology.

His tenure at Morehouse School of Medicine lasted thirty-eight years and six months until his retirement on June 30, 2022.

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His tenure was focused mainly on his research activity and teaching second year medical students the use of neuropharmacological drugs in the treatment of neurological disorders. He served for over twenty five years as the Director of the Medical Pharmacology Course.

During his active research years, Dr. Williams was Principal Investigator on NIH funded research on the characterization of the cardiovascular nucleoside transport system with the goal of developing useful cardiovascular drugs. His research efforts resulted in more than sixty peer reviewed publications and abstracts.

Dr. Williams has been very active in the Sierra Leone and African communities in Georgia as the former founding secretary and later vice president of the African Association of Georgia (AAGA). This was an organization that was conceived at the Atlanta City Hall in June 1990 to plan Atlanta's African

participation in the reception of anti-apartheid leader, Nelson Mandela. He served the Sierra Leone Community as president of the Association of Sierra Leoneans in Georgia (ASLIG) for two terms.

He is currently an active member of the Georgia chapter of the Prince of Wales School Alumni Association and a Trustee of the Prince of Wales School Alumni Foundation (POWSAF). He also served as the Envoy for the Sierra Leone paralympic delegation during the 1996 Paralympic Games in Atlanta.

Evan chose to donate to and become a member of POWSAF because he eagerly wanted to lay a strong foundation for future generations of Princewaleans. He hopes that other Princewaleans would also buy into the vision of POWSAF, donate and become members.

DONATIONS (AS AT 31 MARCH 2024)

The Newsletter's total donations reflect contributions up to March 31, 2024, which differs from the current total on POWSAF's Website that shows donations to date and excludes Merchandize Revenue.

	Movement this Qtr.	Total @ End of Q1, 2024
Alumni Donor Count	(2)	2
Alumni Member Count	5	63
Alumni Association count	0	3
Alumni Donations	\$14,055.06	\$105,059.07
Other Donations	\$1,177.03	\$3,330.72
Total Donations	\$15,232.09	\$108,389.79

Location of Donors (Region)	No of Alumni Donors, Members and Associations	Donations @ End of Q1, 2024	Donation Percentage
Africa	3	\$2,606.03	2.93%
Asia	0	\$0.00	0.00%
Australia	0	\$0.00	0.00%
Europe	14	\$26,328.94	22.33%
North America	51	\$79,454.82	74.74%
South America	0	\$0.00	0.00%
	68	\$108,389.79	100.00%

FINANCIALS (AS AT 31 MAR 2024)

		Movement this Qtr.	Total @End of Q1, 2024	
Sources of Funds	Donations	\$16,599.80	\$108,389.79	Donations to the Foundation
	Merchandise	\$711.27	\$1,201.27	Revenue from selling Merchandize
	Total Income	\$17,311.07	\$109,591.06	
Uses of Funds	Development Costs	\$165.00	\$32,588.35	One-off Marketing and Set-up Costs including Website & E-Shop Development
	Operating costs	\$4,121.71	\$10,624.20	Steady State Operating Costs of the Foundation
	ML Investment	\$10,000.00	\$40,000.00	Transferred to Endowment Fund
	Allocated to Projects	\$0.00	\$0.00	Funds allocated to Approved Projects
	Inventory	(\$71.62)	\$2,993.05	Merchandise Stock
	Cash Reserves	(\$3,095.98)	\$23,386.26	Bank Account Funds yet to be spent, invested or allocated
	Total Disbursement	\$17,311.07	\$109,591.06	

INVESTMENTS (AS AT 31 MAR 2024)

The total investments mentioned in this Newsletter pertain to the investments and the corresponding fiscal returns made up to Q1, 2024.

Cost Category	@ End of Q4, 2023	@ End of Q1, 2024
Capital Invested B/F	\$30,000.00	\$30,000.00
Addition In-Period	\$0.00	\$10,000.00
Capital Invested C/F	\$30,000.00	\$40,000.00
Fiscal Gain/(Loss)	\$3,850.00	\$6,925.00
Investment Value	\$33,850.00	\$46,925.00
Cash Balance (incl.) Dividends	\$460.00	\$523.00
Portfolio Value @ Year End	\$34,310.00	\$47,448.00