

“Abanunule (The Redeemed)” Movie Screening

Step by step instructions for holding a movie screening for “Abanunule (The Redeemed)”

(The title is pronounced “abba-new-new-ley” and means “The Redeemed” in Luganda, a local language of Uganda.

1. Preview the DVD ahead of time to check sound levels and projector focus and lighting levels.
2. Distribute handouts for “Abanunule” the movie and “Home Again Children’s Home.”
3. Suggested opening remarks:
“The movie we are about to see is a feature film shot entirely in Uganda, starring orphans as the leading actors and supporting roles. The story is based on their lives but it is not a documentary. They are acting in a movie. They joined together with filmmaker Alex Fournier, from Minnesota, to write and shoot a feature film and are now entering it in film festivals in order to gain recognition for their work. This is a special screening so that more people get a chance to see what they have done. The film is 100 minutes long and is presented in Luganda, a native language of Uganda, with English subtitles. We have provided comment sheets if you would like to give encouragement or specific comments to the actors, filmmakers or composers. This way you can speak directly to the orphans about their accomplishment. We hope you enjoy the show.
4. Comment handouts are part of the “Abanunule” movie handout. The audience can give positive feedback directly to the actors through the comment sheets provided. After the screening we suggest that you encourage the audience members to make comments on the forms provided so that the orphans can get feedback. You may also consider having a short discussion about the film, the orphanage, ways that your group could get involved etc.
5. Please collect these comment and encouragement sheets in the envelope provided and return to:

World Changing Films
16301 Lincoln Lane
Eden Prairie, MN 55344

People can also write comments for the actors directly at:
abanunulethemovie@yahoo.com.

6. We suggest that you also encourage a free will donation for your audience if they would like to participate in reaching out to the children of “Home Again (The Redeemed, Africa).” The Redeemed, Africa is a non-profit organization that seeks to improve the lives of orphans, displaced, or abandoned children. They are separate from “World Changing Films” and as such, any donation to the children’s home needs to be sent directly to them. If people give cash, please write a single check to: “The Redeemed, Africa.” Place the donations in the same envelope as the comment sheets and return to:

The Redeemed, Africa
16301 Lincoln Lane
Eden Prairie, MN 55344

For more information about donations go to:

www.redeemedafrica.com.

7. People are encouraged to sign up for email updates for both “world changing films” and “Home Again Children’s Home.” People can sign up for this on the bottom of the comment sheets.
8. Take a few photos of your screening and email them to abanunulethemovie@yahoo.com
9. If the screening goes well, tell your friends about the movie and let them know how to do their own screening. If they are interested send them to www.abanunule.net for contact and screening information.