



HHW Matters



COMMUNITY VIBES: Attendees enjoy a joyous moment before boarding the elegant Lady Lynsey Catamaran for the Healing Hands Worldwide, Inc. Fundraising Sunset Sail at American Yacht Harbor on St. Thomas earlier this year.

Sunset Sail Success

It was an evening of blissful breezes, live music and great company as over 55 guests shared a moonlit evening aboard the Lady Lynsey catamaran for an elegant, all white sunset sail affair in celebration of Healing Hands Worldwide, Inc. (HHW).

While guests enjoyed delicious culinary offerings, cocktails and music from Top Notch Band, Founder Dr. Erole McLean Hobby shared news about the work that HHW is doing on behalf of women and children through their "One Patient at-a-Time" and "One Student at-a-Time" programs.

"What a wonderful opportunity to share our work with the community," said Dr. Erole Hobby regarding the no cost chemotherapy that it offers women fighting breast cancer in the Caribbean and Africa, and academic scholarships that it offers students from low income families adding: "The outpouring of support that we have received is extremely heartwarming and continues to propel us to continue to do even more."



SHARING THE CAUSE: Healing Hands Worldwide Founder, Dr. Erole McLean Hobby addresses attendees.



RELAXING IN STYLE: Guests enjoy catching up amidst relaxing sea breezes (From Left: Anne Hemmert, Melissa Lowe and Allison O'Boyle.

A Warm Welcome to Our Newly Installed Healing Hands Worldwide, Inc. Advisory Board Members:

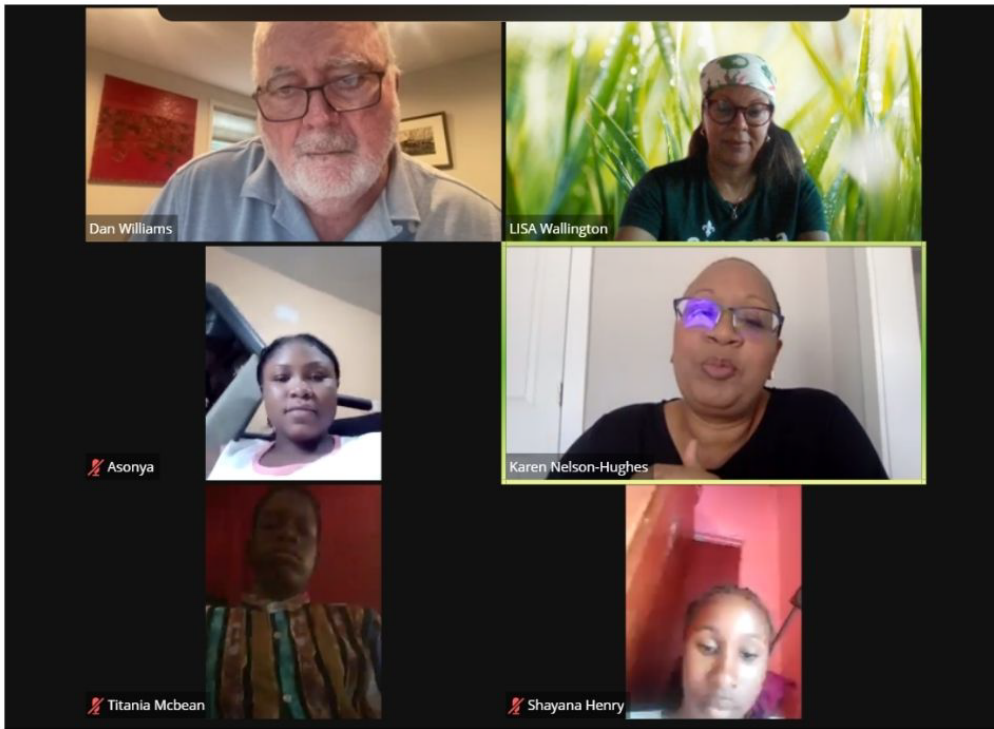
Carol Baker-Robinson, Danny Williams, Keya Chongasing Garner and Colleen Wilson, Esq.

5 Healing Hands Worldwide, Inc. IMPACT STORY

- 2022 PROJECT DONATIONS**
 - Provided \$5,000 in student scholarships to 5 students.
 - Provided \$5,000 worth of chemotherapy medications to breast cancer patients at the University Hospital of the West Indies (UHWI) Cancer Clinic.
- 2022 FUNDRAISING**
 - Raised over \$50,000 from key HHW fundraising launch event on St. Thomas.
- 2023 PROJECT DONATIONS THUS FAR...**
 - Provided \$5,500 in scholarships to 6 students.
 - Donated \$10,000 in medications to patients at the UHWI Cancer Clinic.
 - Currently support a breast cancer patient in St. Thomas.
 - Pledge \$300 annually to support a student through the "Educating One at a Time" prog. in Malawi, Africa.
- 2023 FUNDRAISING**
 - Sunset sail fundraiser raised over \$23,000 in ticket sales/donations.
 - 55 guests in attendance.
- ADVISORY BOARD MEMBER WELCOME**

Officially welcomed four Advisory Board Members to the Healing Hands Worldwide, Inc. family.

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CAPITAL GAINS: Healing Hands Worldwide, Inc. (HHW) scholarship students participate in an engaging Summer Financial Literacy Workshop held earlier this month covering topics such as budgeting, saving and investing. Pictured clockwise from upper left: Danny Williams (HHW Advisory Board Member), Lisa Wallington (Facilitator), Karen Nelson-Hughes (HHW Executive Director), Shayanna Henry (Student), Romain Shande (Student) and Asonya Clarke (Student). Participants not pictured: Rosheika Peters (Student), Antray Howard (Student) and Annesia Hanson (Student).

MONEY MOVES

Financial Literacy Workshop Offers Insight to Students

When it comes to financial literacy, our six Healing Hands Worldwide scholarship students certainly got a leg up on the competition following their summer financial literacy workshop held earlier this month coordinated by Healing Hands Worldwide, Inc. (HHW).

Led by Money Matters, LLC Founder, Lisa Wallington, the three-part workshop covered topics including: Money Basics & Identifying Financial Goals, Earning Money & Budgeting, and Basics on Investing.

"The overarching lessons that I wanted to impart on the students is that they must be intentional about making conscious decisions when developing a plan to allocate money that comes their way, and to do independent research about financial concepts through personal conversations, websites and books," explained Lisa Wallington, Money Matters Founder and Workshop Facilitator.

For HHW scholarship student Asonya Clarke the message was loud and clear. "This topic is important because in this world today living a full life requires money," said Asonya adding, "This is what we need to know to help us achieve and become successful."

Shayanna Henry, HHW's 2022 scholarship recipient agreed: "I found the information very helpful and feel that Healing Hands Worldwide is contributing a lot to help us to achieve our goals."

In addition to sharing with the students that it's never too early to invest, save and prepare for their financial futures, Wallington added: "I believe that the most important outcomes of the workshop series were that the students were able to develop a positive mindset about the subject of money and the belief that they can create and obtain their financial goals"

As a follow-up to the series, students were awarded a completion certificate, a planner, as well as a selection of specially curated books to reinforce the topics discussed.

"Thank you to everyone for looking out for us students who have the potential for doing something great as we really need the help," said 2020 scholarship student Romain Shande. "Thank you for the opportunity to meet other people and for the opportunity to continue to educate ourselves."

For more information regarding Healing Hands Worldwide's One-Student-at-a-Time student program visit: www.hhworldwide.org or call 1.340.626.5175.

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