

SPONSOR LETTER

FOX VALLEY CIRCUIT UMC

As the Fox Valley Circuit, our international partnership is with the Senegal Mission. We are having our 12th Annual Charity Golf Outing to raise money to help support the Senegal Mission projects.

Last Year the outing provided over \$6,000 for the Senegal Mission.

Our Senegal Partnership helps the United Methodist Church grow in Senegal, Arica. Founded in 1998, in 20 years the UMC in Senegal has started 19 churches and gained nearly 1,000 members. Our Partnership helps support the pastors and rental of the church buildings.

In February 2011, Bill and Gwen Gibson from Emmanuel Church visited the Senegal Mission. When the missionaries in Senegal left in May of 2011, Bill and Gwen heard a call, which they answered. They applied to be missionaries, went through the required training and were commissioned at the General Conference in Tampa, Florida. On Sunday, April 29th, 1012. They went to Senegal as the Missions new missionaries in July. They have now returned to the U.S. and our circuit as supporters of the work they have been doing in Senegal.

Besides the church and pastors, the Senegal Mission also has Advance Projects:

They feed children - \$100 feeds one child, two times a week for a year.

They feed the sick through our staff.

The educate women in the Women's Skill Center – cooking, sewing, French language.

They feed and advocate for women and children prisoners.

They teach agricultural practices, dig wells and grow crops to sell to help with church expenses.

They reach out to youth with the story of Jesus, bible studies and group activities.

As loving Christians, they enthusiastically do so much through the churches that they are worthy of our support. Fourteen people from 3 of our churches has visited the Senegal Mission

We are asking for sponsors to provide a prize to be awarded to a golfer for their accomplishment (closed to the pin, longest putt, etc.....)

It can be anything such as a round of golf, promotional coffee mug, a pizza or whatever you may be able to donate. The golfers work hard to recruit sponsors for the Senegal Mission and we like to give them something for their efforts.

With Heart-felt Thanks,

Yes!! I will provide _____ for the 2024 Charity Golf Outing for Senegal!

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____

Any questions, feel free to contact – Emmanuel United Methodist Church – Senegal Mission 740 E College Ave., Appleton, WI 54911 **KURT SHOOK 920-419-3774**