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### “making a real difference in Sierra Leone”

#### Liverpool Community School, Waterloo, Freetown.

I apologise if there is a little repetition in the Newsletters BUT I am constantly adding people to my mailing list and need to make sure they have some background regarding the current project. The project plan is to build and equip 8 classrooms, an office/storeroom, & 2 toilet blocks.

The first block of 4 classrooms was built & equipped with furniture in just 10 weeks.

Work began on the second block of 4 classrooms, incorporating the office/storeroom, on March 27<sup>th</sup> and this was the progress after just ONE week!!



Now, 5 weeks after starting, the block is built



& TODAY they finished the roofing.



As a direct result of my presentation at Torquay Conference I have received donations of **£2,170** and with the donation of **£3,000** from Banbury Rotary Club I now have **ALL** the funding in place to complete the building of the 4 classrooms.

Rendering, fitting the ceilings, installing the windows & doors, screeding the floors will all take place in the next couple of weeks and the last stage will be painting internally & externally. We are well on track to complete the building before the rainy season starts at the end of May !!

With donations from a couple of recent talks, some local donations and a pledge for £500 I will also have adequate funding to pay for all the furniture for these 4 classrooms.

The next phase will be the building of 2 toilet blocks which will happen after the rainy season giving me time to raise more funds.

Currently I haven't had to take advantage of the loan I was offered but it's still there **IF** I need it.

To everyone who has contributed to this project and enabled so much to happen in such a short space of time – I am truly grateful for your help.

**If what “WE CAN” do helps change the lives of just a few people then the effort is well worth it.**

**THANK YOU** for helping me to continue to  
**“make a real difference”.**