

Dear Dr Tait

The Development Committee of Gamboura should have held its AGM in April, but public meetings have been banned because of the security situation in the Extreme North Region of Cameroon. The Committee wanted to use the AGM to express in public its gratitude to all those who have contributed to the success of this large project in the village of Gamboura.

Although the security situation is improving slowly, it has still not been possible to hold the AGM, so the Committee has asked Pastor Jean Tchao to send thanks on its behalf to all who have participated in the project. As a result of all their efforts, and especially Rotary International, Gamboura now has a reliable water supply throughout the year. Water borne disease has virtually disappeared and school attendance has improved greatly. Another benefit of the wells is that the economy of the village has benefitted as the animals, such as the goats and cattle, no longer die of thirst.

On behalf of the village Chiefs, the members of the Gamboura Development Committee and the whole population of the village, our thanks to Dr Tait and his wife, and we ask them to pass on our gratitude to the participating Rotary Clubs and all who have contributed. The project has brought life to the village as water truly is life.

Pastor Jean Tchao  
(For the Gamboura Development Committee)