

INTRODUCTION:

In the Maasai community, women are given the place of dependant, they should depend on their husband or men 100% especially economically. The men or husbands depend on livestock, which has been endangered by prevailing droughts and diseases, leading to their number diminishing thus poor economy.

This leads to women being neglected, with their responsibilities still following them e.g. children rearing, schooling, dress and feeding, these still being affected by the poor economy.

Women sat and come up with the idea of co-operation and starting a generating project and eventually they come up with (MAASAI BEADS AND ARTIFACTS PROJECT).

GROUP BACKGROUND:-

The group was founded in 2004 with twenty six women, who up to date has decreased to twenty due to finance. The members could not raise the little money to manage the group so they pulled off.

The group was has not gone well especially after the drought of the 2006 which left most families financially handicapped after losing the livestock to the drought.

The Maasai beads and artefact project is guided by some by-laws there are: