

# ZAWADI\*

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF CONNECTION UBUNTU

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Connection Ubuntu provides computer labs to students and entrepreneurs in Africa.

## Events

- Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>—Woodfire Italian Grill (pg. 1)
- Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> – The Gifts the Give Hope (GTGH) (pg. 3)
- Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> – Board meeting

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UBUNTU**



\* Zawadi is the Swahili word for "The Gift"

**GET  
READY!  
DON'T  
MISS IT!**



Connection Ubuntu and  
The Woodfire Italian Grill  
are teaming together for the benefit of  
our Mission Work.

**WHEN:** Wednesday, November 6, 2019  
**TIME:** 10:30 a.m. - closing  
**WHERE:** The Woodfire Italian Grill  
205 Pauline Drive, York, PA  
(in the Giant complex off S. Queen St.)  
**PHONE:** 717-855-2154 (If you wish to make reservations)

Come dine with us on Wednesday, November 6, 2019, from 10:30 a.m.-closing, and The Woodfire Italian Grill will give Connection Ubuntu a check for 20% of the day's total food sales, **drinks included**, when using our flyer. Other patrons may participate in our fundraiser!

**\*\*PLEASE PRESENT FLYER WHEN ORDERING\*\***

**\*Reservations accepted! \***

Thank you for your support,  
Connection Ubuntu  
The Woodfire Italian Grill



# SPOTLIGHT

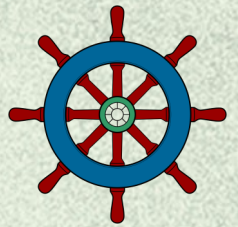
Donation to Lab  
Carroll Technologies to  
Rafiki Lighthouse Academy



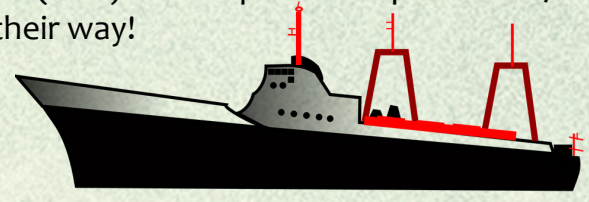
Carroll Technologies donates 30 netbooks

A computer lab is set up at Rafiki Lighthouse Academy, Koseli, Kenya

# SHIPPING NEWS



- Computers for Daraja Training Center and Slum Code Lab (Nairobi, Kenya) arrived in the warehouse in Nairobi and directors have been contacted. Hopefully, labs set up soon!
- Computers for the Emuhaya Group of the Disabled (EGD) lab left port on September 27 ... on their way!



## THANKSGIVING TO THANKS-LIVING

Lives around the world are changed because of you! This Thanksgiving, we are grateful for each of our donors and volunteers. Futures given hope because of your support.

We also express our gratitude to our **Computer Donation Partners:**

- ◆ Carroll Technologies
- ◆ Evapco
- ◆ F & M College
- ◆ Gemini 3
- ◆ Johns Hopkins
- ◆ Scrounge York

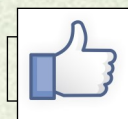


# GIVE GIFTS. HOPE. CHANGE LIVES.

DECEMBER 7, 2019 [GIFTSTHATGIVEHOPE.ORG/LANCASTER](https://giftsthatgivehope.org/lancaster)

**Fair Location:** The Junction Center,  
1875 Junction Road, Manheim, PA 17545

**GREAT SHOPPING IN ONE PLACE THAT IS A WIN-WIN-WIN!**



Don't forget to find us on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/ConnectionUbuntu/](https://www.facebook.com/ConnectionUbuntu/)

Look for our booth at the  
Gifts that Give Hope Fair!

*“Gifts That Give Hope promotes meaningful gift giving and support for non-profit organizations by helping communities host Alternative Gift Fairs.”*

<https://giftsthatgivehope.org/lancaster>

## WISH LIST

*Not only do we reuse computers that are donated, but we will happily reuse your packing material, old cell phones, and the like.*



Your left-over packing material

- ◆ Packing peanuts
- ◆ Air pillows



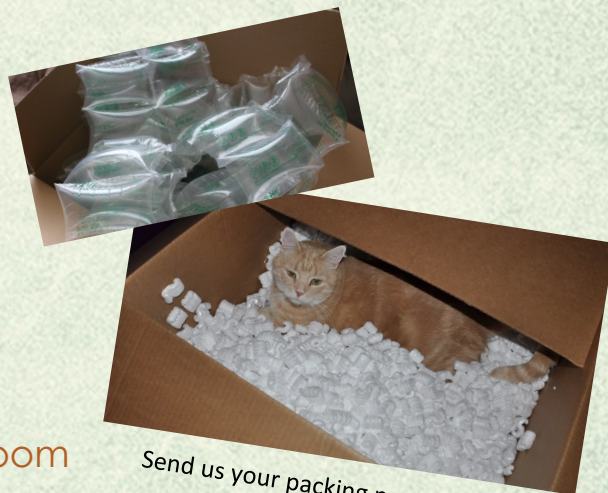
Assistance for teaching tech repair

- ◆ Phone repair kits
- ◆ Used, unlocked cell phones
- ◆ Flat Screen Smart TV—for in the classroom so multiple students can learn from YouTube videos



Volunteers!

CU is having a presence at community events and we welcome your help for a couple of hours in staffing our tables.



*Send us your packing peanuts—  
minus the cat, please.*

Contact us with your contributions  
and how to get them to us:  
[ConnectionUbuntu@gmail.com](mailto:ConnectionUbuntu@gmail.com)

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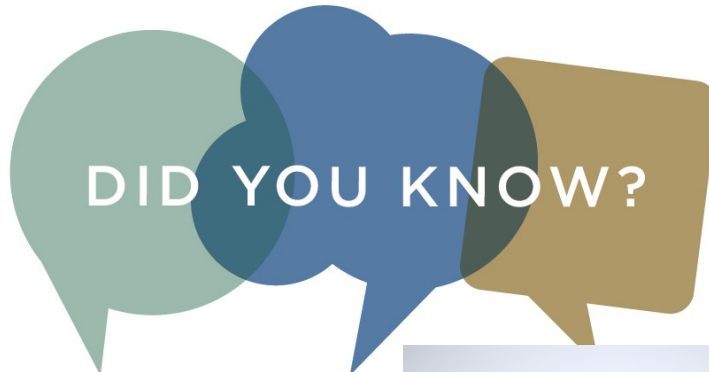
I was able to attend the African Festival in Lancaster... I wore my CU T-shirt and one of the women noticed it. She said she keeps one of our elephants on her desk at work and that lots of people ask her about CU... that's why she keeps it there. She loves telling them about us and what we're doing for Kenya. She's from Nakuru, Kenya, a place we drive through/stop in on every trip we take!

*Vicki Poole, Founder*

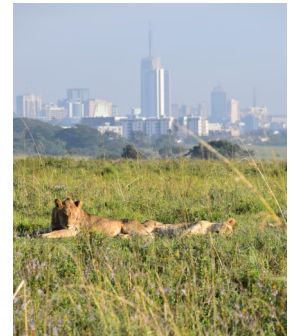
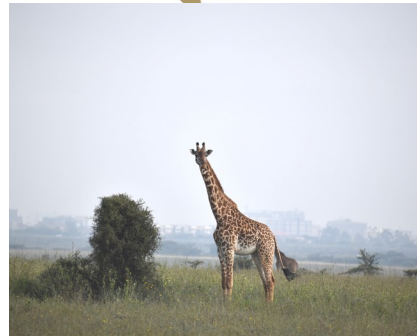


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## WAGES IN KENYA



What is the only country capital that contains a national park?



**NAIROBI, KENYA**

Living Wage (ks=Kenyan Shilling)  
 22,300ks/month = 123.89ks/hour = \$1.20/hr US

Minimum Wage  
 13,572ks/month = 75.4ks/hour = \$0.73/hr US

## VISION STATEMENT

Connection Ubuntu believes that the world is a global community where all members have the right and freedom to be active and valuable participants when given the technological tools and knowledge needed for successful global community engagement and local community self-sufficiency.

*Ubuntu: "I am what I am because of who we all are."*



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