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Introduction

 PEFES is a community engagement program where you enlighten the public on issues the need to know, things that most people are ignorant about or have little or no knowledge on the an issue. I will like to talk about human right. This include what human right is, what are those right a someone is entitle to by virtue of being a human being, what are some of the rights that people have but know nothing about, that is what someone is entitle but due to ignorance or illiteracy the person has no idea on it.

Platform; Facebook page

Goals include: write-ups on the description of human right, characteristics of human right, the constitutional frame work, how we can apply it in our daily lives to improve our society and the and the perception of people who are ignorant about certain things. E.g. people know or believe that before you bail someone out t the police station you will have to pay, this is wrong because bail is free. So the more people begin to know their right and privileges as human beings, the better the society will become as well.

Target audience; my target audience are the people around me. My friends on social media, especially Facebook because I connect more to them,

Expected outcome; I expect to get comments from people and their opinion on the page and also here that people have learned from it

Date of establishment: as soon as possible

Source of information; the official site for human right [www.nigeriahumanright.gov.ng](http://www.nigeriahumanright.gov.ng)

INTERNSHIP REPORT

My internship was in the ministry of justice plateau state. There work centered on mediation. I met the permanent secretary, ministry of justice on my first day, he directed me to the assistant director who was my supervisor throughout the internship period. The mediation is held by a group of lawyers in the ministry including the assistant director.

The first mediation we had was on two couples. The man left the wife with two children without taking responsibility as he should. She brought the case up to the ministry and he was told that he would have to take responsibilities like their school fees, feeding, health and others. He agreed to the decision but he will have to give it to the ministry and the ministry will give it to the wife.

We also had another on a man that died and left some properties. Another woman came and said that she has a son for him but his family refused because they said they did not know her as his wife.

The internship was successful although some of the people after bringing their cases will not show up for the mediation process and we ended up having only few. They also said that they don’t really have many cases to settle during the holidays.

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ON THE FIELD TRIP REPORT HELD AT

ABUJA

FROM 2nd-5th OF APRIL, 2017.

Introduction

Our journey for the field trip started on the 2nd of April 2017, when we left the school by 9; 40am to Abuja. Our journey was quite successful because we did not have any car challenges or any accident along the way. We reached Abuja as at 3; pm or their about..

3rd April

NATIONAL HUMAN RIGHT COMMISSION. We were received warmly by the people there. Although we did not spend much time there because they had other this to attend to, we had nice time with them. The spoke about how human right relates to peace and conflict Example is when your right is been trampled upon it can lead to chaos and conflict. The also told us that people who work in human rights organization are mostly lawyers, but they also have a conflict resolution unit in the organization. Some of us were able to ask questions and were given answers.

GLOBAL RIGHT

 Global Rights is a unique human rights capacity building organization that works side by side local activists to advance justice. We visited global right the same day after we left the humans right commission. We met different people that spoke to us on what the global right is about. We were asked to introduce ourselves one after the other by one of the staffs working there. We were enlighten on how we could use the mass media do promote peace and do different activities. A student amongst us was asked to create a blog and that blog can be a platform to promote peace and other related global issues happening in the world. At the end we were given refreshment also. We snapped pictures with some papers that had printed captions. Some were on women and child abuse, rape, sexual violence, and so on. We also participated in different games /activities. The activities were organized by one of their staff.

INSTITUTE FOR PEACE AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION

The Institute for Peace and Conflict Resolution (IPCR) was established in February, 2000. The Institute is under the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and is primarily a research Centre, a think-tank and an agency to strengthen Nigeria’s capacity for the promotion of peace and conflict prevention, management and resolution.

We arrived at this organization at about 3; 30pm while they were expecting us by 2pm. The officials in the organization expressed their disappointment. They were angry and we ended up having the program in a rush. The said that they conduct internship there, after attending the internship, you will be given a certificate. Base on their explanations, anybody interested can participate in the internship not necessarily peace and conflict students. On the other hand, peace and conflict student have higher advantage. We asked questions and answers we given. We also went to their library. There, we were given peace and conflict related books. We didn’t really enjoy ourselves because we were tired and exhausted at that point. We later left without refreshment to our hotel where we logged.

4th 0f April

THE NIGERIAN RED CROSS SOCIETY.

The International Red Cross is an international humanitarian movement with approximately 97 million volunteers, members and staff worldwide which was founded to protect human life and health, to ensure respect for all human beings, and to prevent and alleviate human suffering.

 A brief history

Until the middle of the 19th century, there were no organized and well-established army nursing systems for casualties and no safe and protected institutions to accommodate and treat those who were wounded on the battlefield. A devout Reformed Christian, the Swiss businessman Jean-Henri Dunant, in June 1859, traveled to Italy to meet French emperor Napoléon III with the intention of discussing difficulties in conducting business in Algeria, at that time occupied by France. When he arrived in the small town of Solferino on the evening of 24 June, he toured the field of the Battle of Solferino, an engagement in the Austro-Sardinian War. In a single day, about 40,000 soldiers on both sides died or were left wounded on the field. Jean-Henri Dunant was shocked by the terrible aftermath of the battle, the suffering of the wounded soldiers, and the near-total lack of medical attendance and basic care. He completely abandoned the original intent of his trip and for several days he devoted himself to helping with the treatment and care for the wounded. He succeeded in organizing an overwhelming level of relief assistance by motivating the local villagers to aid without discrimination.

We went to the Nigerian Red Cross society. The spoke to us about the history of the Red Cross; how the red cross was formed which I gave the brief history above. We were told than the train people that are willing to help. It is a non-profitable organization. At the end of it all, the appreciated us for coming. To took pictures and left

After the Red Cross Miss Tosin suggested that we eat in mama put. After which we left to our hotel.

Finally, we departed on the 5th of April. We branched through Shoprite to pick few items. We then started our journey proper back to ABUAD

ON a general note I will say I enjoyed my stay but not much. On a scale of 1-10 I will say 7. It was a memorable trip.