TUESDAY 7/7

Flight departures from USA

WEDNESDAY 7/8

Morning

Arrival at Amsterdam Schiphol airport arrival and team rendezvous.

Afternoon/Evening

Arrive in Kigali, Rwanda. Process our visa - all you need is your passport, your visa is pre-paid - and then collect our luggage. We will be greeted at the airport by Rwandan friends.

Drive to the Kiberinka Cultural Center and Guesthouse in Kibagabaga, a suburb of Kigali with check-in likely close to 9pm. You can look forward to a simple, clean, safe and welcoming accommodation in a pleasant compound. You'll have your own room with private bath. We stay here to be in an ordinary neighborhood and support social enterprise of our changemaker, REACH. Showers are usually hot and WIFI is available periodically in guest rooms.



Kiberinka, Kigali

THURSDAY 7/9

Morning

Breakfast, coffee and tea are available from 7am - 10am.

Mid-Morning team orientation.

Late morning, we will be joined by Changemaker Steven Turikunkiko. Change money. Lunch at Mezze Fresh burrito bar.

Afternoon

Visit Togetherness Cooperative, walk the land and hear the stories

Dinner and debrief at guesthouse. Quiet evening for journaling and/or conversation. Bring journal, simple board or card games, art supplies, books to read for your use during downtime.

*African Road friends Penina, Alice, Emma, Anette will join us at various points throughout our learning trip.



Playing with the children at Togetherness Cooperative Preschool

FRIDAY 7/10

Morning

Breakfast with Changemaker Philbert from REACH.

Gizozi Genocide Memorial 930am-1230pm

1230am-230pm lunch and processing with Philbert.

Afternoon

A selection of options available.

Evening

Dinner at Zen Asian restaurant.

SATURDAY 7/11

Morning

Quiet morning, late breakfast

Afternoon

Fabric shopping and Kimironko Market

Late afternoon

Togetherness welcome party, cultural dancing and more.

Evening

Dinner at Sol e Luna Italian restaurant

SUNDAY 7/12

Morning

Short neighborhood walk and visit House of Bright Hope (Steven and Providance Turikunkiko family and investment for sustainability). Stories from Steven.

Afternoon

Meet the Ebenezer Women Cooperative.

GA Collaborative, architects and designers at Togetherness, packed lunch.

Experience girls empowerment through soccer.

Evening

Dinner at Guesthouse.

Watch our video about how Business Training Meets Innovation! https://youtu.be/ttXZhjD8szw



Philbert Kalisa, Rwanda



Dancing at Togetherness



Steve & Providance, Rwanda

MONDAY 7/13

Morning

Breakfast at Guesthouse

Togetherness Preschool

Early afternoon

Picnic lunch

Rural walk to Providance Corner Store

Shopping a Abraham Kongo Store

Evening

Dinner at the Heaven Restaurant

Watch our video about Steven! https://youtu.be/cbv4lc5WPIA

TUESDAY 7/14

Morning/afternoon

REACH Rwanda reconciliation day.
Testimonies from perpetrators and survivors.
Church memorial visit.

Afternoon

Dinner at Guesthouse

WEDNESDAY 7/15

Morning

Work in the Women Bakery

Afternoon

Optional Togetherness activities: carry walk, visit homes, play volleyball, hand-crafts with kids.

Evening

Dinner at the Kigali Heights Mall



Corner Store at Togetherness Cooperative, Kigali



The women at REACH, Rwanda



Women's Bakery, Rwanda

THURSDAY 7/16

Morning/Afternoon

Team closure

Evening

Farewell dinner

FRIDAY 7/17

Travelers going on Safari

Travelers set out for drive to Akagera Safari, arriving for sunset boat ride.

Departing Travelers

Fun options or rest before heading to airport.

Late afternoon departures to the airport

SATURDAY 7/18

Morning - Afternoon

Full day of Wildlife Safari drive.

Evening

Fire pit bush dinner

Ruzizi Tented Lodge https://www.africanparks.org/the-parks/akagera/ visit-the-park/ruzizi-tented-lodge







SUNDAY 7/19

MONDAY 7/20

TUESDAY 7/21

USA arrive home

Morning Morning

Breakfast by the lake Breakfast at Guesthouse

Last visit to Togetherness

Afternoon

Packing and rest

Late-afternoon

Leave for airport for evening departures

Departure back Kigali

Afternoon

Return to Kigali

Last minute shopping

Final farewell dinner



Vegetables at the Kimironko Market



The children at Togetherness Cooperative