

# CANASSIST AFRICAN RELIEF TRUST



**LUNCH FOR THE 250 STUDENTS AT HOPE FOR YOUTH SCHOOL WAS BEING COOKED OVER AN OPEN FIRE AT THIS MAKESHIFT KITCHEN AREA. THE NEW CANASSIST BUILDING WITH A FUEL-EFFICIENT STOVE WILL BE A GREAT IMPROVEMENT TO THE SCHOOL AND SAVE FIREWOOD (AND MONEY).**

## What's cooking at CanAssist?

Firewood is becoming less available in many African communities as it is being used for charcoal production and is often the only source of household cooking fuel. Schools have trouble finding the money to purchase firewood for cooking rice or greens or porridge for a mid-day meal to students –often the only meal available to kids throughout the day.

Our associates at the SP Geddes School in Kenya have reported that the fuel-efficient Envirofit stove provided by CanAssist in early 2016 has been able to reduce the consumption of firewood by up to 80%.

CanAssist is now constructing kitchen buildings and fuel-efficient stoves at four additional rural schools in Kenya and Uganda -

*Hope for Youth (Uganda), Ramula and Nyalunya Secondary Schools (Kenya) and Mukono Technical Business Institute school of vocational training (Uganda).*

Your ongoing support of CanAssist work makes this possible and we thank you for your continued trust in our ability to help in East Africa.

