

Introduction

Warm period in Niger, this quarter was nevertheless marked by major activities at YMCA Niger. This marks the strong commitment of our members, volunteers and staff to contribute to the development of Nigeriens and the transformation of young people and their communities. We express our gratitude to our technical and financial partners for their support in carrying out our programs and projects for youth.

Our Programmes

Economic Empowerment

YMCA Niger organized an entrepreneurship training for young people with ideas or business projects from Monday June 3 to Friday June 7, 2024. It is within the framework of the Youth entrepreneurship project funded by Bröt fur die Welt (Bread for the World). This training aims to equip young girls and boys with



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s. A total of eighteen (18) participants diligently followed the program..

Active Citizenship

YOUNG VOLUNTEERS TRAINING

As part of the YMCA Sports Center project funded by BMZ, a training for the third cohort of 8 young girls and boys took place on Thursday June 20, 2024. The training focuses on the voluntary and civic engagement of young people. The objective is to make them active young people, catalysts for change in their communities, and even the Nation.

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Institutional Capacity Building

From May 20 to 28, 2024, Osborne Wanyama, Business Development Executive at the African Alliance of YMCAs, stayed in



Niger to assist YMCA Niger in development of a business model and a financial plan for the sustainability of the YMCA Sports Center funded by BMZ. The team set up.

made up of members of the National Office, the Secretary General, financial staff and young volunteers, were able to work for 5 days on points such as:

- 1. Make a list of potential interconnected activities,
- 2. Identify targets
- 3. Offer unique value
- 4. Plan the products and services to be provided
- 5. Identify investment needs
- 6. Design a financial model.

> Sport

To offer young people the framework to grow and flourish in body, mind and spirit, we run football teams for the well-being of young people and the community. Training sessions and matches provide an environment for discussion and sharing

between young people

