

LWD Newsletter

March 2025

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March 6 – Inspiring Visit to Bike4Future

We were honored to welcome Plan Rwanda and GNO staff to Bugesera District as they assessed our **Bike4Future** project. They were truly impressed by how this initiative is **breaking gender norms** and empowering girls to thrive in traditionally male-dominated fields.

Dear Partners and Supporters,

March has been an exciting and impactful month for LWD, filled with activities that continue to drive positive changes in our communities. From empowering young girls in male-dominated fields to advocating for inclusive health solutions, here's a recap of our key events this month!



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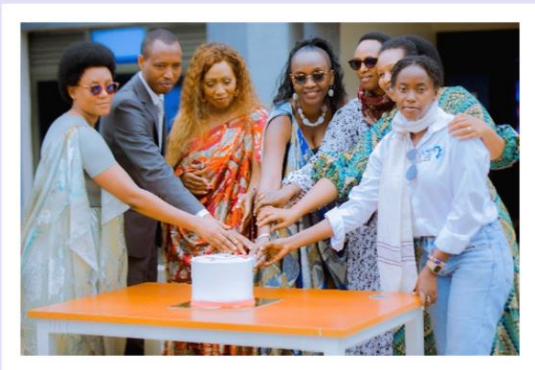
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March 8 – International Women’s Day Celebrations

LWD joined Rwandans and the world in celebrating **International Women's Day 2025** under the theme "**Ni Uwagaciro None N’ejo.**" Our main celebrations took place in Kicukiro District, where we honored the **crucial role of women** in families, communities, and national development.



March 9 – Car Free Day Participation What an amazing day! LWD actively participated in Car Free Day, a great opportunity to enjoy the open streets, stay active, and reflect on the value of women in our society.



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March 11 – Celebrating Women’s Day at LWD

Our own **International Women’s Day celebration** at LWD was filled with inspiration. Our **Executive Director (ED)** shared a powerful message, encouraging women to uplift each other, work diligently, and play a vital role in national development.

March 13 – #MasengeMbaHafi Impact Tour in Gatsibo

LWD, alongside VSO Rwanda and 13 youth from Africa and Asia, visited Gatsibo to witness the impact of the #MasengeMbaHafi program. This initiative continues to empower young women, including those with disabilities, by providing safe spaces, mentorship, and skills training.



**March 29 –
Youth Racing
Cup 2025,
Musanze**



The team!

We returned to the **Youth Racing Cup 2025** for its 3rd stage in Musanze District. Our **two queens, Emeline and Kaliza**, showcased an outstanding performance. However, the day turned challenging as our top stars, **Amina and Sandrine**, suffered an accident while racing against tough opponents. We stand with them in their recovery and are proud of their resilience!

March 18-22 – ED’s Mission in Kenya

Our **Executive Director** attended **RHPC 2025** in Kenya, engaging with global health leaders on inclusive **Universal Health Coverage (UHC)**. He extended his mission by attending the **Issroff Family Foundation Nairobi Board Training** as a **Board Member of AMPLIFY Girls**.



**March 28 – Make Way Program
Coordination Meeting**

At the LWD Head Office, we held a productive coordination meeting with Make Way Program Consultants. The discussions focused on advancing disability rights and ensuring inclusive SRHR solutions, reinforcing our commitment to equitable access and participation for all.

