



NLI Digest

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Recent News/Events

Nigeria Leadership Initiative Distributes (NLI) White Papers

The White Papers address issues of leadership, values and nationhood. They demonstrate the urgent need for action and proffer practical suggestions on steps to be taken. To download your copy, please [click here](#).

NLI bids farewell to Director of Operations and welcomes new CEO

Simi Idowu, NLI's Director of Operation has moved on to pursue other opportunities. NLI will formally introduce its Chief Executive Officer in a few weeks.

Upcoming Events

1. October Future Leaders Seminar: October 27th – 29th, 2011.

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October, 2011 Edition. Milestones

- The NLI Office has now moved to 54b, Itafaji Street, Dolphin Estate. Ikoyi, Lagos.
- The October 2011 Association selection process was enhanced and supported by Phillips Consulting.

Postponement of Nigeria Leadership Initiative's Christopher Kolade Symposium and Annual Gala

This year, NLI had planned to discuss the issues raised in the White Papers at a symposium on October 24 and then celebrate our successes with a gala on October 29. Unfortunately, we have had to make the difficult decision to postpone the two events due to an unexpected conflict.

A major socio-economic development event has been scheduled for the same week as our events and it will mean the absence of our special guests, some of our Fellows and a sizeable number of our supporters.

We sincerely apologize for the inconvenience this change has caused in your schedule. In the coming weeks, we will welcome a new CEO who will keep you informed about the new dates.

NLI's CLEVER Curriculum and King College Old Boys

As you may recall, the October 2009 class developed a civics curriculum for secondary schools, tagged CLEVER. A successful pilot was done in Adamawa state last year. This year, Segun Olukoya a member of the class of May 2011 updated the curriculum, reached out to his network of Kings College Old Boys as well as the school administration to launch CLEVER Club as part of the school's offerings of extra curricula activities to their students. The school agreed to launch the program and below are some highlights of what Segun Olukoya has accomplished with the KCOB network and CLEVER Club:

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Appreciation

First Bank of Nigeria

PLC

Banwo and Ighodalo

Civic Centre

- 76 KC students are participating
- The program started on Saturday, Oct 8, 2011 and will run for 5 weeks
- KCOB Class of '92 is providing the funding for running the pilot programme (Training Materials, Refreshments for the Boys, Administration, Weekly Prizes, Trainers Workshop etc)
- GSK Plc is supporting the program with provisions
- OK Foods is supporting the program with provisions, exercise books and pens
- An old boy donated 2 blazers and 75 copies of a magazine
- An old boy donated 5 RL polo shirts for a student in each class

Feedback from 2 facilitators

".....It was awesome..."

"....It was excellent and I also believe that we started a revolution. The boys are all looking forward to the next instalment..."

Networking Opportunities

NLI now has a LinkedIn page. Please

visit <http://www.linkedin.com/groups?mostPopular=&gid=3697582> to join (Open to NLI Fellows and Associates only). It is a great way to network and connect with Fellows & Associates.

You can also view our recent and upcoming events as well as exclusive job offers.

Fundraising

In the last year, NLI Associates have donated over N6 million in cash to projects and spent thousands of hours assisting in programme coordination and implementation. **We say thank you to all Fellows and Associates. We appreciate you.**

If you will like to partner with NLI or contribute in any way, please [click on this link](#) or mail rukoykotcha@nli-global.org

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