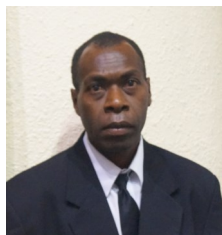


A person is captured mid-swing, suspended in the air against a bright blue sky with scattered white clouds. They are swinging from a tall, intricate wooden structure made of many vertical poles and horizontal rungs, resembling a large, open-air cage or a complex climbing frame. The structure is built from dark, weathered wood. In the lower-left foreground, the green fronds of a palm tree are visible. The overall scene suggests a tropical or jungle environment.

Penama



# WELCOME



**Name:** Jefferson Bani

**Island of Origin:** Maewo

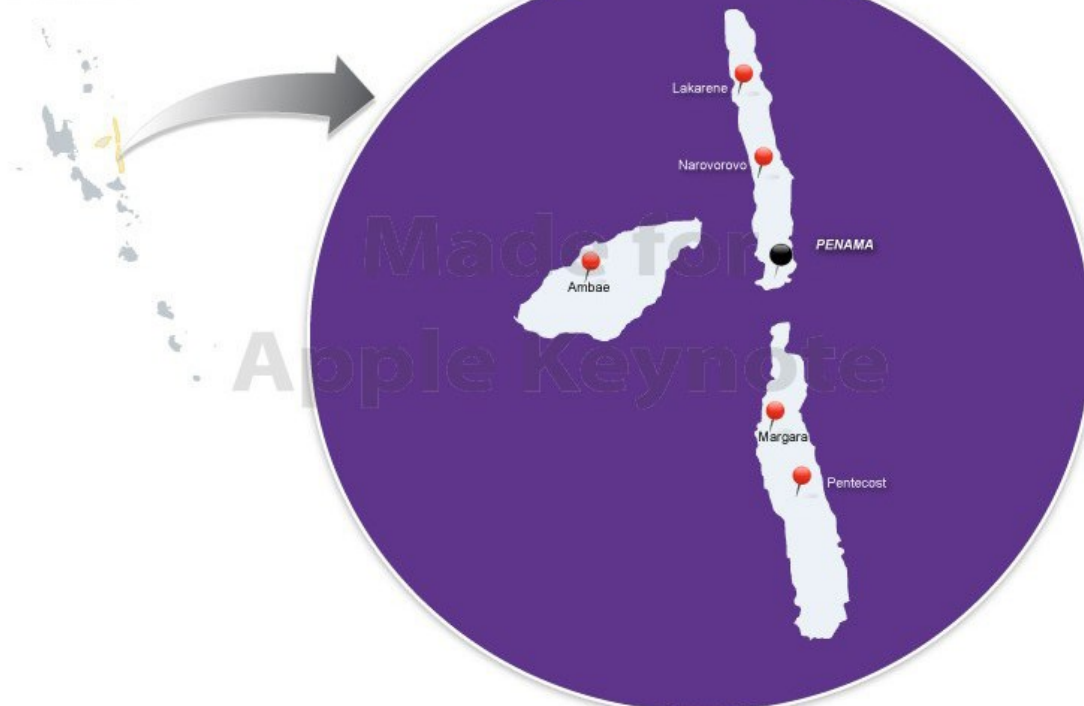
**Province:** Penama

**Position:** Provincial Youth President

On behalf of my Youth and the people of Penama, I would like to warmly welcome you as we journey together in this magnificent youth directory. This directory will provide you with better understanding of the Youth of Penama and the types of organisations that provide youth services.

On the 6th of June 2013, I was elected as the President of Penama Province. I would like to take this time to kindly acknowledge the trust and confidence on me, more importantly I give thanks to the almighty God for the mandate given to me to serve the young people and journey with them till they have fulfilment in life. I believe in my Provincial Youth Council members that we will deliver better services to our young people with the support of the Vanuatu National Youth Council executives, country's Youth Administrator and our partners.

*Penama*



## Description of the Flag

Penama is a province of Vanuatu, occupying the islands of Ambae, Maewo, and Pentecost. The name PenAMA is derived from the initial letters of Pentecost, Ambae (Aoba) and Maewo. Around the year 2006, adopted a neutral flag, which did not contain symbols of both former district flags ([Ambae-Maewo District](#) and [Pentecost District](#)). The new flag of the Penama Province is divided horizontally red-light blue-black-light blue-green (5:2:2:2:5). This flag had a white canton, with a boar's tusk, surrounded by a wreath of leaves of the namele fern. In the upper red stripe is a yellow five-pointed star, in the lower green stripe are two yellow five-pointed stars.



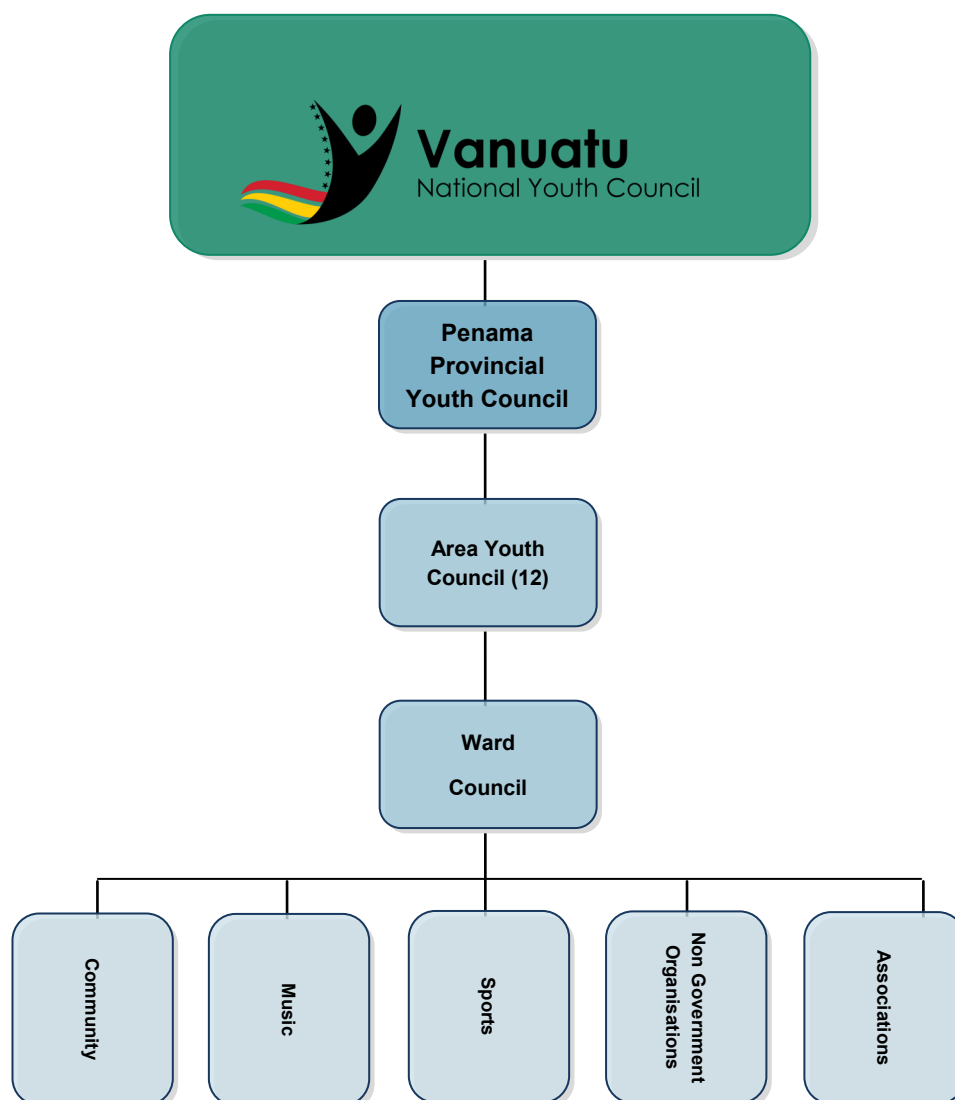
## Brief Background of Penama Province

PENAMA Province, its name derived from a combination of the first few letters of the 3 main islands Pentecost, Ambae and Maewo, is situated in the central part of the archipelago, approximately 150km north of the nation's capital. With a population of just under 31,000, this province is one of the most vibrant in natural attractions – from its breathtaking waterfalls, to the volcanic peaks and rugged mountainous ranges; PENAMA is the mecca for eco tourists. The proximity of these islands fostered trade dating back to ancient times and this has given the islands shared similarities in arts and crafts, traditional dress, language and customs.

In Vanuatu, behind every island's name lies a story telling of how this name came about. Pentecost, known by the locals as "Raga" was given this name after its discovery on the Christian White Sunday. Famous for inspiring bungee jumping with its "nagol" jump, Pentecost is an island rooted in tradition and custom and boasts one of the Pacific's few remaining "kastom" economies, facilitating trade in mats, pigs and kava in exchange for school fees and other major expenses. Ambae, formerly called Aoba, was inspired by James Michener's mysterious island of Bali Hai in his book "Tales of the South Pacific". The island itself is a dormant volcano with a volcanic lake in its centre -Lake Vui- rising some 1496m above sea level, with an old caldera to the east. Boasting magnificent rainforests fed by the rich volcanic soil, Ambae like its provincial brothers Pentecost and Maewo, is famous for its water taro, "melo melo" (stone grind) kava and intricately designed fine red mats. Lake Vui is listed under the world's most dangerous volcanoes because of its catastrophic potential if it were to erupt. PENAMA Provincial headquarters are nestled in a rarely calm but beautiful bay on the north-eastern side of the island, facing the prevailing south westerly winds.

# COUNCIL STRUCTURE

## Penama Youth Council Structure



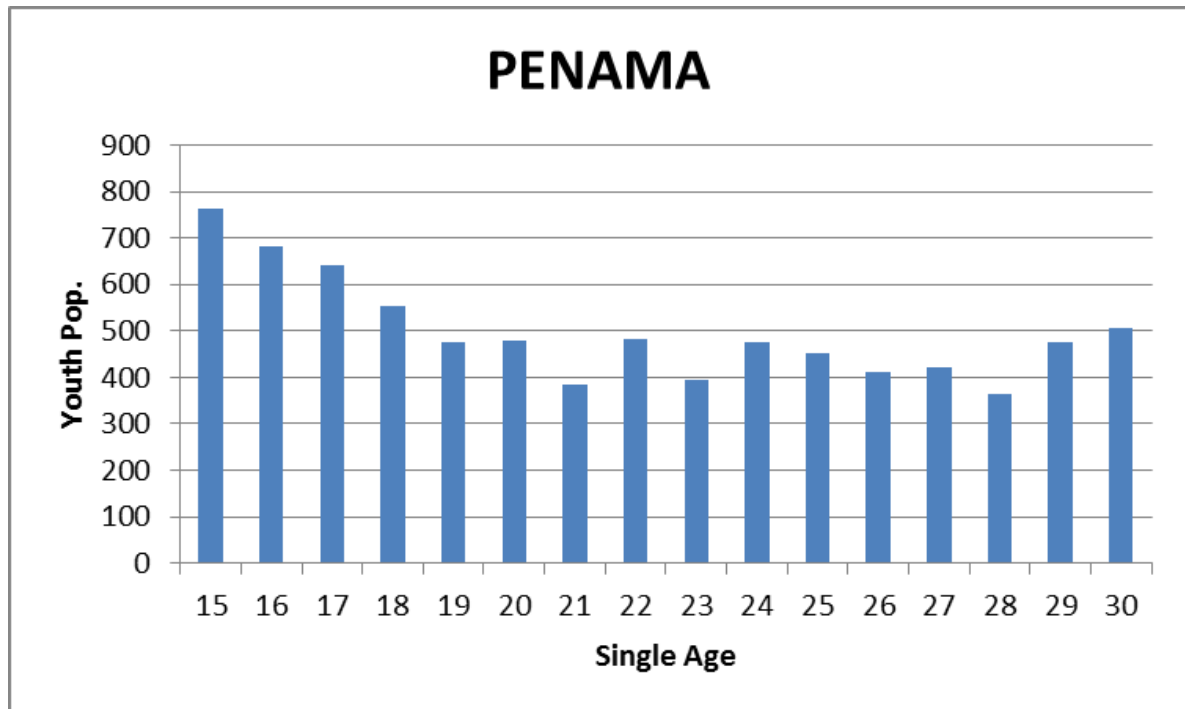
The aim of the Youth Council is to have proper Youth setting/ formation prior to the Youth Structure at all levels in the Province and to work in collaboration with Government bodies and NGO'S, to encourage equal participations by the Youth.

## Penama Executive Members

<b>President</b>	Jefferson Bani
<b>Vice President</b>	David Tari
<b>Secretary</b>	Barnabas Bani
<b>V/Secretary</b>	Johna Woback
<b>Treasurer</b>	Bobly Tahi
<b>V/Treasurer</b>	Jacob Singo
<b>Member:</b>	Derrick Boe Freddy Bule Stephen Manson Tari

# YOUTH POPULATION

## Youth Population Statistic



The total Youth Population of Penama Province is 7972

## Primary School

School Name	Contact
Gambule	38293
Herenhala	5417536
Labultamata (Tamua)	5689159
Lalzadeth	38816
Latano	5582051
Lesasanemal	5370575
Lini Memorial	5693710 / 772694 / 5356288
Lolopuepue	5378367
Lolovoli	7783750 / 5638597
Londar (Baie-Martelli)	5900838
Loone	7774202
Melsisi	7729536 / 5958146
Naleleo	7106427 / 5959115
Namaram	5436617
Nangire/St. J. Baptiste	5353871
Naone	7782161
Naruah	5353279 / 5959944
Nasawa	7769353
Nataluhangele (Vatuhangele)	5438923
Nduindui	38402 / 38118 / 7740770 / 38405 / 5471596
Ngwalona	5424485 / 5348855
Pangi	7728215 / 38502
PointCross	5355849
Qatuneala	5623077
Quatui	5623087 / 7113935
Quirutaro	5683096
Rangsuksuk	5975061 / 7728425
Ranmawot	38308 / 7737326
Ranwas	38860 / 5627894
Raynold Memorial School	5927893
Saint Henri	7723532
Sarabulu	5442033 / 7773951
Simon	7782155
SoriMauri	38130 / 7728244
Sulua	7782157
TalaiRoroiLeleo	5360319
Tanbok	5483316
Torlie	5418594
Tsimbwege	38816 / 38851
Ubiku	7730967 / 5678259
Vanmanla	5422151
VanueMarama	7727635 / 7744157
Vilakalaka	5912299
Volovuhu	5657588
Vuingalato	5466495 / 538844
Waisine	5698542
Walaha	7753816

## Secondary Schools

School Name	Contact	Contact
Tagaga College	Jean BaiSese	7783567/7106359
Navutiriki JSS	Dick Rasa	5904875
St. Patrick's College	Clemson Salai (Patrick -5446720)	7771259/5353048
Ambaebulu JSS	Isaac Talai	7777409/5347394
Penama Adventist College	Elleny Toa	5920185
Gambule JSS	Ellison Reveala	7735335
Lini Memorial College	Richard Leodoro	5448156
Bwatnapni JSS	Drummond Tabi	5480661
Melsisi JSS	Jean Pascal Tarigos	7723554/7735593
Ranwadi College	Steven Toa	5634028/5454805

## Penama Rural Training Centre

Name of RTC	Areas Council	Status	Focal Person	Address	Contact Details
Londua	Tokatrara Area 4	Active	Steven Garae		5537903/ 7792178
Torgil	Lungnetakaro Area 1	Active	Willie Ben Tabi		7727603/59558 84
Pelsa	Roronda Area 5	Active	Roy Boe		7769641
Agabe	Vatunamlan Vanua Area 7	Active	Michael Bule		5402778 / 7763094
Naraea	Bangan Vanua Area 6	Active	John Brownie		5980670/77175 78
Emmanuel	Tokatara Area 4	Active	Trevor Vira		5657273/77891 78
Vatuara	Tokatara Area 4	Non– Active	Stanley Banga		7749641
Timotake		Active	Timothy Takaro		7788754

## Penama Health Services

Health Facility Name	Type	Island	Health Worker(s)
Ambaebulu	Aid Post	Ambae	Joana Aru
Ambanga	Aid Post	Ambae	Rebbeca Tah
Baitora	Aid Post	Maewo	Jefline Tete
Bultamata	Aid Post	Penticost	Florence Vanua
Esua	Aid Post	Penticost	
Gamali	Aid Post	Maewo	
Gamalmaua	Aid Post	Penticost	Jacob Hagai
Lalsadet	Aid Post	Penticost	Lucy Woling
Leo Mauri	Aid Post	Penticost	
Lesasanimal	Aid Post	Penticost	
Lolosori	Aid Post	Ambae	Jonas Sese
Lolovoli	Aid Post	Ambae	Geniffer Tari
Lonata	Aid Post	Ambae	
Londar	Aid Post	Penticost	Marie Therese
Loone	Aid Post	Ambae	Adeline Garae
Lotasana	Aid Post	Ambae	Rockinham Aru
Makemu	Aid Post	Ambae	
Maurep	Aid Post	Penticost	
Nambangaleo	Aid Post	Ambae	
Nangire	Aid Post	Ambae	
Naruwa	Aid Post	Penticost	Maria Mabon
Navuturiki	Aid Post	Ambae	
Neilebati	Aid Post	Penticost	Salome Virameme
Noda	Aid Post	Penticost	Barang Fredie
Nodasera	Aid Post	Penticost	Bule Sergio
Onlaba	Aid Post	Penticost	Betty Matan
Qatuneala	Aid Post	Ambae	Adam Tari
Ranbutor	Aid Post	Penticost	David Buleas
Ransrek	Aid Post	Penticost	Matilda M
Ranwadie	Aid Post	Penticost	Nancy Bule
Ranwas	Aid Post	Penticost	
Redcliff	Aid Post	Ambae	Elton Tepu
Saint Hendry	Aid Post	Penticost	Edwige Mwelsul
St Joseph	Aid Post	Penticost	
Tanbok	Aid Post	Penticost	Eslyn Mabon
Titiro	Aid Post	Maewo	Florence Togo
Ubigu	Aid Post	Penticost	Armelle Molgos
Vandet	Aid Post	Penticost	Melba Bihu
Volovuho	Aid Post	Ambae	Andrea Quarry
Vuiberugu	Aid Post	Ambae	
Vuigalato	Aid Post	Ambae	Madeleine Mweta
Vurease	Aid Post	Ambae	Rebecca Tari
Wanur	Aid Post	Penticost	Evelyn Mabon
Aligu	Dispensary	Penticost	
Angoro	Dispensary	Penticost	
Asanvari	Dispensary	Maewo	
Aute	Dispensary	Penticost	
Bay Barrier	Dispensary	Penticost	



## Penama Health Services (cont)

Health Facility Name	Type	Island	Health Worker(s)
Bwatnapni	Dispensary	Penticost	
Enkul	Dispensary	Pentecost	
Latano	Dispensary	Penticost	
Ledungsivi	Dispensary	Penticost	
Leleveia	Dispensary	Maewo	
Lolopuepue	Dispensary	Ambae	
Lolovange	Dispensary	Ambae	
Mann/Walaha	Dispensary	Ambae	
Naleoleo	Dispensary	Ambae	
Namaram	Dispensary	Penticost	
Nasawa	Dispensary	Maewo	
Naviso	Dispensary	Maewo	
Pangi	Dispensary	Penticost	
Point Cross	Dispensary	Penticost	
Ranmawot	Dispensary	Penticost	
Sakau	Dispensary	Ambae	
Tari Ilo	Dispensary	Penticost	
Tsimbwege	Dispensary	Penticost	
Vandue	Dispensary	Ambae	
Kerepei	Health Centre	Maewo	
Mauna	Health Centre	Penticost	
Melsisi	Health Centre	Penticost	
Nduindui	Health Centre	Ambae	
Lolowai	Hospital	Ambae	

## Wan Smol Bag Youth Centre

Name of Organization/ Association:	Wan Smog Bag Youth Centre
Organization Acronym (if applicable)	(WSB)
Location:	Haulua Youth Centre Lolong North Pentecost
Contact Detail	Noel Aru, Project Coordinator
Phone Numbers:	Office Numbers: 27119/27464 Fax 25592 Mobile 5969495
Postal Address:	Wan Smol Bag Theatre PO Box 1024 Port Vila
Email Address:	<a href="mailto:naru@wansmolbag.org">naru@wansmolbag.org</a>
Key Contact Person:	Noel Aru
Position:	Project Coordinator

### Aim:

- To give services to Youth on Pentecost on issues affecting young people such as reproductive health, sexually transmitted infections, family planning etc.....
- To empower youth to be self-reliance and be better community leaders in the future.

### Programs & Activities

Run general workshops on Reproductive health, Good Governance, Environment, Family Planning, Agriculture, Drugs at the centre. Run workshops on same issues outside the centre with youths and also community leaders.

Run computer workshops with interest youth, facilitated by a tutor from Wan Smol Bag Theatre.

## Live & Learn

Name of Organization/ Association:	Live & Learn
Date it began	2001
Location:	South Pentecost
Postal Address:	P.O Box 1629, Port Vila
Contact Numbers	(+678) 27455 / 5989342
Fax:	(+678) 27448
Email address:	<a href="mailto:andrina.thomas@livelearn.org">andrina.thomas@livelearn.org</a>
Key Contact Person:	Andrina Thomas
Position:	Country Manager
Other key contact Person	Dorah Willie:- Project Coordinator - 7790426

### Vision:

Live & Learn Vanuatu's Vision is for a sustainable and equitable world free from poverty

### Program & Activities:

Climate Change Adaptation and Ecosystems Project for Ranputor - Creating a climate change adaptation and ecosystems project in Ranputor in South Pentecost.

## Vanuatu Family Health Centre

Name of Organization/ Association:	Vanuatu Family Health Association
Organization Acronym:	(VFHA)
Location:	Nataluhangele West Ambae Loltong North Pentecost
Postal Address:	PMB 9065
Email address:	<a href="mailto:vfha@vanuatu.com.vu">vfha@vanuatu.com.vu</a> <a href="mailto:vfha_prgm@vanuatu.com.vu">vfha_prgm@vanuatu.com.vu</a>
Phone numbers:	22140 / 5342238
Fax	24627
Key Contact Person	Illeen Bong (Baiyap – Ambrym) Lilon Anson (Liro – Paama) Madelene Tom (Lembenwen South West Bay)
Position	Project Site Coordinator

### Vision:

We are committed to contribute to a society where people enjoy good health and easy access to quality sexual and reproductive health services and information.

The association works to disseminate services and information's to improve RH/FP in Vanuatu for families and particularly to young people, women and men and to the marginalized Youth (groups)

### Objectives:

To mount campaigns to stimulate and encourage both the government and the private sectors to have greater awareness of population problems in Vanuatu and solicit greater support for family planning ,HIV/ Aids, reproductive and sexual health & rights.

To strive to advance the family planning movement among underserved population by addressing through information, advocacy and services, their unmet needs and demand for family planning, sexual and reproductive health

To educate the Youth on Reproductive health issues and they will start to care about their lives

### Programmatic areas: (5 As)

**Adolescents** & Youths Reproductive Health and Development (AHD)

**AIDS** and other Sexually Transmissible Infections (STIs)

**Abortion:** Prevention of unsafe *Abortion* and provision of abortion complication care

**Access** to quality Reproductive health clinic services

**Advocacy** for reproductive health rights

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## Vanuatu Family Health Centre (cont)

### Activities

Facilitations of Sexual Reproductive Health (SRH) Workshops to marginalized youths in the communities

We organize Focus group discussions of SRH

We train Peer educators. The peer educators provide peer education on SRH

Providing Family Planning & Counselling

Provide Free Toll line counselling on SRH Issues

Awareness at Schools, Churches and Communities in rural communities on SRH, AIDs/ STI

Weekly Radio Program on SRH and other issues affecting young people today

Correctional Centre Program SRH, STI,HIV

### **We also have two clinics operating in Port Vila and Luganville that provides;**

Some SRH services including counselling

Provide Family Planning Services and counselling

HIV/AIDS testing & Counselling

STIs testing/treatment & counselling

Pap smear Testing

Medical check ups

Support for Sexual assault & rape cases

Other health conditions

We also have 10 project sites throughout Vanuatu have a coordinator. They provide awareness on SRH and distribute free condoms. They also provide some resource materials at the youth centres and some documentaries for youth on SRH



## Huhugaituva Association Pentecost

Name of Organization/ Association:	Huhugaituva Association
Location:	Nabwalulu
Contact person:	Derik Leona- President
Phone Contact Details	30070/ 30071/5908965
Email address	<a href="mailto:hga@vanuatu.com.vu">hga@vanuatu.com.vu</a>
Postal Address:	Huhugaituvwa Association, Lolong, North Pentecost
Fax:	30070

### Vision:

- To develop Pentecost Land for the best interest of Land Owner (may be Malau & Tagaro Tribes).
- Setting up Huhugaituvwa Business Arms
- Activities – wholes sale store
- Producers Marketing Coop
- Savings & Loan Coop
- Physical Plan ( Will become municipality and run by “ Ragan” ( People of Pentecost )

### Steps that already happen:

- Talk about the Organization
- Constitution
- Administration
- Setting up the huhugaituvwa Business Arms

### Goals:

To develop existing Assets on the Land for the best interest of the People of Pentecost.  
(That we call – self reliance or - Economic Independence).

### Programs & Activities

Program/ Activity	Person Responsible	Contact Detail
Wholesale Coop	Maho Gaviga	5908965
Producers Marketing Coop	Maho Gaviga	5908965
HGA Savings & Loans	Barnabas Favo	5668640
Administration	Derrick Leona	7721241

## Save the Children Vanuatu

Name of Organization/ Association	Save the Children Vanuatu
Organization Acronym (if applicable)	(SCA)
Location	East Ambae Office, Saratamata & West Ambae Office, Nduindui
Contact person	Amos Talu (Penama Island Coordinator)
Postal Address:	PORT VILA Save the children – Vanuatu program P.O Box 283, Vanuatu Field Office, Port Vila. SANTO Save the children – Vanuatu program P.O Box 730, Luganville, Santo
Phone contact detail	Ambae Office Saratamata: Mobile: (678) 5974381 Nduindui: Mobile: (678) 5974381
Email Address	<a href="mailto:amostalu@gmail.com">amostalu@gmail.com</a>

### **Vision:**

Save the Children works for:

A World which Respects and Values each Child

A World which Listens to Children and Learns

A World where all Children have hope and opportunity

### **Purpose of the Organization:**

Save the Children aims to ensure that children regardless of race, country of origin or religious beliefs have the means for survival, receive protection and have access to nutrition, primary health and basic education

### **Program implemented: Specific Programs**

#### **Health**

Village Health Worker Program

STARS Health Program and IZA

#### **Education**

Early Childhood Program

Humanitarian Response

Education in Emergency

#### **Child Protection**

Child Rights & Protection Program

#### **Construction**

Constructing/Renovation of Aid Post, Pre School and Youth Friendly Spaces

**Note:** STARS Health Program: stands for Strengthening Adolescent Reproductive and Sexual Health Program

It was combination of the previous projects such as YOP, IZA, Social Condom Marketing, Peer Education.

**Goal of the STARS program:**

To reduce Sexually Transmitted Infections [STI] prevalence and unwanted pregnancies among young people aged 10-29 in Vanuatu.

**Objectives:**

- 1] To increase to quality Youth Friendly Services spaces to ensure STI/Family Planning services are Accessible to Young People
- 2] To equip Young People skills that support safe behaviour and their broader well-being and mobilizing Community support for this by facilitating community dialogue and collective action that promoting young People well- Being including SRH
- 3] To support Young People aged 10-29, to develop the capabilities and confidence in Life Skills

**Activities implemented:**

- 1] Advocacy on information to Youths on Child Rights and Child Protection
- 2] Advocacy on Sexual Reproductive Health Information's
- 3] Peer Education program and market sales of Score Condom
- 4] Training Youth in life Skill activities and setting up their livelihood businesses

## Department of Correctional Services

Name of Organization/ Association:	Department of Correctional Services
Organization Acronym	(DCS)
Location	Saratamata, East Ambae
Postal Address	P O Box: 48
Contact Details:	38429
Fax	38364
Email address:	<a href="mailto:ltaga@vanuatu.gov.vu">ltaga@vanuatu.gov.vu</a>
Key Contact Person:	Lowin Taga
Position:	Probation Officer

### Aim and purpose:

The aim and purpose of my organization is to rehabilitate and re integrate offenders (male/ female) back to their communities after serving a term of imprisonment. The organization has a main core value which is RESPECT. This core value up holds the work of the organizations, staffs and detainees within the department of correctional services.

The Department also promotes custom values as re integrative needs of the offender in his or her community.

### Programs & Activities:

Offenders carried out numerous programs while in the correctional centre. These programs includes; Carpentry, Catering, Agriculture, Literacy and Bible studies. Other programs like art work, sewing and other life skills trainings are included as programs given to the detainees. Other programs such as the TVET strengthening programs in the communities are also beneficial to the offenders who however enrol themselves in.

For community based sentence, awareness programs are provided to help offenders re direct themselves to a better beginning of their lives after serving sentences or they are awarded second chances to change their behaviour. This program is available through the Wan Smol Bag Organization