



Corporates clean up on Labour Day

Several corporate executives and their staff swapped suits for jeans, T-shirts and work boots on National Labour Day to provide much-needed facelifts to schools, homes and public spaces. Today, Corporate Hands shares pictorial highlights of the work done by Digicel, Access Financial, Jamaica National, Sagikor, Guardian Life, Appliance Traders Limited, Courts, COK, and LIME.



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Deveta McLaren, marketing manager, Access Financial, puts some muscle into the work as she rakes the garden in front of St Michael's Infant School as part of the Access Financial beautification project for Labour Day.



Out to support the Appliance Traders Limited Group Labour Day project, a Waterhouse Football Club member assists Sunshine Girl Patricia McCalla as they get creative painting a grade-two classroom.



Jacqueline Mighty, chief executive officer of COK, lays tiles at the Diabetes Association in Kingston as part of the company's Labour Day project.



Digicel Jamaica CEO Barry O'Brien (left) and Education Minister Rev Ronald Thwaites (centre) join Digicel Foundation Senior Programme Manager Kerry-Jo Lyn (second right) and Digicel Foundation volunteers in work on Labour Day. The Digicel Foundation partnered with Alpha Boys' School to fully renovate their screen-printing facilities and enhance their greenhouse.



Team members of Sagikor's Mandeville branch came out in support of Royal Flat Basic School in Williamsfield on Labour Day. The school was one of nine included in Sagikor Group Jamaica's all-island Labour Day activities.



LIME Foundation Chairman Errol Miller (on ladder) gets ready to add another brushstroke to a section of the perimeter wall of the St Anne's Primary School on Labour Day, while Corporate Communications Manager Elon Parkinson (second right) and head of the Police Area 4 Division, Assistant Commissioner of Police George Quallo (second left), maintain a firm grip to keep the ladder steady. Senator Kamina Johnson-Smith, who is also LIME's corporate secretary, provides moral support.



Digicel's Trisha Williams-Singh (right), chairman of the New Forest Primary Junior High and Infant school board, pours concrete as community volunteers construct a wall around the playing field at the school on Labour Day.



Members of staff of the Jamaica National Building Society (JNBS) Duke Street branch and the Knutsford MoneyShop, along with JN Foundation volunteers, give a facelift to the Victoria Jubilee Hospital on Labour Day. This project was one of several across the island that was supported by JNBS and the JN Foundation.



Guardian General Insurance Jamaica Limited Assistant Vice-President, Business Development, Sheraley Bridgeman, and Senior Superintendent Michael Smith paint a section of the Police Academy Administrative building on Labour Day. The Guardian Group team assisted by painting and refurbishing sections of the Police Academy located in Twickenham Park, Spanish Town. The team also painted St Ann's Bay Police Station, Mount Salem Police Station in St James, and the Mandeville Police Station in Manchester.



Courts staff members planting fern in Fern Gully for their Labour Day project on Labour Day.

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