

Feb 14, 2012 - Black History Month Film Show at Kissy American Corner

In commemorating Black History Month, the IRC showed the film "Something the Lord Made" to a large group of students and youth at the American Corner in Kissy, East Freetown. This screening raised awareness about the contributions of African-Americans to the U.S., and promoted images of positive social change -- linking to mission goals for promoting responsible, civic-minded behavior among youth.



The AC Coordinator introducing the program show



A cross section of students at the film show

March 26, 2012- Film Show organized by Kissy American Corner and IRC at SL Library Board Headquarters

This was a *Women's History Month* program at Sierra Leone Library Board Headquarters, organized by Kissy American Corner and IRC. The film "*Samantha: An American Girl Holiday*" was screened at the Sierra Leone Library Board in downtown Freetown for viewers in Central Freetown.

The Film supports Mission goals for increased women's empowerment. We used the film to highlight how much can be achieved through bonding and cooperation. Samantha was able to "liberate" her friends because of her empathy and the bond she had with them.



Viewers from various institutions



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March 27, 2012 - Women's History Month program Film Show at Kissy American Corner

The IRC Director in collaboration with Kissy American Corner Coordinator showed the film: *"The Wizard of Oz"* to students and the community.

The event supports Mission goals for promoting women's empowerment; it highlights young Dorothy's endurance in leading her three friends to see the Wizard of Oz. This shows how much can be done by hard work and that women can also lead the pack.



Viewers at the program



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IRC Director leading Q&A after the film show