

## Report on Breakfast Sale Saturday, 24<sup>th</sup> March 2018



*Some of the parents and students taking before the crowd for breakfast*

As students' relying heavily on financial support, GREMED continues to restructure and center our attention on local fundraising. The parents committee along with staff is working together to see that we embark on some effective strategies and ideas for meeting the needs of the community of Grenville. The parents committee are committed to raising funds as their contribution towards the organization thus assisting their children. The committee of

approximately nine (9) committed members and the others volunteering and contributing time and finances towards fundraising efforts.

On Saturday, 24<sup>th</sup> March 2018, GREMED parents hosted its first Fundraiser for the year. After having several meetings on ideas for fundraising, the parents committee took up the challenge to prepare a Breakfast Sale fundraiser. Each parent contributed toward the event making it a successful one. The breakfast started at 6:30a.m. until 11:00a.m. and a profit of \$703.00 was made. Every item for the breakfast was contributed and prepared by the parents; they also contributed financially.

The event took place at the Grenville Car Park. Supporters of the general public along with Ministers of both parties, GREMED's Chairman of the Board, past students and other friends and families of GREMED came to support this venture. Even though our Executive Director was not there in presence as always she raised a total of \$150.00 towards giving a breakfast to children that are accompanying their parents or guardian to the market.

A group of approximately thirteen (13); parents and present students came to assist in selling whist others was directing the crowd's attention to our stall because of the competition for sales. There were two other clubs raising funds that said day; others were keeping a



*One of the recipients of the already paid for breakfast*



***Supporters purchasing their breakfast***

GRENEED presence which was felt by many in the town of Grenville. Thank you support cards were also given to persons purchasing breakfast as a form of appreciation for supporting and at the same time marketing GRENEED. These were done by Reesa Mitchell a student who is studying Business Administration at the TA Marryshow Community College, year 2.

Each participating students were keen and ready to help; Reenel Mitchell whose goal is to become an Entrepreneur really showed how much she was interested in participating by the level of work she portrayed at the event. She is already a young entrepreneur on a small scale as she makes and sells “Cuma” a snack that is well known and loved by children as well as the public. She made it as part of the breakfast and contributed the funds to the organization.



***Reenel Mitchell, year two student of the TA Marryshow Community College; Young Entrepreneur***



***Marisol Joseph at the back, another business student from TAMCC year one***

This was not only a time to sell but it was the training ground for some of

the students who are involved in the Business field and is attending the TA Marryshow College in year one (1) and year two (2). Reesa Mitchell, sister of Reenel Mitchell who works along with her sister selling and marketing their product in at least three places. These students are making snacks and pastries to sell at school. Another, Marisol Joseph who makes and sells cupcakes at the school. This experience was

hands on training for them.

We’ve received excellent ratings from the public not only for what we are doing but the great tasting breakfast that the parents prepared.

The experience was one of a surprise in that the involvement and interest of the parents as they approached and caught the attention of the public as they pass by. The parents really enjoyed the experience and is planning for another in the months ahead.

GRENEED’s Board of Directors, Executive Director and staff says thank you and look forward to their continued support and all intentions to have more of this fundraising activity is most welcome.



***GRENEED’s Chairman supporting the activity***