



FOOD FOR LIFE

For many families and communities throughout the world, food security is a challenge affecting not only their health and nutrition, but also access to education, and economic freedom.



Scouts all around the Africa region have developed an initiative which is spreading throughout the continent – using a programme called Food for Life (FFL), thousands of Scouts in poorer communities are learning skills of micro agriculture, basic marketing and sales, and helping themselves and poorer members of their communities to break from the poverty cycle.

An initiative which began with Scouts in the townships of South Africa has now been hailed by the FAO as a remarkable success. Adapted in each of the 13 countries of the African Scout network, FFL differs according to community needs, but the common thread is that young leaders learn essential skills and pass them on to their peers

This is a project that is literally sowing the seeds of a better future for many families.