



# HUMAN RIGHTS AND SOCIAL JUSTICE LET'S END CHILD LABOUR

World Day Against Child Labour **12 JUNE 2012**



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<b>Americas (Regional)</b>	<p>An online seminar (webinar) on human rights and child labour will be held on the 14 June 2012 for the Americas region. The panel will be made up of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Amerigo Incalcaterra, Regional Representative for South America of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR)</li> <li>• Carmen Rosa Villa, the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR)</li> <li>• José Miguel Vivanco, director of the Americas Division of Human Rights Watch</li> </ul> <p>For the webinar, a video spot and a radio will be produced for dissemination over the internet and the Radio with the support of the American Association for Radio Education (ALER) which maintains a network of over 100 community radio stations throughout Latin America.</p>	Pilar Nuñez ( <a href="mailto:nunez@oit.org.pe">nunez@oit.org.pe</a> )	Lars Johansen
<b>Angola</b>	<p>The Campaign “Africa free of child labour: a pact of the lusophone African countries” launched as part of the Brazilian Pinwheel March starts on June 4 in Bahia, Brazil and arrives to Luanda on June 7. It will be accepted by the MOE and will continue its march in the rest of the lusophone African countries.</p> <p>Following this campaign, a ceremony for the celebration of the WDACL will be organised by the ILO and the Ministry of Education (MOE) on June 12, which will be the culmination of the educational workshop. The workshop aims at the production of children’s messages against Child Labour through the use of SCREAM methodology. It will be organised through collaboration with MOE and the National Union of Angolan Workers (UNTA).</p> <p>On the same day, sports and cultural activities will take place, including meetings between children and the media to discuss child labour under the theme “Children and society fighting child labour through the media”.</p>	Gaspar Estevao ( <a href="mailto:gasparestevao@yahoo.com.br">gasparestevao@yahoo.com.br</a> )	Ahmet Ozirmak
<b>Arab States (Jordan, Lebanon, Syria,</b>	To contribute to and strengthen efforts in Arabic-speaking countries to eliminate child labour through awareness-raising and advocacy on World Day Against Child Labour and beyond, ILO-IPEC will be translating ILO awareness-raising and advocacy materials on World Day Against Child Labour 2012 (some of which have been indicated above) into Arabic and the dissemination	Nicholas Grisewood ( <a href="mailto:grisewood@ilo.org">grisewood@ilo.org</a> )	Snezhana Bedalli



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<b>Yemen, Egypt, Morocco, Algeria and Tunisia)</b>	of these materials in electronic format to all ILO and IPEC offices in Arabic-speaking countries,		
<b>Bangladesh</b>	<p>In Bangladesh, ILO-IPEC will be partnering with the National Coordination Committee for Workers' Education (NCCWE) to organise a human chain of 100 children (working children/former working children), their guardians and community people and 400 trade union members and drawing/painting event on the theme of the day "Human Rights and Social Justice: Let's end Child Labour" involving child labourers.</p> <p>On June 12 ILO-IPEC will also be supporting the launch of the National Child Labour Survey 2012</p>	Hasina Begum ( <a href="mailto:hasina@ilo.org">hasina@ilo.org</a> )	Wahidur Rahman
<b>Benin</b>	<p>Between 2<sup>nd</sup> May and 30<sup>th</sup> June an awareness raising campaign on "Human Rights and Social Justice: Eliminating child labour, where do we stand after the 2010 roadmap" will be planned, organised and implemented. This campaign will aim to contribute towards the elimination of child labour in Benin, with particular emphasis on the protection and respect for the rights of children.</p> <p>By the end of the campaign, children, especially children from areas with a high prevalence of child labour in mining and quarrying (Zakpota, Lokossa Dogbo, Dassa, Parakou) will have been sensitized on the problem of child labour and the need to continue their studies. The campaign will use a popular national TV programme "le Club des fans." The programme will feature interviews from former child labourers and invitee special guests from the Government.</p>	Francois Gautho ( <a href="mailto:gautfranc@yahoo.fr">gautfranc@yahoo.fr</a> )	Alexandre Soho
<b>Bolivia</b>	In Bolivia, a campaign to mobilize national stakeholders to raise awareness among national and local authorities, business, media, employers and society in general on child labour is being developed and implemented. Events will include a press conference involving Government Officials and a media event with journalists in the city of Santa Cruz, with participation of journalists from the city of Riberalta, La Paz and El Alto.	Ana Rouzena Zuazo Lanza ( <a href="mailto:rzuazo@oit.org.bo">rzuazo@oit.org.bo</a> )	Lars Johansen



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<b>Burkina Faso</b>	<p>In Burkina Faso, ILO-IPEC will be supporting a series of events and activities between the 10<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> June 2012, including:</p> <p>Two (2) conference debates organised with the offices of the Ministry of Labour, in regions particularly affected by child labour (agriculture and artisanal mining of gold) on the theme of WDACL. June 12, 2012</p> <p>A drawing competition on the theme of WDACL for students of primary schools in the Municipality of Mogtéo From June 10 to 18, 2012</p> <p>A press conference on June 17 2012, during a television show "Are you interested" on the theme of the day in collaboration with the Ministry of Labour, the Ministry of Social Action and National Solidarity and the Ministry of Promotion of Human Rights.</p> <p>A mobile awareness raising caravan on the streets of Mogtéo on June 18, 2012</p> <p>An awareness raising event, on June 19, will bring together Government Officials, Employers' and Worker's Organisation representatives, local authorities, parents and children around the general theme of World Day against child labour: "Human Rights and social Justice: End child labour". This event will conclude with a theatre performance in the evening.</p>	Romain Hamadou Kobanka (kobanka@ilo.org)	Laurence Dubois
<b>Burundi</b>	<p>Sensitization workshop on the fight against Child labour on the occasion of the anniversary of June 12, 2012</p> <p>In the lead up to the workshop on child labour which will focus on the role of the Burundi education system in eradicating the worst forms of child labour and domestic work and compliance with international labour standards, a series of debates will also be organized and messages will be disseminated and publicized on radio and TV programmes.</p>	Pierre Ntirabampa (pierrentirabampa@yahoo.fr)	Alexandre Soho
<b>Cambodia</b>	<p>In Cambodia, the World Day Against Child Labour was celebrated on the same day as International Children's Day on May 29<sup>th</sup>. 500 children attended the event, in which Samdach Ahkas Moha Sena Padey Techor Hun Sen, Prime Minister of the Royal Government of Cambodia participated and addressed children's issues.</p>	Sisovann Ouk (sisovann@ilo.org)	Wahidur Rahman



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<b>Cameroon</b>	<p>A workshop will be organized to raise awareness of those involved in the preparation of the National Action Plan for the elimination of child labour to be made aware of the role they play in the process, as well as the link between work, school attendance and child health.</p> <p>A radio broadcast will also be produced to inform the public and the media of the human rights violations suffered by children as a result of child labour.</p>		Alexandre Soho
<b>Cape Verde</b>	In Cape Verde, the Labour Minister will mark the opening of the Unit for the Prevention and Fight against Child Labour which is part of the of the CICA (Cape Verdean Institute of Children and Adolescents)	Paulino Isidoro Ramirez ( <a href="mailto:ramirezp@ilo.org">ramirezp@ilo.org</a> )	Pedro Américo Furtado de Oliveira
<b>Chile</b>	In Chile, to mark WDAFL, a series of meetings will be held with ILO constituents and various stakeholders to raise awareness on the issue and theme, as well as the development and implementation of an awareness raising campaign targeting the general public by disseminating messages via radio, television and print media.	María Jesús Silva ( <a href="mailto:silva@oit Chile.cl">silva@oit Chile.cl</a> )	Lars Johansen
<b>China</b>	In Kunming City of China on June 12, there will be a photo exhibition on child labour and trafficking and all photos are taken by a team of 15 young migrant children photographers, aged 7-14. The photo exhibition will tour four different sites of Kunming city until September.	Guo Jia <a href="mailto:guoj@ilo.org">guoj@ilo.org</a>	Wahidur Rahman
<b>Comoros</b>	In Comoros, a general knowledge competition on children's rights and child labour will be held in Moheli on the 9th June at the "l'Alliance Franco-Comorienne." A peaceful march of women's groups and civil society of Moheli against child labour will also be held 10th June 2012. The march will be led by Hadidja Aboubacar, the 1 <sup>st</sup> Lady of the Union of Comoros. On June 12 an official ceremony will be held at Independence Square in the capital of Moheli-Fomboni, which will aim to highlight the importance of the day and the effort to tackle child labour in Comoros.	Ahamada Mbae Ibouroi ( <a href="mailto:mbae@ilo.org">mbae@ilo.org</a> )	Laurence Dubois
<b>Costa Rica</b>	As part of the an awareness raising campaign on WDAFL in Costa Rica a brochure will be developed to inform the public regarding the causes and risks of child labour and in particular on the size and current characteristics of the problem in the country and the sub-region.	Noortje Denkers ( <a href="mailto:denkers@sjo.oit.or.cr">denkers@sjo.oit.or.cr</a> )	Lars Johansen



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<b>Democratic Republic Of Congo</b>	<p>Awareness raising project on the fight against the worst forms of child labour on the anniversary of June 12, 2012 (From 15 May to 15 June 2012)</p> <p>In DRC, radio and television debates will be organized on the situation of child labour in the Democratic Republic of Congo, in particular South Kivu as well posters and banners being produced to raise awareness on the issue.</p> <p>A provincial workshop will be organized on child labour to present and disseminate the National Action Plan against the worst forms of child labour.</p> <p>Experience sharing events will also be organized to discuss cultural influences on child labour and alternatives in the provincial context.</p>	Mavinga Nkambu ( <a href="mailto:nkambu@ilo.org">nkambu@ilo.org</a> )	Alexandre Soho
<b>Egypt</b>	<p>In Egypt, there will be 6 different celebrations all over the country, where children will engage in many activities to raise their awareness as well as highlight child labour issues in their communities.</p>		Laurence Dubois
<b>Fiji</b>	<p>On Saturday, June 9, the People's Community Network (PCN) will organize the WDACL Sports Day to launch the week of action against child labour, and bring relevant issues to the forefront. Children engaged in the PCN programme and those in the settlements will come together for a day of sports and other fun activities.</p> <p>On June 12, in the Central Division, the Child Labour Unit of the Ministry of Labour is organising a poster and oratory competition for schools in collaboration with the Ministry of Education, with participants being students and teachers and invited guests from a cross-section of government agencies and civil society. In the Western and Northern Divisions, roundtable forums on child labour have been organised with participating schools and will be facilitated by MOL officers who have been trained by the Child Labour Unit.</p> <p>On the week of June 8-15, Save the Children Fiji (SCF) is coordinating WDACL activities in collaboration with members of their 'Kids Link' through their Child Rights Programme. They will be focusing on creating awareness through radio and TV media networks, and conducting teacher training workshops on child protection, with a focus on child labour. On June 8th, Save the Children will be conducting training with teachers in Dilkusha Methodist High School on child protection; on June 12 a WDACL 1- Hour Against Child Labour Session will be held with staff; and on June 14-15, selected schools in Labasa will be assisted to explore child protection issues, in particular child labour, and strategies to address these issues.</p>	Marie Jane Fatiaki ( <a href="mailto:fatiaki@ilo.org">fatiaki@ilo.org</a> )	Ahmet Ozirmak



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<b>Ghana</b>	<p>In Ghana a media Briefing will be held on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2012 on the WDACL for members of the Ghana Journalists Association and representatives of all the major media houses, the Ministry of Employment and Social Welfare, the Ghana Trades Union Congress, Ghana Employers Association and the Child Labour Unit (CLU) of the Labour Department to sensitize the general public on the need to promote the rights of children by tackling child labour through education for all children and other social interventions.</p> <p>A forum will also be organized to educate the public on the rights of the child and the effects of child labour on the individual, society and the nation as a whole in Accra. This event will target the general populace to assess the impact of interventions made in the last decade, and strategies to scale up and sustain efforts to achieve the national goal of eliminating the WFCL by 2015, promote children's rights and other goals in the areas of education, poverty reduction and social protection. In addition a Children's Day will also be held to discuss their rights and the possibility of ending child labour and universal access to quality basic education in Ghana.</p>	Akpene Amenumey ( <a href="mailto:aamenumey@yahoo.com">aamenumey@yahoo.com</a> )	Alexandre Soho
<b>Global</b>	<p>Education unions in many countries are encouraging teachers to organise a classroom discussion or other activity on the problem of child labour and the importance of all children having access to quality education</p> <p><a href="http://www.ei-ie.org/en/events/event_details/52">http://www.ei-ie.org/en/events/event_details/52</a></p>		Patrick Quinn
<b>Guinea Bissau</b>	<p>In Guinea Bissau, the Network of Children and Young Journalist of Guinea Bissau will hold a radio debate on child labour on June 12.</p>	Paulino Isidoro Ramirez ( <a href="mailto:ramirezp@ilo.org">ramirezp@ilo.org</a> )	Lauren Dubois
<b>Guyana</b>	<p>The Ministry of Education will launch the Parenting and Community Education programme in Region 10 as well as an Inter School poetry Competition. A special activity with parents, guardians and other duty bearers aims at building popular commitment to initiatives which bring support to school retention and tackle child labour where necessary.</p> <p>The Ministry of Labour, Human and Social Services (MHLSS) will also launch the Child Care and Protection Unit and Child Link parenting Skills Education Programme. A Parenting Workshop will be conducted and will cover aspects of discipline and alternative methods of disciplining; self-work with parents, child abuse and adolescent development, child labour, school dropout, absenteeism and truancy.</p> <p>A Press Launch &amp; Media briefing will be held on June 12.</p>	Sharon Patterson ( <a href="mailto:sharonpat03@gmail.com">sharonpat03@gmail.com</a> )	Ahmet Ozirmak
<b>Haiti</b>	<p>A campaign has been launched in Haiti "Frennen Sistem Restavek" facebook page campaigning against the Restavek phenomenon in Haiti. It's a joint effort of the ILO-IPEC project with MINUSTAH, UNICEF and IOM among others and will also serve as basis for material and</p>	Nancy Robinson ( <a href="mailto:nrobinson@ilo.org">nrobinson@ilo.org</a> )	Lars Johansen



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<b>Honduras</b>	In Honduras, ILO-IPEC will organize a public event on 12 June on this year's theme. For this event an array of materials will be produced to distribute to the 500 general public anticipated as well as Government Officials, representatives from Workers' and Employers' Organisations and civil society.	Noortje Denkers ( <a href="mailto:denkers@sj.oit.or.cr">denkers@sj.oit.or.cr</a> )	Lars Johansen
<b>India:</b>	The National Commission for Protection of Child Rights (NCPCR), ILO and UNICEF have organized a national Seminar titled 'Justice for children – End child labour'. They will make a joint Statement there. In Jharkhand, The State Labour Department will initiate a State-wide campaign against child labour. UNICEF and corporate bodies/industries like TATA Motors, TATA Steel, Essar Group, Rungta Mines, Arcelor Mittal, Mecon, Abhijeet Group, Jindal Group, HEC will develop long term action plans for declaring their respective areas child labour free, the initiation of which will be done on the occasion of WDAFL. Caravan Campaigns undertaken by them in their respective areas will be the first step towards declaring particular villages in the vicinity of these industries as " <b>child labour free</b> ".		Wahidur Rahman
<b>Indonesia</b>	To commemorate WDAFL 12, the following events are being planned Thursday, 14th June 2012 - UCW Report Launch in Bappenas A report launch in collaboration with Bappenas, World Bank and UNICEF. The launch will be organized by SMART FM and hosted by BAPPENAS.  Sunday, 24th June 2012 - Media Briefing The media briefing will be organized by AJI (Aliansi Jurnalistik Indonesia) and Yayasan Kampung Halaman and invite a maximum of 40 journalists from various media. On the briefing, there will be a presentation from ILO on the updated issues of child labor including the report of UCW and Child Labor and Education Study as well as panel discussion (MOMT and MONE) and Video Diary Screening. The representatives of children who made the video will also attend the media briefing.  Thursday, 28th June 2012 - Video Diary Launch 10 videos that were made by children in Jakarta, Makasar and Sukabumi under the following sectors: children as the victims of sexual commercial exploitation, street children, child domestic workers and children in the garment factories will be launched in Erasmus Huis at 4pm.	Dede Sudono ( <a href="mailto:dede@ilo.org">dede@ilo.org</a> )	Wahidur Rahman
<b>Italy</b>	An event hosted at FAO in Rome will take place on June 12.  The event will kick off with the debut of a short video featuring positive action in Cambodia on child labour in fisheries, followed by an FAO/ILO presentation on the Partnership's main achievements and lessons learned for the way forward, and then a panel discussion with FAO managers on the	Bernd Seiffert ( <a href="mailto:Bernd.Seiffert@fao.org">Bernd.Seiffert@fao.org</a> )	Paula Termine



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	work undertaken by their departments on child labour and what more would have to be done to achieve the goal of eliminating the worst forms of child labour in agriculture.		
<b>Jamaica</b>	<p>A tripartite stakeholder's consultation workshop is planned for June 12, at the Wyndham Hotel in Kingston, to present the draft National Child Labour Policy to stakeholders, in the first of a series of national consultations.</p> <p>A press launch will take place during the workshop's formal opening ceremony, so that the function can also serve the purpose of increasing public awareness of the problem of Child Labour in Jamaica and the efforts to tackle it.</p>	Nasolo Thompson ( <a href="mailto:nasolo.thompson.ilo@gmail.com">nasolo.thompson.ilo@gmail.com</a> )	Ahmet Ozirmak
<b>Jordan</b>	In Jordan on June 12 there will be a panel discussion, including children, to address gaps in policy, legislation and programmes relevant to child labour.	Nicholas Grisewood ( <a href="mailto:grisewood@ilo.org">grisewood@ilo.org</a> )	Snezhana Bedalli
<b>Kenya</b>	In Kenya on June 12th a national workshop in Nairobi will be held and on 16th 3 events are being organized in each of the districts which include processions and speeches.	Minoru Ogasawara	Nadine Osserain
<b>Lao PDR</b>	To mark WDAFL 12 in Lao PDR, over 3,000 school children received WDAFL materials, including notebooks with this year's slogan. Major newspapers will be publishing key WDAFL messages in the Lao language as well as National radio transmitting transmit the message on child labour	Kolakot Venevankham ( <a href="mailto:kolavenevankham@yahoo.com">kolavenevankham@yahoo.com</a> )	Wahidur Rahman
<b>Madagascar</b>	In Madagascar, an awareness campaign will be conducted to mobilize all stakeholders in the fight against child labour. As part of the campaign, World Day will be marked on the 15 <sup>th</sup> June in the Amoron'i Mania with a day of activities, which will include games, competition and radio spots.	Lauréat Rasolofoniainarison ( <a href="mailto:rasolofoniainarison@ilo.org">rasolofoniainarison@ilo.org</a> )	Laurence Dubois
<b>Mali</b>	The Labour Minister of Mali will launch the World Day activities by giving a speech on the issue on national TV on 11 June 2012.	Fatou Keita ( <a href="mailto:keitaf@ilo.org">keitaf@ilo.org</a> )	Laurence Dubois
<b>Mongolia</b>	<p>This year, the Ministry of Social Welfare and Labour jointly with the ILO, Mongolian Children's Authority, the National Network against the WFCL and the workers' and employers' organizations is organizing the following activities to observe the day, namely:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Press conference on WDAFL – Protecting human rights and ensuring social justice;</li><li>- A round table discussion on key strategies to implement NAP to eliminate the WFCL from the angle of human rights and social justice, and how it will be connected with the newly approved law on social welfare and current discussion of labour law.</li><li>- One stop service centre at Narantuul market will be officially opened by the Mongolian Children's Authority to provide services to children working at the black market.</li><li>- a football match taking place on the 12 June and printing of WDAFL 2012 materials and posters in the Mongolian language.</li></ul>	Bolormaa Purevsuren ( <a href="mailto:bpurevsuren@ilo.org">bpurevsuren@ilo.org</a> )	Wahidur Rahman
<b>Nepal</b>	WDAFL celebrations in Nepal aims to strengthen the national movement against child Labour in	Bipina Sharma	Wahidur Rahman



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	<p>Nepal by involving the relevant interlocutors including Government of Nepal and the media for a greater solidarity, synergy and sustainable impact for child labour elimination; and to promote awareness and action to tackle child labour in line with the commitments embodied in the National Master Plan.</p> <p>Activities besides printing of material and articles in the print and messages on the radio will include a signature “flex” campaign. This is a nation wide signature campaign in schools, colleges, universities, Government departments and local bodies will be carried prior to 12 June 2012 aimed at generating support and commitment from stakeholders in the fight against child labour. Hundreds of “flex” banners will be produced where 5,000 representatives are requested to express their commitment to eliminate child labour by signature. The collected and signed “flexes” will be demonstrated in school premises, assembly halls and public areas/conference rooms. “Flexes” from Government departments will be displayed at the Breakfast Seminar with journalists</p>	( <a href="mailto:bipina@ilo.org">bipina@ilo.org</a> )	
<b>Nicaragua</b>	The WDACL strategy in Nicaragua is to raise awareness among employers and producers, parents, leaders about the serious risks faced by children in hazardous work, and it will promote the exchange of experiences with the producers of coffee and tobacco so that they can identify preventive and protective actions that can be replicated or adapted in their localities. To achieve this an Exchange Fair will be organized. In addition, 50 participants will be trained on serious consequences of hazardous child labour in the production industry.	Noortje Denkers ( <a href="mailto:denkers@sj.oit.or.cr">denkers@sj.oit.or.cr</a> )	Lars Johansen
<b>Panama</b>	In Panama, a short video message on child labour and its worst forms, which also explores the labour conditions of exploited children and adolescents in different economic activities, was produced. The official launch of the video on 16 May kick-started the awareness raising campaign in the country. The video will be disseminated to all national and local television channels for broadcasting.	Noortje Denkers ( <a href="mailto:denkers@sj.oit.or.cr">denkers@sj.oit.or.cr</a> )	Lars Johansen
<b>Philippines:</b>	A street march/campaign against Child Labour to support the Philippines’ commitment to reduce the worst forms of child labour by 75 per cent in 2015 and the goal of ending the WFCL 2016; Keynote Address by His Excellency Benigno S. Aquino III, President of the Republic of the Philippine; The National Child Labor Committee (NCLC) will launch the nationwide “BATANG MALAYA: Child labour free Philippines” campaign on June 26; The National Statistics Office will release preliminary results of the latest Survey on Children/child labour.		Wahidur Rahman
<b>Sao Tome and Principe</b>	<p>A three-day Tripartite National Seminar will be held in Sao Tome and Principe on 12-14 of June, as a part of the country’s activities to celebrate the World Day. The workshop will aim to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Launch and spread the constitution of the new National Committee to combat child labour</li><li>2. Discuss, complement and validate the draft of the Comparative Study related to the situation of</li></ol>	Tomas Da Vera Cruz ( <a href="mailto:cruz@ilo.org">cruz@ilo.org</a> )	Pedro Américo Furtado de Oliveira



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	<p>child labour in São Tomé and Príncipe</p> <p>3. Propose a Strategic Plan to combat Child Labour (National Action Plan)</p> <p>4. Prepare the country's participation in the forthcoming World Conference on Child Labour, which will be held in 2013 in Brazil</p>		
<b>Senegal</b>	<p>On June 11, 2012, a message from the Minister of Labour and an interview with the Chairman of the CNES on the theme of World Day against Child Labour will be played on the radio, television.</p> <p>On June 11, 2012, a press conference in collaboration with the Ministry of Labour, the Ministry of Women and Children, the Employers' Organisations (CNES, NOC, UNACOIS, and GES), the Committee inter-union struggle against the worst forms of child labour and ILO-IPEC will be organised.</p> <p>On the morning of June 12, 2012 a Panel made up authorities, partners and national stakeholders will convene for the promotion of human rights and child protection against labour. The press briefing and the Panel will make plea for adoption of the National Action Plan for preventing and eliminating the worst forms of child labour and the application of ratified international conventions.</p> <p>On the afternoon of June 12, 2012 an awareness raising caravan will tour the city of Dakar for the promotion of social justice and the fight against violations of human rights, especially the protection of children against the worst forms of child labour.</p>	<p>Paulino Isidoro Ramirez (<a href="mailto:ramirezp@ilo.org">ramirezp@ilo.org</a>)</p>	<p>Laurence Dubois</p>
<b>Sierra Leone</b>	<p>Jingles in different languages on child labour, education, and hazardous work will be aired on different national and community radio stations during the week of the June 12 and the preceding week. Ten-day TV and Radio discussions and Interviews will run in parallel ending June 13. Different panellists and individuals will be drawn from children's organizations, Human Rights Commission, Employers' Federation, Workers' Organizations, Ministry of Labour and other Government Ministries (especially Education, and Social Welfare &amp; Children's Affairs).</p> <p>A public gathering in which statements will be made by key government officials, the ILO and children's organizations will take place on June 12. This workshop will also present an opportunity to talk about the development of National Action Plan against Child Labour (NAP).</p> <p>A Press Briefing is planned for the Monday, June 11. About 40 journalists from different media houses (both print and electronic media) will be invited to a press conference at the Conference Room of the Ministry of Employment.</p>	<p>Sia Mamah Lajaku-Williams (<a href="mailto:siabatt@yahoo.com">siabatt@yahoo.com</a>)</p>	<p>Ahmet Ozirmak</p>



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	<p>A Float Parade/ March Past will take place in the District Headquarter Towns/Cities and this is the climax of the celebrations. Different stakeholders and school children will march through the streets of Bo, Makeni and Kenema and other District Head Quarter towns with banners and T-shirts carrying the theme – Human Rights and Social Justice – Let's end Child Labour.</p>		
<b>Somalia (Somaliland)</b>	<p>Human rights and social justice... lets end child labour!</p> <p>In Somaliland a workshop will be held will bring together stakeholders and donors not only to raise awareness, but also to take forward the recommendations of the rapid assessment on child labour.</p> <p>The Day will be preceded by linking with schools and/or children's groups to provide art materials and conduct a short information session on child labour with the children to engage them to draw their own ideas of harmful work for themselves and their peers.</p>	<p>Emily Galloway (<a href="mailto:galloway@ilo.org">galloway@ilo.org</a>)</p>	<p>Nadine Osserein</p>
<b>South Sudan</b>	<p>On the occasion of the World Day against Child Labour (WDA CL) 2012, the Understanding Children's Work (UCW) report will be disseminated. This first assessment of labour market in South Sudan includes a chapter on child labour is expected to contribute to elimination of child labour in South Sudan through raising awareness among policy makers, implementers and the general public. The event will include a press conference and media discussion forum and will be conducted on June 25.</p>	<p>Minoru Ogasawara</p>	<p>Ahmet Ozirmak</p>
<b>Sudan</b>	<p>The WDA CL 2012 will be observed in the 15 states of Sudan to create nationwide awareness among communities on the importance of ending child labour. At the States level, the revised list of hazardous work will also be disseminated. A discussion forum of stakeholders and decision makers on child labour in Sudan will be organised.</p> <p>A procession will be held on Nile Street of Khartoum to raise awareness against child labour. Posters, brochures, flyers and banners carrying messages on theme "Human Rights and Social Justice... Let's End Child Labour" will be distributed.</p>	<p>Minoru Ogasawara</p>	<p>Ahmet Ozirmak</p>
<b>Tajikistan</b>	<p>In Tajikistan, to mobilize key stakeholders to address the issues ILO-IPEC will be supporting the Child Rights Centre to implement the following activities:</p> <p>A Public campaign in Dushanbe on the topic "Children's rights and social justice - No child labour in Tajikistan" and placing 5 banners in the densely populated places of Dushanbe city. The public campaign will be attended by 10 members of Parliament, Commission on Child Rights and the Department on Child Rights of Dushanbe city, the ILO-IPEC and 35 members of the National Working Group on Elimination of Child Labour and 1,000 spectators which will include parents and children. The picture slideshow on child labour in Tajikistan and ILO-IPEC slideshow <a href="http://www.ilo.org/public/english/wdacl/flash09/index.html">http://www.ilo.org/public/english/wdacl/flash09/index.html</a> in Tajik and Russian languages will run</p>	<p>Muhayo Khosabekova (<a href="mailto:khosabekova@ilo.org">khosabekova@ilo.org</a>)</p>	<p>Snezhana Bedalli</p>



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	<p>on the screen during the 3 hour campaign. Famous music bands and singers will be invited as well to spread the WDA CL 2012 message around the country through music and performances.</p> <p>A theatre performance on child labour will be developed by the drama theatre “Mayakovsky” and will be performed by 15 volunteers from secondary school # 21 of Dushanbe city. The performance titled “We are for the elimination of child labour and social justice for working children in Tajikistan” will invite 600 audiences and will take place on 20 of June 2012.</p> <p>A one day Round Table on the topic of “Children’s rights and social justice - No child labour in Tajikistan” will be organised in partnership with the Office of the Commissioner for Human Rights (Ombudsmen) in the Republic of Tajikistan. The roundtable will bring together 25 members of Inter-Ministerial Working Group of the Ombudsman Office, 15 staff of the Ombudsmen Office and 10 representatives of media to discuss the issue of child labour, children rights and social justice. A resolution to mainstream the issue of child labour and social justice to working children into the State Programme on Education in Human Rights for 2012-2017 will be drafted and agreed prior to the event.</p>		
<b>Tanzania</b>	<p>In Dar-Es-Salam, a one day national event/workshop will be held on 12th June 2012 where the following activities expected to be conducted:</p> <p>WDA CL Walk</p> <p>Speeches from Guest of Honour, Ministry of Labour and Employment, ILO Country Area Office Dar es Salaam, Association of Tanzania Employer (ATE), Trade Union Congress of Tanzania (TUCTA), Development Partners and Other stakeholders Involved in elimination of child Labour such as NGO’s, etc</p> <p>Awards to the Best Primary School Student Writers in relation to the theme of WDA CL 2012.</p> <p>Testimony from children withdrawn from the worst form of child labour.</p> <p>Drama and songs performance from primary school students on WDA CL 2012 Theme and other local artists.</p>	Jacob Lisuma ( <a href="mailto:lisuma@ilo.org">lisuma@ilo.org</a> )	Nadine Osserain
<b>Turkey</b>	<p>Activities in Turkey will involve marches, press conferences, concerts, theatre, cinema and fun fair visits for the children, half day awareness raising meetings etc. to be organized between 9 and 17 June 2012. At the central level, Ministry of Labour and Social Security, Department of Disadvantaged Groups CLU is planning to organize a seminar with the participation of all related parties. Activities will also include the production and dissemination of materials and background</p>	Nejat Kocabay ( <a href="mailto:kocabay@ilo.org">kocabay@ilo.org</a> )	Snezhana Bedalli



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	information. The mass media will be used to disseminate information on this year's theme at national, regional and local levels.		
<b>Uganda</b>	<p>Between 15 April and 15 June 2012, ILO-IPEC has been supporting FairPen Uganda Foundation to deliver a series of activities in the lead-up to world day. These have included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Training 8 teachers in 4 selected schools in coaching the editorial teams in writing newsletters and understanding the theme on human rights and social justice</li><li>• Training peer coaches to provide peer-to-peer support among teachers, between schools, sub-counties and districts</li><li>• Training 100 children in the 4 selected schools in writing newsletters and guiding them on the theme of human rights and social justice</li><li>• Distributing of newsletters to other Fair Pen Uganda schools</li><li>• Producing a special newsletter on Human rights and social justice and reproduce this to be sent to the other partner schools of ILO-IPEC projects in Wakiso district</li><li>• Producing a special edition presentation for World Day Against Child Labour</li><li>• Distributing special edition on Child Labour/human rights and social justice to schools in Wakiso district and the FPU schools within the country</li><li>• Presenting the special edition newsletter to key figures that are in the district: e.g. Head teachers, etc.</li></ul>	Akky de Kort (akky@ilo.org)	Nadine Osserain / Patrick Quinn
<b>Uganda</b>	<p>Also in Uganda, ILO-IPEC has implemented a series of activities with Rural Development Media Communications to increase awareness among community members about the WDAFL and urgency to tackle the worst forms of child labour.</p> <p>Over two weeks, 20 screenings will take place in the districts of Mbale and Rakai. Following each film showing discussions and debates based on the issues conveyed in the film.</p>	Akky de Kort (akky@ilo.org)	Nadine Osserain / Patrick Quinn
<b>Uruguay</b>	The WDAFL celebrations in Uruguay, ILO-IPEC will be supporting national constituents and stakeholders to launch the development of the National Plan of Action for the elimination of child labour and protection of adolescent workers. As part of this event, planning meetings will be organized and background papers will be prepared.	María Jesús Silva (silva@oit Chile.cl)	
<b>Zambia</b>	<p>A total number of 10 schools (4 community schools and 6 basic schools) are expected to participate in inter-school art and quiz competitions on child labour. Children aged between 8 and 18 will be encouraged to participate and the selection of participants will be entirely up to the schools.</p> <p>The art competition will mainly involve designing child labour information materials such as posters, and any other art hand crafts depicting child labour messages and the 2012 WDAFL theme.</p>	Mukatumi Chabala (chabala@ilo.org)	Ahmet Ozirmak



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	<p>A round table sensitization meeting will be held with the media. The objective of this meeting is to provide up to date child labour information to the media, as well as highlighting planned activities prior and during WDACL 2012 national commemoration.</p>		
<b>Zanzibar</b>	<p>In Zanzibar, a meeting will be held with the Children Committee, on 10<sup>th</sup> June 2012, to increase their awareness and knowledge on child labour.</p> <p>On 12 June 2012, the Child Labour Technical Group meeting will be held at Elimu Mbadala Hall and guest of honour on 12 June will be the Minister of Labour (Hon Haroun A Suleiman). The meeting aims to:</p> <p>increase awareness of the community members and Child Labour Technical group to both NAP and children issues in relation to the 2012 WDACL theme 'Human Rights and Social Justice...lets end child labour'</p> <p>Share experiences, challenges, lesson learnt on NAP implementation and proposed recommendations that will presented to the Ministry of Labour for further action and follow ups.</p> <p>Understand the focal person's expectations and way forward for the better implementation of NAP so as to eradicate the worst forms of child labour by 2015</p>	<p>Jacob Lisuma (<a href="mailto:lisuma@ilo.org">lisuma@ilo.org</a>)</p>	<p>Nadine Osserain</p>