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Husbands value wives' business ventures in India

When twelve women on Pulicat Island, South India, joined together to form a self-help group their husbands were apprehensive as women traditionally did not run businesses. The women saved and pooled their money and were able to start a small business preparing pickled prawns to sell in the local market. Their husbands are now their biggest supporters and help the women gather the prawns. If you would like to read more about the programmes in India go to www.fivetalents.org.uk/pages-india_chennai



Tom Sanderson writes about microfinance for St Paul's Institute

St Paul's Institute seeks to stimulate dialogue on contemporary issues within the church and bring a Christian ethical response to our understanding of finance, economics and business. Tom Sanderson, UK Director of Five Talents recently contributed an article titled "Microfinance: Small is Beautiful" to St Paul's Institute, to read it go to www.stpaulsinstitute.org.uk



The Browning's return visit to Uganda

In June, Richard and Elaine Browning returned to visit Five Talents Uganda (FTU) to deliver business training to the clients and leadership training to the FTU team. To read about their trip go to www.fivetalents.org.uk/page-uganda. We are saddened by the horrific bombings in Uganda during the World Cup final. We contacted the FTU office and were pleased to find they are all well. We ask for your prayers for Uganda during this difficult period.



Five Talents launches Volunteer Conference this Autumn

On the 1st of October, Five Talents will be holding a Volunteer Conference in Central London from 10am till 4pm. We will spend the day equipping volunteers to become effective ambassadors for Five Talents. If you are interested in attending and becoming an ambassador for Five Talents please contact the office on 0203 326 0426 or info@fivetalents.org.uk. Attendees are invited to donate £10 to cover costs (lunch is provided).



Laura Doulton - runs, swims and rides to fight poverty

Laura, a long-standing supporter of Five Talents, who has previously visited the Five Talents programme in Tanzania, took part in the Human Triathlon on the 3rd of July to raise money for Five Talents programme work. Not only did Laura complete the gruelling Triathlon with flair, she also raised a whopping £1,050! If you would like to sponsor Laura or read more about her experience go to www.justgiving.com/Triathlonadventure.

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