



Embassy of Italy Kampala

#KampalaPerGrisciano

At 3.36am of August 24, 2016, an earthquake of 6.2 magnitude (Richter) struck Central Italy (in particular the Regions of Lazio, Marche and Umbria).

The most heavily affected towns were Accumuli, Amatrice and Pescara del Tronto, with a death toll of 298. Families were torn apart, hundreds of people wounded and 2,500 were displaced.

Also the small medieval town of Grisciano (hometown of “pasta alla Gricia”) was heavily struck. One person died, many were injured and most of the buildings were badly damaged leaving dozens of families stranded.

During the Italian Cultural and Culinary Week which is going to be held in Kampala, from 14 to 18 November 2016, the Embassy of Italy will launch a fundraising drive to help the families of Grisciano to recover from the tragedy and reconstruct their houses.

Contributions may be directly channeled to the Association “Amici di Grisciano” (see below information for bank transfer and PayPal). As for the details of payment please indicate: #KampalaPerGrisciano.

How to contribute:

Bank transfer:

IBAN: IT5100760114600001014657330

SWIFT: BPPIITRRXXX

PayPal:

www.retedeldono.it/en/progetti/amici-di-grisciano/un-aiuto-per-grisciano

Cash:

Cash contributions will also be accepted during the week’s events organized by the Embassy.

