

# The Difference that three years can make!

Before:

After:

2003



2006





# ***What can we do?***

- Creativity
- Community Spirit
- Diversity
- Organic Matter



*2 months  
after planting:  
Feb 2005*



*5 months after  
planting: May 2005*





**Awareness &  
Advocacy**

**Food &  
Medicine  
Displays**



# Nutritionists at work in Malawi!



- *National Nutrition Guidelines development*
- *Nutrition and HIV recommendations*
- *Food and Nutrition Security Policy input*





# Permaculture Schools

- The following slides show a few examples of schools as they progressed through their own development
- Some schools started in October 2006
- Other schools started in March 2007





Thyolo, Nkaombe Primary School, October 2006

The yellow area is where we will show the progression, although the ENTIRE school ground has developed in the 1.5 years.

The red area is the Kitchen

The blue area is a fixed point that you will see in a following picture



Thyolo, Nkaombe Primary School, June 2007

The construction phase in the dry season – perennial plants care for themselves with help from mulching, inter-planting and good design placements. Groups of teachers, community members and pupils visit each other to learn from each other.





Thyolo, Nkaombe Primary School, February 2008 (1 year 5 months)

The red area is the Kitchen

The blue area is the roof of a school block

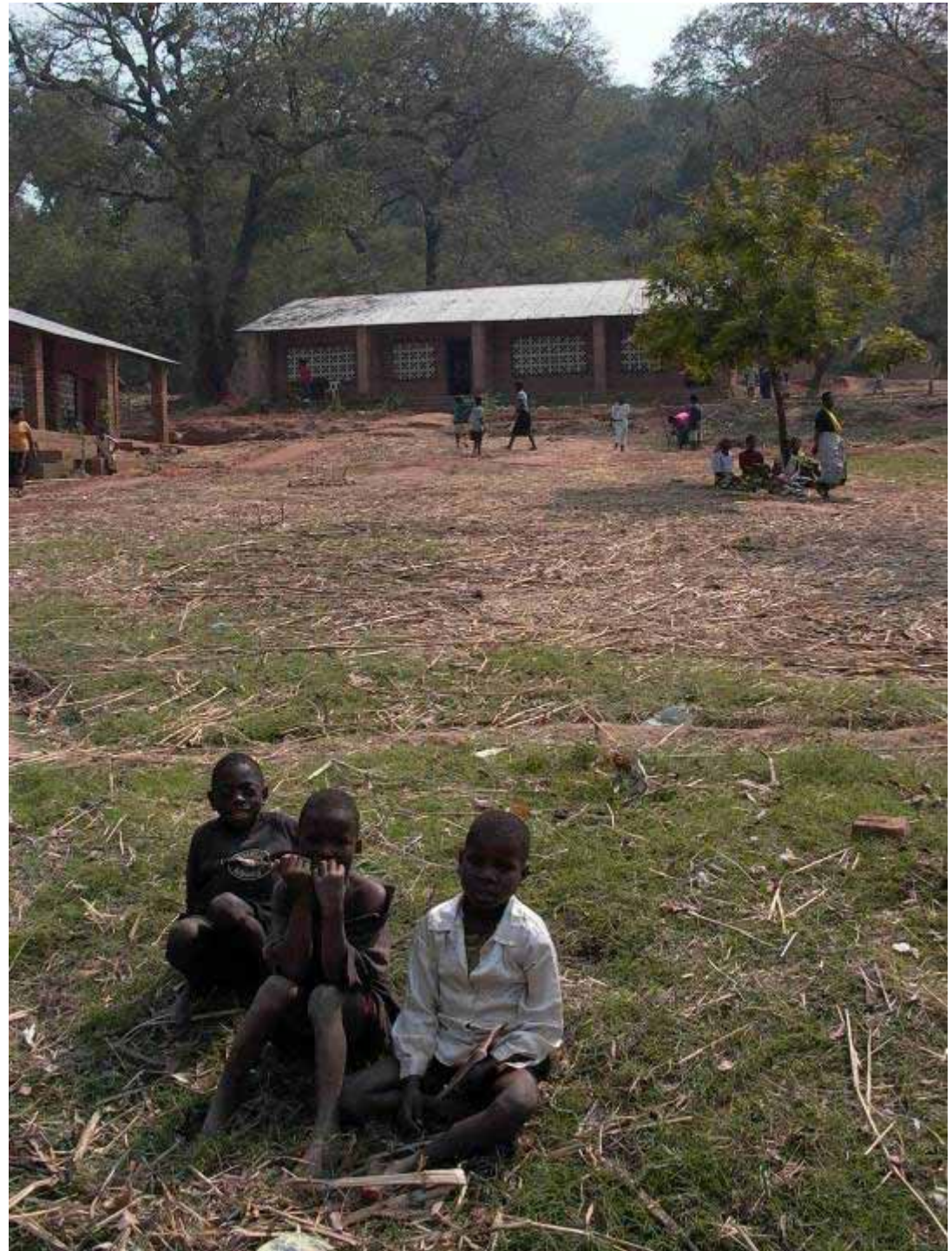
I recommend going back and forth to the October 2006 slide a few times!





# Mulanje, Nalipiri Primary

- The construction phase – mulching everywhere
- We advise schools to make this phase as neat as possible (this school did neaten up their work later)





# Mulanje, Nalipiri School 2007 Dry Season



- Some pathways defined, sweeping reduced so plants can grow