



Project Summary

Urban Playground Pavão Pavãozinho Rio de Janeiro, Brazil



Project Name:

Pavãozinho Playground

Project Location:

Pavão Pavãozinho
Favela, Rio de Janeiro,
Brazil

NGO Partner:

Community in Action

Project Cost:

\$3,480

Needs Assessment:

- The current play area is falling apart, unsafe and unhygienic.
- This community is one of the poorest as it has been subject to many years of gang violence related to drugs.
- Children currently play in the streets, dumps, sewers, dumpsters, abandoned buildings, etc.
- The entire community will gather for BBQs, birthday parties, etc.



There is only one recreational space to play in in this community: 6 years ago, Community in Action's volunteers and a local team partnered up to install a playground, with a limited budget and a focus on eco-friendliness. Although the playground received maintenance upgrades during this time, the damage from the heavy rains, unforgiving sun, and salty air is now irreparable. The structure stands on a rough ground/surface, which is an invitation to dogs to "do their business" - causing health and hygiene concerns when kids are playing in this space.

By removing the existing structures, laying a proper and leveled cement ground, and installing a professional playground, this space will once again be a safe and clean place for children of the Pavãozinho community to play. There will also be a new e-garden, BBQ and benches for the entire community to enjoy.

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