

Attendance of Ambassador Nishimaki at the launch event of the Japan's Emergency Grant Assistance Project in Ohangwena Region implemented by WFP, TV live interview program, visit to a food distribution retail store and to a beneficiary household (5 December 2024)

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On 5 December 2024, Ambassador Nishimaki traveled to Ohangwena Region, where the World Food Program (WFP) is implementing food distribution under the Japan's Emergency Grant Assistance Project (Amount Provided: US\$500,000). Ambassador Nishimaki attended the launch event, made a live appearance on a TV interview program, visited a retail store where food distribution was taking place, and visited a beneficiary household who received the food items. This emergency assistance supports the drought relief program of the Namibian government, which is facing the worst drought in the last 100 years, by providing food vouchers to 26,555 people in Kunene and Ohangwena regions. This assistance is helping to halt the rapid deterioration of food insecurity in both regions, saving lives and preventing malnutrition.



Ambassador Nishimaki (centre) attended the event



the event venue



Ambassador Nishimaki visited a retailer shop and confirmed that the food distribution started.



Ambassador Nishimaki and Ms. Shafudah, WFP Deputy Representative on a TV program