

**CHARITY BAZAAR OF THE**  
**LADIES' FRIENDSHIP ASSOCIATION FOR AFRICA &THE**  
**MIDDLE EAST, TUESDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2017**

The Ghana Embassy in Tokyo, participated in the 19<sup>th</sup> Africa and Middle East Charity Bazaar organised by the Ladies' Friendship Association for Africa and the Middle East, a non-profit making group of spouses of Japanese Ambassadors and Diplomats who served in African and the Middle Eastern countries. The event was held at the Royal Park Hotel in Suitengumae, Tsukiji, Tokyo on Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> October, 2017 from 11:00hrs to 15:30hrs.

Every year, equal percentage of the proceeds from the charity event is given to representatives of the member/participating countries for various charitable duties in their countries. Last year, Mrs. Alice Parker-Allotey, the spouse of the Head of Ghana Mission, who is a member of the Association, made donations from the event to some Charity Homes in Ghana including the Psychiatric Unit of the Pantang Hospital and an Orphanage at Dodowa, near the Police Station.

This year's event attracted hundreds of people and the Bazaar was interlaced with performances by some African drummers and dancers.

This Mission acquired two (2) booths for exhibition of Ghanaian products and food sale. Participants who visited Ghana's food stand were treated to some sumptuous meals at very affordable prices. Dishes prepared included Jollof Rice with Chicken, Kaklo and Bambara beans, Fish & Vegetable Pie served with hot Ghana chocolate drink. **Pictures taken at the event appear below.**

