



Board of Badgers  
Impact Report II

# Quarterly DAO Report

July - Sept  
2022



# OUR MISSION

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Honey Badges is a cheeky collection of carbon neutral NFTs made in the image of the fearless and resilient honey badger, designed to fund change-makers and be the key to an impact-driven global community.

Our mission is to utilize Web3 technology to empower global change-makers and have a positive impact on the world.

# VISION - WEB3 PHILANTHROPY

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Honey Badges NFTs offer a more significant experience than simply holding a unique digital art piece. It is an investment in a more equal world, where social impact is valuable and can be conducted peer to peer, without middlemen. The NFT token is representative of the holders values and utilised symbolically to convey the community's passion for giving back, standing up to injustice and supporting positive change.

Honey Badges NFTs fund change-makers. Utilizing the concept of a decentralized autonomous organization (DAO), Honey Badges NFT wants its holders to be able to nominate and fund exceptional humans who don't fit traditional grant making criteria. Run by a team with many years of experience in the charity world, Honey Badges NFT proudly labels itself as a project that fights for human rights, gender equality and improving living standards around the globe.



# Our History

**March 8th**

Honey Badges NFT collection mints and the DAO is launched

**March 9th**

\$2,000 to St Jude Children's hospital - Roadmap Donation

**March 18th**

\$5,000 to the Nawarddeken Academy - Roadmap Donation

**May 9th**

Power of Women Grants

- Mady Madlin
- studio SYLVO

**April 17th**

First DAO Grants Funded:

- OutRight International, LBQ Connect
- Nigerian LGBTQIA+ activist, Matthew Blaise
- Lillian Bagala, fighting Period Poverty

**March 25th**

First Board of Badges team elected by DAO

**May 30th**

Second DAO Grants Funded:

- Musa Sheriff, computer literacy
- Mweze Mugisho, arts centre
- Julius Chirimwami, benches + chairs

**June 20th**

Third DAO Grants Funded:

- Mweze Mugisho, extra materials for arts centre

**June 30th**

New Board of Badgers elected

**September 31st**

Sixth DAO Grant Funded: Hope Again Project - empowering teenage mothers to continue their education in Uganda

**August 31st**

Fifth DAO Grant Funded: Watoto Are Tomorrow - English program in refugee settlement

**July 31st**

Forth DAO Grant Funded: Good Trouble by Esther Zimudzi - Youth activist campaign in Zimbabwe

**October 6th**

New Board of Badgers elected



We have had a lot of feedback that it's the first grant application people have filled out that feels like it's written with the applicant front of mind, considerate of all the challenges that come with being a grassroots organisation.



# FOUNDERS REPORT

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Our second quarter has been just as joyful as Q1, with a shift in the market and challenges for many in the world of Web3, the regularity of the Honey Badges DAO (DO) structure has brought consistency and purpose, month in month out.

It is such a testament to the quality of our board from Q1 that so many Board of Badgers members wanted to stay on for Q2. The standards and procedures developed by our team (with special mention to Lindsay Emery) make all behind the scenes work simple and efficient.

All three change-makers funded in this quarter were incredibly worthy individuals but I have to mention Esther Zimudzi, a youth activist who really confirmed the value of Honey Badges when she said, "When you vote for a project, you are not just voting yes to the idea but you are also validating the sanity of the person who authored the passion project."

Activism can be a lonely journey and creating community around someone's vision for a better world is a big part of Honey Badges purpose.

I continue to be so proud of this project and community, everything it is and has the potential to be. But most of all, I am proud to be surrounded by the calibre of the individuals drawn to it. Bold, bright and wanting to make the world better.

**Geena (G.D Anderson)**

## OUR PEOPLE

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The Honey Badges DAO (Decentralized Autonomous Organization), consists of holders of Honey Badges NFTs. The DAO is led by the Board of Badgers.

The Board of Badgers consists of roughly 10 DAO Leaders that are elected by the Honey Badges DAO for a 3-month term. Additionally, Honey Badges Founder Geena is a full-time advisor to the board.

# OUR PEOPLE CONT.

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On 30 June 2022, Honey Badgers officially voted in its second Board of Badgers.

The Board was tasked with vetting the grant applicants for the Honey Badgers Grant, community governance, advocating for the DAO and managing assets in the community wallet.

## THE SECOND BOARD OF BADGERS

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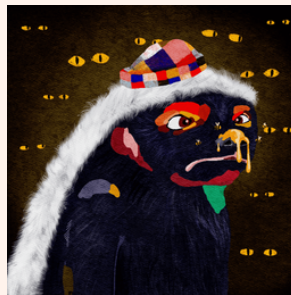
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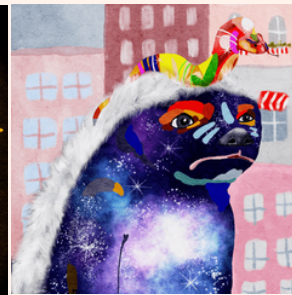
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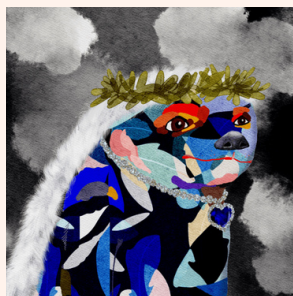
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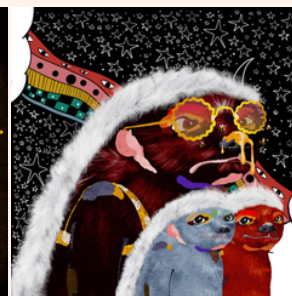
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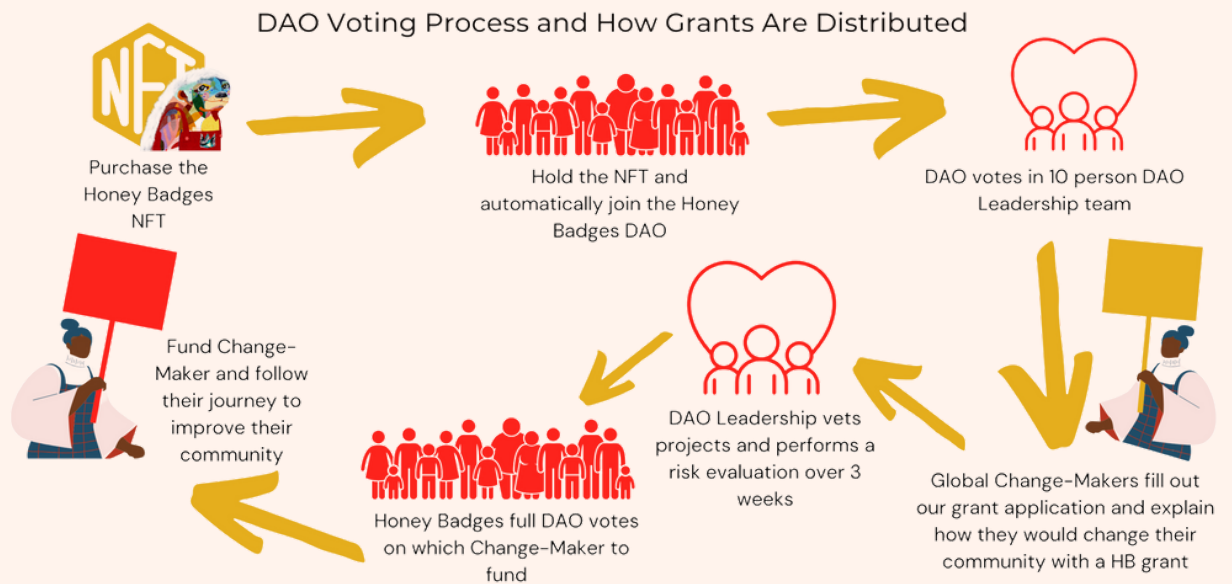
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# THE DAO'S PROCESS

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## GRANT WINNERS

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### JULY 2022 GRANT RECIPIENT

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- Good Trouble - Esther Zimudzi | Zimbabwe

### AUG 2022 GRANT RECIPIENT

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- Watoto Are Tomorrow | Uganda

### SEPT 2022 GRANT RECIPIENT

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- Hope Again Project | Uganda

# MEET OUR CHANGE-MAKERS

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## Esther Zimudzi - Good Trouble

Esther Vongai Zimudzi is a Zimbabwean human rights and constitutional activist. Her project 'Good Trouble' funded with the help of Honey Badges brought youth activists together to teach constitutional literacy and advocacy so that they can stand up for their rights, influence policy and create lasting systemic change within their communities. Esther's work leads to PEOPLE POWER which she is positive will see the discourse of governance change through the active citizenry.

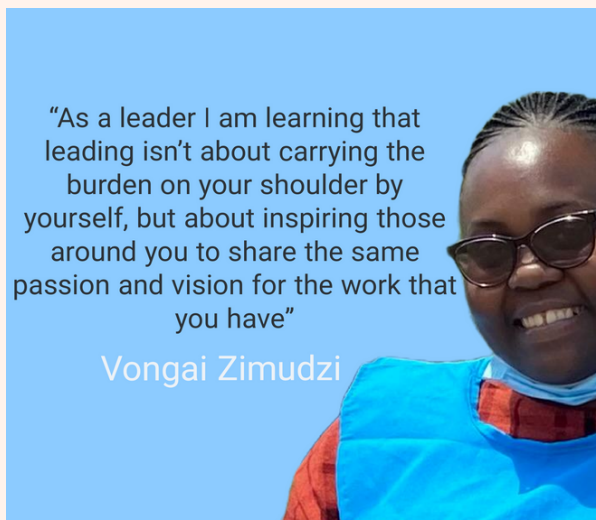
"In this last month we managed to successfully visit 118 homes and distributed 262 copies of the constitution. We have managed to ignite the conversation."

"The project has been very emotional for me because we are not just moving around telling people about the Constitution, we are getting into people's homes and getting in their lives and experiencing what life is like through their lenses.

After initial engagement, we had youths who expressed interest in registering to vote and we helped them in starting processes to get their Identity documents.

I am also happy to report that an immediate impact the project was that we managed to bring together young mothers and youth activists to discuss the issues they would want government to address and improve on in the 2023 budget, such as healthcare.

It was a pleasure seeing them citing the constitutional provisions that support their submissions."



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## [Jerome Kwilyame - Watoto Are Tomorrow](#)

"In Nakivale Refugee Settlement in Uganda, children aged 3 to 18 years old often do not access school due to the language barrier coming from non-English speaking countries. 'Watoto Are Tomorrow' is a social enterprise that creates safe spaces for children and youth to receive early childhood development classes and informal education.

The Honey Badges grant helped to finish a building with 4 classrooms and a computer hub to help children learn English and continue their schooling.

Through the grant we now have a beautiful building, wooden chairs, and shelves. Its impact is enabling us to serve a huge number of refugee children as well adults in the Nakivale Refugee Settlement. People in the community are also proud about our library activities since it is helping to fight against illiteracy in the community.

We had a long building process, which is still ongoing and the grant has made it that much easier to get things done and thrust us forward. We hope to launch 3 other English classes very soon.

We thank Honey Badges for their support to help us succeed in this venture."





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## [Menya Julius - Hope Again Project](#)

Youth Chaperon Uganda is a Youth Led Community Based Organization established in 2016 by a group of educated youths, working in the development sector with a mandate of inspiring, empowering and transforming girls and women in all aspects of life.

Following the outbreak of the Covid-19 pandemic, the president of Uganda ordered for the closure of all schools and universities and about 15 million learners were sent home. According to Ministry of Health Uganda report (2020), nearly 650,000 pregnancies were recorded between 2020-2021. This has accelerated school dropouts due to stigma, psych-social challenges, prenatal deaths, unsafe abortions & accelerated poverty levels.

Hope Again Project is aimed at empowering teenage mothers between 9-18 years with psych-social support and equipping them with vocational skills in the three districts (Kamuli, Luuka and Mayuge). With the Honey Badges grant we will create awareness for our important work and break stigmas around this growing issue.



# UPDATES FROM PREVIOUS GRANTS

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## [Best Future Centre - Julius Chirimwami](#)

Thank you so much for your generous support, because of your support now children are now having somewhere to sit when getting an education in Nakivale refugee settlement Uganda, at Best Future Centre. Not only are children benefiting but also their parents who learn different vocational skills from Best Future Centre in order to become self sustaining.



## [Period Equity Africa - Lillian Bagala](#)

Four young women gathered at Fire and Ice Hotel in Cape Town, South Africa for a breakfast to interrogate the state of menstrual inequities in Southern Africa, the breakfast meeting featured Young Women Ambassadors that work to prevent HIV and AIDS, and improve the sexual and reproductive health and rights of adolescent girls and young women in Botswana and South Africa.

Video [here](#)



## [Outright - Katie Hultquist](#)

We've finished the first module on LBQ activism and are partway into the module on strategic planning and fundraising. All the best from the entire OutRight team and thanks again to the entire Badger DAO for your support! Video [here](#)

# Philanthrop3

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## LAUNCH OF PHILANTHROP3

Philanthrop3 is a public resource hub for charities, NGO's and Web3 enthusiasts striving to make a real difference - from web 3.0 to the real world.

Philanthrop3 was founded in 2022 by members of Honey Badges for the purpose of shining a light on the potential of Web3 philanthropy. Philanthrop3 is your one stop shop for all things philanthropy in Web3. Whether you're just getting started or growing your interest, we strive to simplify the process for everyone. We provide trustworthy, dependable resources + guidance that uplifts and supports the philanthropic efforts of Web3, paving the way for change.

If you're a grassroots charity, a mission based company or an individual looking to learn, Philanthrop3 saves you the trouble of searching for information and brings you industry leaders perspectives on Web3 in one place! Head to our Resource Hub and start learning!

### Philanthrop3 Feature 3

#### WOMEN AND WEAPONS GIVE BACK

Project Women and Weapons (PWW) is an art-based project by Sara Baumann, which aims to do good in the world and spread the message of women through art, philanthropy, education, and more.

The project is based on Sara's 100 pieces of artwork, which are sold to support women's education and community development in the Global South.

Philanthropic Efforts with Sara Baumann

Why did you add a philanthropic element to your project?

What causes do you support?

One of the biggest reasons we support is women's education and empowerment. We believe that education is the key to breaking the cycle of poverty and creating a more equitable world. We also support women's leadership and empowerment, as well as community development and social justice.

### Philanthrop3 Article

#### A Chat With The Giving Block

A conversation with Em May & G.D. Anderson (Philanthrop3) and Pietro Moran & Emily Facella (GDB)

GDB loves to talk about non-profits, when we talk about crypto philanthropy, we talk about Giving Block. Which, of course, for a long time was \$10,000. Initially when you said \$1M, I was like, that sounds like a really interesting idea, but that is an enormous amount of money. It's fascinating, I'm sure there's some kind of psychology behind giving cryptocurrency when it has value like the number five, you're probably like, 'oh, that's an easy one', especially if you got lots of ETH, when you know spending one of your USD equivalents like, 'oh, that's a nice amount to give'.

Peter: You sound right about the psychology. If I participated in crypto and thought ETH when it was \$20 and it went to \$4000, I might have a couple thousand or a couple hundred Ethereum, where a 2 or 3 ETH spend doesn't feel like a lot, especially because it's an intangible asset.

Emily: So, it's like you're giving as a cash asset, but it acts more as a stock in terms of frequency of giving and then being of giving for the average.

Peter: There are very relevant deduction tax advantages that come with that, since it's designed in the United States as a property asset, a lot of donors will utilize that strategically with an tax and accounting professional. It's an added level of utility for donors. It's probably the best asset in the world to donate because it's super liquid and it still acts as a property asset from a tax compliance standpoint.

### Philanthrop3 Article

#### The Rise of Social Tokens with Lana Dingwall

philanthrop3 with Lana Dingwall - co-creator of Bantipark and part of the Bantipark core-team by @lanad

Let's talk about your background? Lana: I'm a digital marketer and a philanthropist. I've been involved in the digital marketing space for a long time, and I've been passionate about social tokens and blockchain for a while. I've been involved in the digital marketing space for a long time, and I've been passionate about social tokens and blockchain for a while.

What do you think is the most interesting potential for the charity sector in web 3? Lana: I think the most interesting potential for the charity sector in web 3 is the ability to create digital assets that can be used to fund social causes. This is a really exciting area, and I think it has a lot of potential.

When did you get into Web 3/Blockchain? Lana: I got into Web 3/Blockchain about a year and a half ago. I was initially interested in digital marketing, but I became more and more interested in blockchain and social tokens as I learned more about them.

Why did you get into it? Lana: I got into it because I was interested in the potential of blockchain and social tokens to create a more equitable and transparent world. I believe that blockchain and social tokens can help us to create a more equitable and transparent world.

### Philanthrop3 Collective

#### What is Web 3 and Blockchain Technology

What is cryptocurrency? Cryptocurrency is a digital or virtual form of currency that uses cryptography to secure transactions and to control the issuance of new units of currency. It is decentralized, meaning that it is not controlled by a central authority.

What was the problem it was solving? 1. Reliance on Banks: Most transactions, transactions on the internet are done electronically using a system that relies on a central authority, such as a bank. This system is often slow and expensive, and it is often subject to government intervention.

2. Access to Banking: In a world where many people do not have access to banking and financial services, it is important to have a way to access these services. Blockchain technology can help to create a more inclusive financial system.

### Philanthrop3 Collective Articles

#### Why Should Non Profits Care About Web3 - with WaterAid

with WaterAid's Director, Stuart Wilson & Sarah Norrish, Chief Acquisition Lead at WaterAid America. Written by @emiliasginn

What are both your backgrounds and experience in the charity sector? Sarah: I've been in the charity sector for over 10 years. I've worked for a variety of different charities, and I've been involved in a wide range of different activities. I've been involved in fundraising, marketing, and operations. I've also been involved in strategic planning and financial management.

What first made you think about the potential for web3 and the charity sector to come into? Sarah: I first started thinking about the potential for web3 and the charity sector to come into when I was involved in a fundraising campaign for a charity. I was looking for new ways to raise money, and I was interested in the potential of blockchain and social tokens.

What was a significant moment for you in your journey? Sarah: A significant moment for me was when I was involved in a fundraising campaign for a charity. I was looking for new ways to raise money, and I was interested in the potential of blockchain and social tokens.



Team

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