

Africa shows its beauty with #TheAfricaTheMediaNeverShowsYou

Africans are taking to Twitter to show the world #TheAfricaTheMediaNeverShowsYou, a hashtag that's trending and bringing the continent together to celebrate the beauty of Africa.

The campaign, started by a 17-year-old Ghanaian named Rachel, has reached 64,000 tweets so far and has spread to Instagram as well. The tweets vary from subjects like innovation and culture to fashion, nature, geological wonders and more.

Here are just some of the tweets being shared across Africa and around the world:

“ Africans want you to see a different side of their continent <http://t.co/WSczWHW2P1>
#theafricathemedianevershowsyoudwnews (@dwnews) July 8, 2015 ”

“ ---» "@Nadiaalie: Africa has 3 female heads of state.#TheAfricaTheMediaNeverShowsYou
pic.twitter.com/Ho0QdMrho"- Dark Chocolate (@niShellyO) June 27, 2015 ”

“ .@Geekulcha crewempowering young kids with tech #theafricathemedianevershowsyou #iBlameGK #Africa
pic.twitter.com/qZIBTSnUbc- Mixo Ngoveni (@4otune) July 8, 2015 ”

“ These Nigerian TEENAGERS who invented a generator than runs on pee. 1l = 6hrs power!
#TheAfricaTheMediaNeverShowsYou pic.twitter.com/hyTGhjOrFY- Tracy Angus-Hammond (@T2T_Trace) July 6,
2015 ”

“ Saly portugal, Sénégal west Africa#theafricathemedianevershowsyoudwnews (@dwnews) July 8, 2015 ”

“ #TheAfricaTheMediaNeverShowsYouBeauty/Culture/Art/Dance

Welcome to #Chad
#Africa #Tchad pic.twitter.com/pDXxaSPWof- OZ HAMAY (@HAMAYOZ) July 8, 2015 ”

“ Open your mind and look at Africa that media seldomly shows you using hastag

"#theafricathemedianevershowsyou"- Tino Singh (@tinosingh) July 8, 2015 ”

“ Sharing powerful and positive images of Africa - #TheAfricaTheMediaNeverShowsYou <http://t.co/tEl6qtzsZj> via
@good pic.twitter.com/irQMFn2wTB- MarionSchruoffeneger (@MarionSchruo) July 8, 2015 ”

“ Let's hide the struggle and showthe beauty for a while #TheAfricaTheMediaNeverShowsYou
<https://t.co/XBLdwh2LZu>- Alicja Keyz (@AlicjaKeyz) July 8, 2015 ”

“ Children paddle on isolated island of #Annobon, #EquatorialGuinea. #theafricathemedianevershowsyoudwnews (@dwnews) July 8, 2015 ”