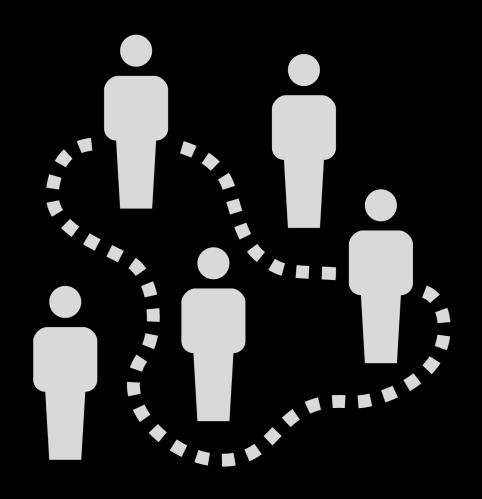
## 1994 GENOCIDE AGAINST THE TUTSI



IN 1994 OVER 100 DAYS, HATRED ERUPTED IN RWANDA.

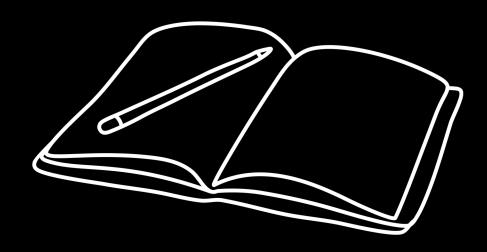
AN ESTIMATED 1 MILLION TUTSI WERE KILLED.

TODAY, GENERATIONS ARE STILL COMING TO TERMS WITH

WHAT HAPPENED, HOPING TO PREVENT IT FROM

HAPPENING AGAIN.

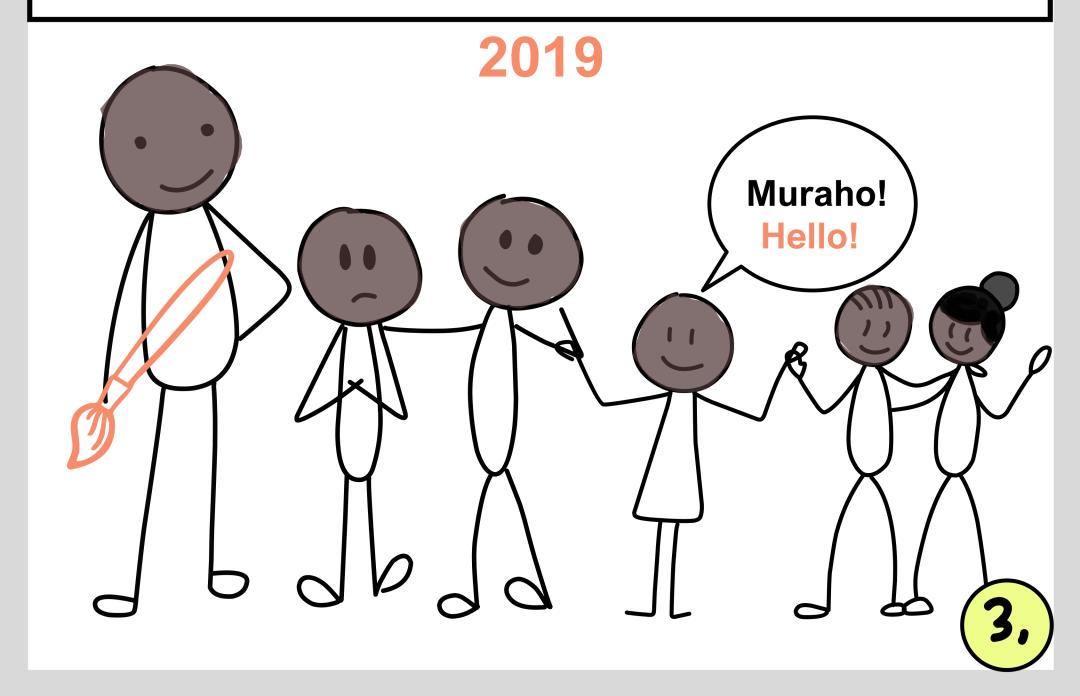
## WE ARE NKWIHOREZE ARTS FOR RESILIENCE



THIS IS OUR STORY

IN THIS COMIC YOU WILL LEARN HOW PROJECT NKWIHOREZE WAS BORN AND HOW IT IS EMPOWERING CHILDREN, YOUNG PEOPLE AND FAMILIES IN RWANDA.

IN 2019 A GROUP OF YOUNG PEOPLE, WITH THE HELP OF A FEW ADULTS, TOOK PART IN A PROJECT CALLED ISANGIZANYANKURU (CONNECTIVE MEMORIES). THEY USED ART TO HELP THEM TALK ABOUT DIFFICULT MEMORIES AND FEELINGS.

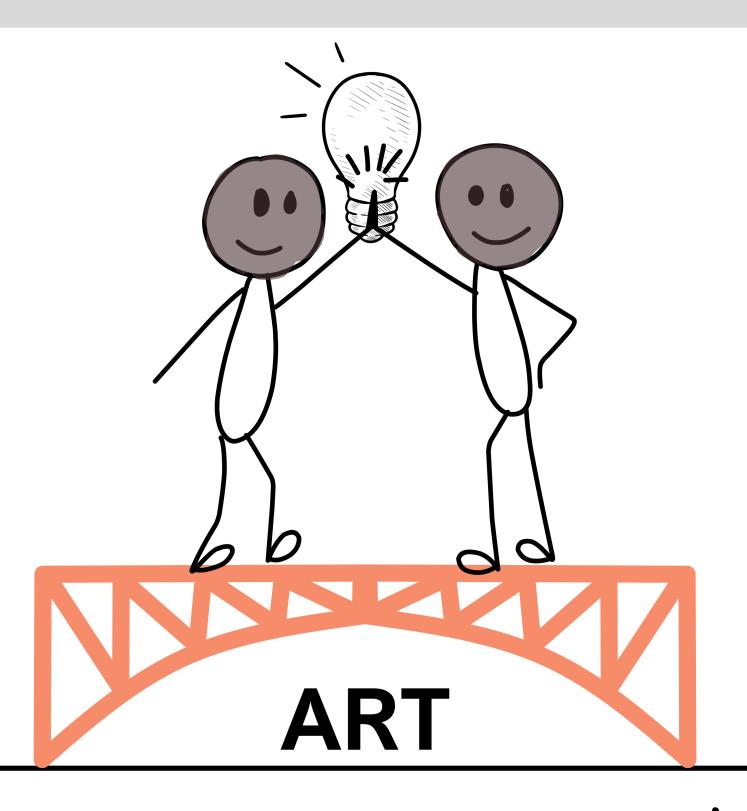


THE YOUNG PEOPLE REALIZED THAT MEMORIES OF OTHERS, ESPECIALLY PARENTS AND OTHER ADULTS IN THEIR LIVES, ARE REALLY IMPORTANT. THEY ASKED...



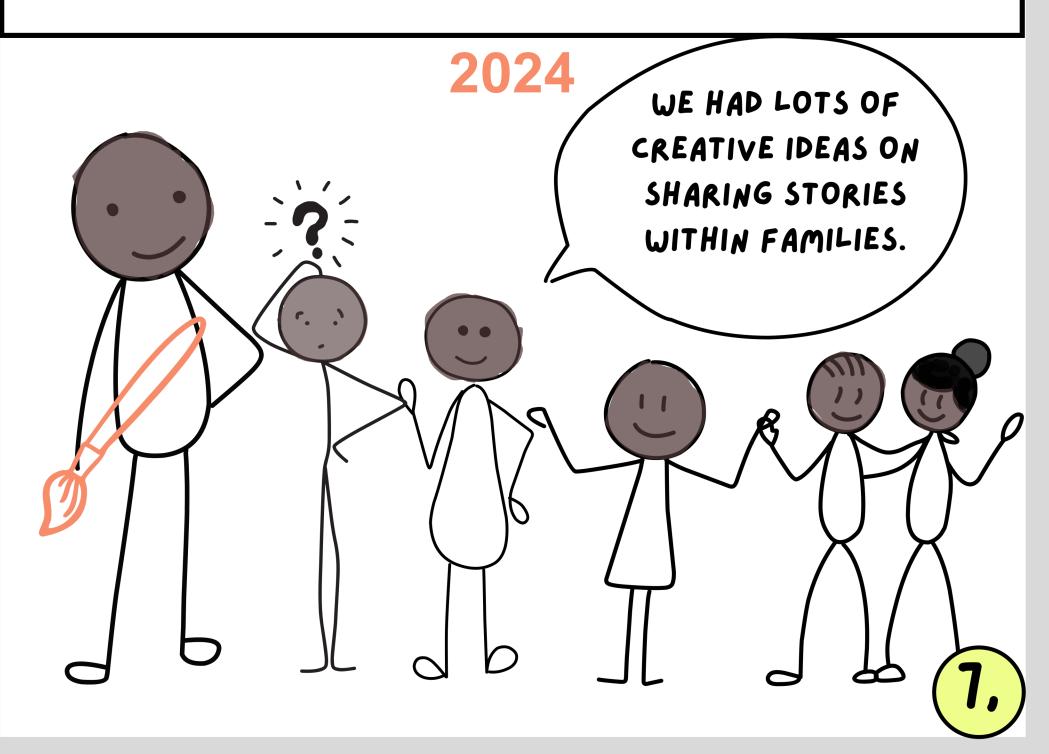


THEY THOUGHT THAT ART IS A GREAT TOOL FOR HELPING PEOPLE CONNECT AND TO EXPLORE MEMORIES TOGETHER.



PROJECT NKWIHOREZE WAS BORN!
NKWIHOREZE MEANS TAKING CARE AND
STRENGTHENING ONE ANOTHER IN
KINYARWANDA.

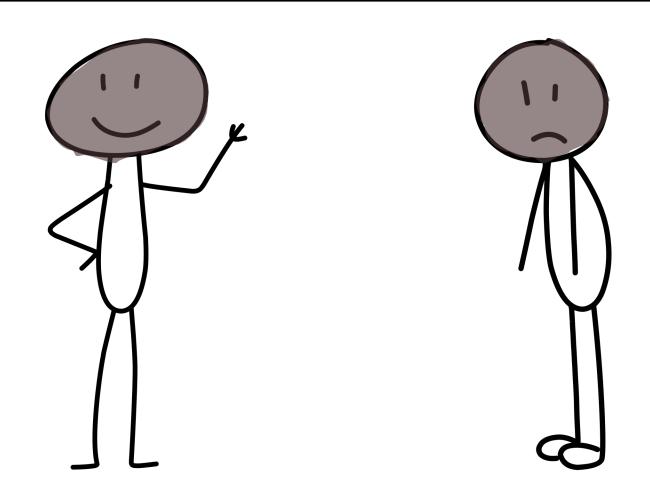
IN JANUARY 2024 THEY HAD THIER FIRST WORKSHOP WITH THE HELP OF THE PROJECT LEADS FROM UCL, UNM, AERG AND PSYCHOSOCIAL WORKERS WHO SUPPORT CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE.



THE NKWIHOREZE TEAM WILL DEVELOP TOOLS THAT WILL HELP PEOPLE OF ALL AGES TALK ABOUT SENSITIVE ISSUES AND PROMOTE WELL-BEING.



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