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Pedal-powered film screenings in villages and schools in the Niokolo area, where there is no access to electricity, will play a key role in the development of our project over the coming year. A Backpack Cinema, developed by <u>Electric Pedals</u>, will allow us to use film to share information and ideas about sustainable agriculture and alternative technologies from other projects, and in time to develop our own films to transfer ideas and skills between neighbouring villages. So we are very happy that the Backpack Cinema system will be flying to Senegal next week. This is in good time for the arrival of a volunteer from <u>Purple Field</u> <u>Productions</u>, who will work with us to translate two of their own films, made in Uganda and Malawi, into a local Senegalese language. These films address methods of adapting farming methods to the changing climate, a highly relevant topic in an increasingly dry environment.



A test-run of the Backpack Cinema from Electric Pedals...looking and sounding great!