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11th Graduation **Ceremony** - Virtual



University vice -chancellor addressing the crowd during graduation ceremony.

GIRLS AND PHYSICS

he University of Eldoret hosted the 11th Graduation Ceremony (Virtual) on 24th November, 2022 at the University's New Site Grounds.

A total of 2,548 graduands were conferred with degrees and awarded diplomas by the University Chancellor. The University 11th Graduation ceremony was overseen virtually by the University Chancellor Amb. Prof. Judith Mbula Bahemuka from our Nairobi Liaison Office, and the Principal Secretary, Department for University State Education and Research, Amb. Simon Nabukwesi who... continued pg 2

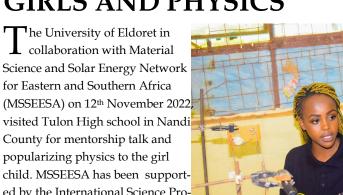
BARCOUSA ENVIROMENTAL DAY



A clean environment promotes a healthy business and enhances issues of sanitation.It is against this background that the Kabarnet Municipality management has asked residents of Kabarnet to improve on Environmental management by ensuring that the town and its environs are garbage free in order to provide conducive business environment. On 19th November 2022, the Baringo County University of Eldoret Students led ...

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WORLD FOOD DAY



child. MSSEESA has been supported by the International Science Programme from 2009. ..



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University of Eldoret female student demonstrating how alarm system works.

SEMESTER II 2022/2023 REPORTING INFORMATION

- ALL Students are expected to report ONLINE the 2022/2023 second semester between January 5th -6th, 2023.
- Reporting ONLINE will ensure you avoid being deferred from your studies.



The University of Eldoret international students held a Food Day to showcase Cuisines from the four blocks of Africa; West, Central, Southern and East Africa. The event which took place on November 4th 2022 at the Outreach and International Student Centre (OISC). This year the theme was "Celebrating the African Cultural Diversity" ...

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11th Graduation Ceremony (Virtual)



...was representing the Cabinet Secretary Ministry of Education Ezekiel Machogu, attended in-person. In her remarks, the University Chancellor Amb. Prof. Judith Mbula Bahemuka acknowledged the support the Ministry of Education has been affording the University and singled out the active role the Principal Secretary Amb. Nabukwesi has been doing to nurture and empower the University. She thanked the University Council, University Management Board led by the Vice-Chancellor Prof. Teresa Akenga, staff, students and the local community for fanning the University Motto and clarifying our niche of expertise. She acknowledged the University researchers and innovators who have been vibrant in ensuring that the University attracts sponsors, donors, collaborators and international students and partners. Amb. Prof. Bahemuka further called upon the graduands to be innovators, and job creators with entrepreneur skills and to avoid being captive of social and political bigotry within their spheres of existence. She finalized by acknowledging the 10 years of existence of the University and called upon the graduands and the University at large to be re-inventor of future changes and stamp their contribution to peace, food security and climate change awareness within their respective surroundings. The Principal Secretary Amb. Nabukwesi in his address on

behalf of the Cabinet Secretary Ministry of Education commended the University on her prudent utilization of the limited resources that the Ministry has been affording them throughout the years. He commended the University on her quest of establishing the UoE Endowment Fund Trust to support bright but needy students noting it is an excellent idea for posterity of the institution. He encouraged staff and students to love to belong to this University urging them to endeavor to create a harmonious culture that will depict the university in a positive light. The Principal Secretary identified that there are numerous scholarships in the field of Science, Research, Technology and Innovation and called the graduands, staff and students alike to apply for these scholarships to benefit from its funding. He finalized by congratulating the graduands and urging the university staff to fast-tract creation of consultancy groups to support the government in various consultancy ventures. The University Chairman of Council Dr. Ismail Buro Hassan on his part congratulated the graduands and called on them to be solution makers within their various surrounding and be ambassadors of the University ...

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SILENT CRY

It is never a pretty picture But I'll have to use a pen and a paper I don't care if the ink fades At least I would have raised my shout At the depth of my sentiments.

Listen to the silent holler Roofed by a mighty roar A day to day cry As coffin goes down.

Adults are dissatisfied With the constant suicidal death Youths dying Self-murder, self-destruction, selfslaughter.

Should I cry? Should I scream? Sad generation with appealing pictures Until you hold a deep conversation It's going to be a daily enshrine

Depression is real and youths are victims They self-slaughter believing that it's going to end it all Dear adults, I came in peace Do not compare, teach Do not shout, listen Do not judge, correct

She says!

~SHEILA CHEBET

...he identified that through the oversight of the Council, the University has continued to develop infrastructure which has ensured that all the University undertakings comply with the law of the land. He finalized by thanking the government for their support and appealed for further assistant aimed at enabling the University meet her strategic objectives. Finally, the University Vice-Chancellor Prof. Teresa Akenga in her message to the graduands, staff, parents and guardians and the various stakeholders acknowledged the stride the university has made throughout the 10 years of her existence. She called upon the graduands to be guided by the University Anthem Stanza Three, Line One 'In Boldness we Arise, the entire world to reach' and become ambassadors of the University and standing out tall to be counted in advancing innovation and the needed change within their surroundings. The Vice-Chancellor appreciated the work of the able University staff, whom through their actions the University has benefited from collaborations and partnership both beyond and locally, which has made the University to become a going concern. She finalized by acknowledging and commending the efforts that parents, guardians and various stakeholders have been doing to ensure that the University meets her mandate.In attendance were Mr. Ajay Shah (Trustee and Member of the UoE Endowment Fund Trust and Director KenKnit and Rupa Group), Lamek Ronoh (representing Prof. Samuel

Gudu-VC Rongo), Charles Koech (Chief Principal- Eldoret National Polytechnic), Mohamed Abass, (Deputy County Commissioner, Moiben), Stephen Okal, (SCPC Moiben), Abdirahman Kulla (CIPU County Commander), Jacob Mairori-(OCS Ainabtich), Margaret Jepkemo Birgen, (Branch Manager, National Bank Eldoret), Lorna Rotich (Branch Manager, Equity Bank Eldoret), Rev. Joseph Kiptoo (Pastor, Eldoret Faith Centre), Hon. Samuel Ruto (Community Leader, Kimumu), Collins Okomo (Marketing a n d Communication Officer, KASNEB), Hon. Patrick Losike Lokaimoe (CEC-Turkana County).

HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS

It is natural that human beings, as well as animals want to surround themselves with friends and mates .This leads to creation of relationships, platonic and romantic. But again, whatever began probably has an end. On rare occasions such relationships survive wreckage and stand strong for long if not eternity. Only if the right measures are put into it. Just like romantic heartbreaks, platonic heartbreaks also occur. They are as difficult to handle just like romantic heartbreaks. Think of this, one time you are laughing and sharing things with a friend, the next you aren't greeting each other. It's said life is a journey. You meet people, you mingle, and make friends but time comes for them to leave. There are quite a number of lessons to learn when they leave.

There's always a silver lining to every cloud. Heartbreaks help us to learn some lessons in as much as they are sad. One such lesson is that it gets you out of your comfort zone as one is stronger. What does not kill you makes you stronger. You get to explore 'other worlds' and get to know more. One also gets to know the importance of communication. Effective communication. This is when one expresses their concerns in a respectful manner to the other party. It is also important that nagging issues are channeled to the right audience (the one who is directly affected by the rising issues). Once effective communication is considered it leads to the next lesson, problem solving.

Problem solving. For a problem to be solved effectively some skills are required. It requires looking at the source/cause of the problem, how it should have been and what has to be done to get away from that situation. This sees to it that such issues are avoided in future relationships. The past is bound to recur. The best part of it is one learns how to heal and let go. You can only hold on to a person for long enough. The more you hold on to someone, the more they want loose. Healing is an individual process involving internal work. This is when you 'detox 'your mind, body, soul and emotional dents. This is done in simple ways such as letting out grief through yoga. One can use professional help. This way, current and future relationships can be kept healthy with mutual benefits.

-ELSIE MORAA

QUALITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AWARENESS SEMINAR FOR STUDENT LEADERS



The University of Eldoret through the Directorate of Quality Assurance conducted an ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management System awareness seminar for members of the student council and class representatives on 14th November, 2022.This awareness seminar was officially opened by the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Administration and Finance) who is also the ISO 9001:2015 QMS Management Representative, Prof. Wilson Ng'etich on behalf of the Vice-Chancellor Prof. Teresa Akenga.



This seminar was hosted by the Director, Directorate of Quality Assurance Dr. Gertrude Were who was accompanied by the Chairman of Public Complaints Committee Dr. Jacob Onyango, the Deputy Dean of Students Dr. Joseph Mubichakani, the Corporate Affairs & Marketing Manager Dr. Wambui Ng'ang'a and a t e a m



from the University of Eldoret Endowment Fund Trust secretariat, Ms. Cynthia Chebii and Ms. Beatrice Cheserek. In his remarks, the DVC (AF) assured the student leaders of the university's commitment in ensuring that the requirements of the students are met through improved service delivery. The Management Representative reiterated that the students were the key stakeholders in the delivery of the university mandate of teaching, research, consultancy and outreach. He emphasized that the implementation of ISO 9001:2015 has enhanced the delivery of quality service through:

•Development of processes and procedures leading to increased effectiveness and efficiency in service delivery

Customer satisfaction

•Compliance with regulatory and statutory requirements

•Creation of the culture of continual improvement

•Improvement of our documents making them reliable and easy to distribute, access, retrieve and use.

The Director of Quality Assurance in her welcome remarks assured all the participants that the recertification of the University to ISO 9001:2015 Standard was not in vain, and that the required standards for quality service and products will be maintained so as to fulfil the core mandate of the university at all levels.

GIRLS AND PHYSICS

...MSSEESA set its objectives to complement the support received by individual nodes at the Physics Departments of the University of Zambia, Makerere University, University of Dar-es-Salaam, University of Eldoret and University of Nairobi. The objectives comprise:

◆Strengthening Of Postgraduate Training and Research,

Interuniversity Collaboration in Teaching,
 Research and Training

Promotion of Gender Equity and Balance
Increase of Research Capacities of Individuals and Organizations

 Dissemination of Research Findings and Information.

The network's conception reflected the need for cooperation to share expensive instrumentation available at the different nodes, foster exchange of junior researchers through travel grants, participation at conferences and workshops, and through



the harmonization of study curricula across the participating universities, intensify the exchange of technicians among universities, and allowing for a regular exchange of senior scientists. Moreover, the expected results were higher visibility of the research to the academic, political and business communities as well as opportunities to attract funding for sustaining the network. This event is carried out by physics department in order to bridge the gender g a p i n p h y s i c s .



The mentorship talk was facilitated by students from University of Eldoret was an awesome experience, interacting with girls from Tulon High School as the facilitators were lady students The event started at 9.00 am at Tulon High School hall. The students were taken through two sessions. The morning session started off with welcoming remarks from the School Principal, Mr. Simion Chuma. The opening remarks were delivered by Dr. Maxwell Mageto. Dr. Christopher Maghanga, from Kabarak University, gave a short brief on the history of MSSESA Jackline Cherotich and Elizabeth Chepkirui sensitised the students on women in STEM, courses available and women who have won the Nobel prize. This information created a big impact to students since they were able to visualize and believe in themselves and they are able to take up STEM courses...

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THE MIRROR LINE

Boundaries are drawn between people depending on their social life and their self-drive on daily basis. This is becoming alarming as majority of students from high classes of life tend to attend more parties than lectures. Although it is not bad having fun with friends, but too much consumption of alcohol may make a student not to reach his/her full potential. Unlike other students who don't go out partying, the emerge with encouraging grades in their exams. Do you know how they manage such? They ensure adequate preparation for exam, and this gives them courage in tackling questions. Now the decision of a student is useful in choosing either being atop partying leader or top book wormer. Your today determines tomorrow's success. The present deeds one does infinitely bring out clear image of achievement. The dream or rather a goal is attained only if time is properly utilized. Basing on studies, students should be good timers especially when organizing their study schedules. Dreams are different but to be achieved, one may share the efforts towards their achievement. But what are you planning to do in order to achieve? In this view we draw a big difference between students who are anxious and willing to attain their goal and dream, and

students who in their understanding, they know a dream is a career and thus contradicting the real meaning of context. Every person has an intellect to execute his /her accord. Some university students have taken it for concede on how they collaborate with others. This issue has brought a negative collision on their studies because they tend to involve themselves in love and affection relationship which at point throbbing themselves. Due to this, students are encouraged to be good decision makers especially when it comes to love matters for them to avoid depression. This will definitely increase capability in good performance in academics. At present, since this is all about the lifestyles of different types of students in the university, they should not be carried away by public belief participating in evils. They should resolve to lead a satisfactory life in school. They should be prudent in everything they encounter. Solidarity must be enhanced amongst themselves so as to encounter discrimination basing on levels of life. ~ BONITA WANYAMA

...interactive session was done focusing on "Science makes people reach selflessly for why fewer girls takes STEM courses and the truth and objectivity; it teaches people to respond that was given out was worrying. accept reality, with wonder and admiration, Miss Gloria Mumbi and Noeline Maru talked not to mention the deep awe and joy that the on the reasons why fewer girls do STEM natural order of things brings to the true subjects. They were able to encourage scientist." students to take up in STEM subjects by giving importance and coming up with tips and strategies to be done by students for them to realize success. Miss Gloria Mumbi, Noeline Maru, Jackline and Elizabeth Chepkirui shared their experience in physics and the students were really motivated. For the afternoon session the students were divided into various groups with the lady University Of students from Eldoret facilitating. Demonstrations of some experiments were performed ; finding of spring constant, ohms law, the magnetic effect of electric current , simple alarm system and



the Anodization demonstration was done by Mr. Peter Owino.

The experiment part was very interesting to students. They we able to develop important skills, including understand the process of scientific investigation and acquired broad understanding of scientific concepts. Many were moved by workshop and promised to change the negative attitude towards STEM subjects. at the event closed at 4.00 p.m. after the University of Eldoret students gave closing remarks while awarding all the fourth form students with stationery which would be used during KCSE. The vote of thanks was made by Mercy Jepkoech, a student at Tulon High School.

- Lise Meitner, Austrian -Swedish physicist.

SAVE TREES, SAVE LIFE

Trees and plants are key in the survival of mankind .The importance of trees planting has been emphasized from time to time as trees give numerous benefits to all living things. They make the world a better place to live in as this tree provides us with free oxygen which could possibly be a problem without them. They as well provide aesthetic beauty they absorb harmful gases like carbon (ii) oxide which in large amounts can lead to global warming. They act as habitats for an immense number of species of animals, birds and insects. However due to the rate of tree cutting being high than that of planting it has led to the disturbance of the ecological equilibrium and due to this imbalance it has altered environmental conditions leading to a slow species of plants, animals and plants becoming slowly extinct. Therefore to avoid the impeding consequences, let's take the issue at a personal level of responsibilities well as set aside tree planting day/s and plant trees. Creation of afforestation clubs in different levels of institutions to help sensitize the essence of tree planting and as a government create tree planting programs and pay incentives to youths involved in tree planting as this is the only way you and I can save and protect our ecosystem for our wellbeing and our future generation.

~ Isaih Agika

GRACE.

Delayed billionaires, they talked. Hustlers of the world, they uttered. The sons of the country must be put down.

The sons of the peasants, ready to be crown.

Change change, we must change our land.

Unfamiliar faces came in, in search to be leaders.

They searched high and low, and about the meters.

They went round the country, with

supporters in Twitter.

Change change we must change our land.

They spoke with authority, which many could not remember. And people followed them, that particular member.

They enticed people with tokens, to buy themselves saber.

Change change, we must change our land.

And the sons of the peasants, sat down for long.

Tears rolled down their chicks, because their hearts were full of dang.

They rolled their sleeves, and worked along.

Change change, we must change our land.

Trusting God of gods, they got their things done.

They worked side by side, together as one.

Shoulders by shoulders, they won. Change we must change our land.

~Nanjala Joyce Ndombi





... it is evident that the international student community of the University of Eldoret is growing from the initial record of five students to more than twenty five students currently. As a result of the increase in number of students, the University management saw the need for the organization to be officially launched in October 2021. The Outreach and International Student Centre (OISC) Coordinator Dr. Abigael Oting'a gave a brief history of the Outreach Centre whose main agenda is to act as a bridge between the University and community more significantly the farmers as it is an agricultural centre. She also highlighted that the center is a hub of International students. The Corporate Affairs and Marketing Manager, Dr. Wambui Ng'ang'a in her message noted that we cannot move forward into the future as a region if we do not preserve and value our culture. She added that successful students use their college experience to meet new people and gain understanding of others viewpoints. She encouraged the international students to join in show casing their culture through wearing African attires on Fridays. The

Chairman of the Student Council, Mr Evans Chesergon informed the students that the University has a Cultural Week and he expected international students to join and show case aspects of their culture. He appreciated the Coordinator for the support she has accorded the students. He noted that across the globe, international

students market the universities which they join. The Chairman of the International Students Association, Mr Outsmat finalized by alluding that having an official body would ensure that international students are united and new students joining can have an avenue of channeling issues pertaining to their welfare. He noted that marketing of the University can be enhanced by students themselves by being good ambassadors of the University in their home countries and beyond.

CRISIS AVERT

What a privilege to engage in this opportunity, in the mercies of God, and dedicate my time to this address in such a profound platform that honors growth and development in broad spectrums; as broad as the diversity within the university's student fraternity in this case. I like to thank of the University of Eldoret student fraternity as oxymoron; a congruent of differences, one mission. To think that so many mindsets - that are presentation of just as many "real worlds to each individual- coexist in this environment is amazing and sensitive at the same time. There ought to be common principles that we all are subject to. To build the context of this text, this is my"real world" profile; I am a son of two gospel ministers and a blood-line brother to one lady. Before reporting here I had lived in seven different locations (cities and towns), and visited a myriad more towns, Eldoret excluded. This said, reporting to the University of Eldoret was both a study endeavor and an adventure into self-discovery. Certainly this changes from Individual to individual. We bring to the table diverse cultures, backgrounds and behaviors common to us but foreign the other. This right here is a huge opportunity, but has also presented a huge dilemma in the way comrades interlink; as I have observed. Much can be said about the success interlinking that has happened within students and between students and staff. As a matter of fact I take an opportunity and highlight one of this successful interlinking at the end of this article. Stay with me. For a moment however, let us consider what separates us with the aim of bringing about accord. Three things I have observed separate us from opportunities; a tendency to describe one-self with external factors/ materials (e.g. Work, possessions, friends, money...) narrowed thought especially the expectation that "everybody else is like me", and accumulated undealt with trauma from past experiences as early as childhood. Interdependence, the basic nature of man, can only be effective if independence is obtained. Independence is personal. More than what we own or what we do, it is who we are. The principles that govern our habits and decision making. Are we proactive? Do we value process? Being a true comrade here is also being innovative of models of social interactions, modifier of existing structures for better custom performances and accepting of interactive structure present that are good.

~ MUENDO FESTUS

SENSITIZATION OF STAFF AND STUDENTS BY NATIONAL COHESION AND NATIONAL VALUES COMMITTEE



he National Cohesion and National Values committee is tasked with enhancing the capacity of University of Eldoret and the public to adhere to the provisions of Article 10 of the 2010 Constitution of Kenya. This they can achieve through civic education, training and sensitization on national values and principles of governance. The committee carried out sensitization of students and staff on principles of governance and national as part of its activities. Students were sensitized on 2nd November 2022, while staff were sensitized on 3rd November 2022. The participants were taken through the seventeen national values from Article 10 (2) of the constitution and how they can be applied. The meeting was opened by the DVC (AF) Prof. Ng'etich on behalf of the Vice Chancellor. Members of the committee

were the facilitators. The committee members are Dr. Jirm Elle, Mr. Isaac Ekise, Mr. Paul Mwaniki, Mr. Martin Oyugi, Eng. John Taragon, Fr. Martin Tanui, Dr. Katana Sirya and Dr. Judith Khazenzi who the current chairperson. The is sensitization is expected to help in guiding the actions and behaviors of the University of Eldoret community. This will help to promote national values and the principles of good governance within our institution. It will also promote peaceful coexistence within our institution as well as with our neighboring community. This will contribute to achieving the objective of the state to have a peaceful nation to which every citizen feels a sense of belonging.

MACHINE LEARNING IN THE MODERN DAY ERA.

Over the years there has been a tremendous growth in industrial revolution. From the industry 1.0 Invented in Germany back in the 18th century to the latest industry 5.0 which has widely incorporated the use of robots alongside humans in many organizations. This has called for an integrated knowledge in machine learning in order develop computer programs and software that can be able to run, manage and enable self-programmed actions in these up to date automated and robotic machines. Machine learning (ML) is therefore a key field of study that every student in university undertaking STEM related field should consider learning. Proficient students in ML have proved to be the best in every aspect of tackling computer programs and systems especially in the engineering sector from learning simple computer aided designs to complex simulations software like Siemens and ABB. Machine learning is a tool that enables systems the capability to learn and improve automatically based upon experience. Machine learning has become core over the years due to its ability to carry out various activities without specific programming knowledge. Machine learning is therefore the development of computer programs that can easily and efficiently access data and use it to learn itself what actions should be taken based on the data using a series of algorithms.

Why machine learning?

*Can you imagine a computer system that quickly and automatically determines the ideal action within a specific data set based on simple reward feedback?

*Think of a computer system that that explores your data and attempts to draw conclusionsbased on unidentified patterns or labeled faults within any learning data sets.

~ CLINTON OSONGO

PWD AWARENESS DAY

Theme: Inclusivity

University of Eldoret is an inclusive university as it ensures all students are included in all activities. On 13th November, 2022 the PWD awareness day was held. What a great day! Students with



disabilities attended in full force since it is the biggest event for them in the university held every first semester of the academic year. The event was well prepared by the help of the student leader in charge of persons with disabilities through the Dean of Student's office. PWD awareness day started at 10.00 a.m. up to 4.30 p.m. in the evening. The event was opened by devotion that was taken by Pastor Joseph Maamuli; the University Chaplain. The facilitators who were present include:

- Two members from the University Disability Mainstreaming Committee
- Three staff members from the Dean of Students' office
- A few staff members
- The chief guest from National Council Persons Living With Disabilities (NCPWD).

The following topics were covered during the event:

Mental Health Awareness by Dr. Esther Nyabuto; the counselor from Dean of Students' office Defining Disability In The Modern World by Dr. Josiah; from Disability Mainstreaming Committee

Coping With Disability Within The University As A Student Living With Disability by Dr. Remi

Orao; the Chair DMC

Government Action For Integrating Persons Living With Disabilities by Mr. Titus Yego; Chief Guest from NCPWD.

PWD awareness day was an inclusive event as defined by the theme of that day "inclusivity". The event was attended by PWD members, most class reps, leaders of different associations and students who are not PWD summing up to 150 participants. Most of the students were eager to know more about PWD of which at the end of the event they were able to understand more about persons living with disabilities. The session was interactive and free for everybody. Most of the people asked questions and they were able to get clarification.



It was a great day for students living with disabilities and also all members who attended.

Self-Discovery beyond Your Career in Campus

This article is basically concerned with self-Discovery and its values in campus. As a university student, it is necessary that you go beyond the mentality that you came to campus to only study and achieve good grades but you should strive to discover yourself in all dimensions of life. Self-Discovery refers to the process/act of gaining knowledge of understanding of your abilities, character and feelings. My journey of self-discovery began from the very day I joined my university of choice "University Of Eldoret". This university has offered me many opportunities and experiences which have helped me to launch deeper and deeper in realizing my purpose of existence in this world. Below are some of the opportunities: To begin with, university is a universal place where you find people from all walks of life, all classes of society, all religions and beliefs, all passions and hobbies and everything. Besides that, you are free to

follow whichever you prefer fit for you. With this freedom of choosing your preferred place, it comes the responsibility of discovering oneself. In relation to this, I cannot forget to acknowledge the key role it has played in my life; it has helped me to discover my religion, hobbies and passion without getting lost in any chaos. Secondly, as the saying goes "A sheep can never discover itself while in the herd, under the control of the Shepherd". University level of Independence that is without the control of your parents has enabled me to develop courage and audacity which are essential ingredients for self-Discovery. In campus, you have to do things alone and without being compelled. This takes lots of courage and it is what leads to self-Discovery.

Another way is class presentations among the students. This has impacted my life positively in developing self-confidence. Before I joined campus I suffered from low self-esteem but this has turned my life around. It has given me a sense of purpose and I can't wait to return it back to the society by encouraging and mentoring my younger brothers and sisters in the society. Lastly, by the availability of various clubs and associations in the university, majorly the Computer Society Association, I am confident enough that by the end of my degree program I will be able to have achieved all that I was potential of. I will never regret being part of this computer association because it has taught me many skills even outside my career. I have acquired various skills pertaining the computer world i.e. web design, graphics etc., which has greatly motivated me to realize myself and the direction am heading to. To my fellows who are yet to join campus"; Knowing yourself is the beginning of wisdom"; as Aristotle defined it. You may not have discovered yourself like me some years back but a word of hope to you is that University is a place you will automatically discover all your potentials if only you are willing to.

~MERCY CHEBET

Monthly Newsletter

Vice -chancellor Prof .Teresa Akenga during the 11th graduation ceremony



UoE Students doing Clean up exercise at Kabarnet Municipality.



PWD awareness day at NS building.

PICTORIALS



University of Eldoret students and lectures of Physics Department with students of Tulon High School after mentorship session.



ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management System awareness seminar for members of the student council and class representatives at Kerio Hall.



National cohesion and Nation value committee carrying out the UoE staff sensitization.

BARCOUSA ENVIRONMENTAL DAY

...by Martin Kipruto and UEESA, in collaboration with the Kabarnet Municipality management and the Municipality Manager Julius Bolei organized a cleanup exercise at Kabarnet municipality -Baringo county themed "Go green and clean", today save the world tomorrow, clean environment can only be achieved through individual responsibility of ensuring that litter or any waste is deposited at the designated litter bins placed strategically at the town said the municipality "Let manager. u s



be sensitive to our environment by making it litter free.

As the management, we have ensured that there are litter bins across the town but unfortunately people especially irresponsible businesspersons and some of their customers throw their garbage haphazardly," he explained. The students from our great university got the chance to sensitize the members of the public on the importance of responsible waste management in order to save our world for the future generations. The theme; "Go Clean and Green Today, Save the World Tomorrow", focused on sensitizing the business community on the importance of a having a litter free urban area. The areas that were cleaned included Monument, Anyiny-Kuryot-Mwananchi B Hotel-Mosque route, Equity-Capilano-City Clock-KCB, Market-KSG Road, Sportsline-Hospital Road and Kenol-Lelbatai Building-Sorowo-Bus Park



area. It was also an opportunity for the students to market the academic institution saying that the courses offered by the University of Eldoret were tailor made to suit the current job market as explained by Kipruto Martin who is the Chair Baringo students. He championed for a sustainable environmental conservation which is one of the objectives of the University of Eldoret. The Municipality Manager was flanked by the Board Chair Kiprop Cheserem and some of the Board members and staff who appreciated the organizers of the event and promised to continue partnering with the university in various spheres of the society to solve challenges facing the members of the



public. "This event is one of a kind and we don't take it for granted, we appreciate BARCOUSA and UEESA, for choosing Kabarnet municipality to host this noble initiative", said the chairman municipality Board.

PWD STUDENT LIFE

The Office of the Dean of Students, through the University Mainstreaming Committee, special member representing student with disability in the university council and the University Of Eldoret students with disability association is fully engaged in the task of helping transmogrify the university environment into one in which differently abled students will have an equal opportunity to acquire an education and fully participate in the various aspects of university life. The Mainstreaming Committee facilitates access to university buildings, providing services, awareness activities and advocating for modifications and accommodating university policies and procedures. The key concerns advocated by the mainstreaming committee in collaboration with the special member representing the students with disability and the UOESWDA include;

Staff and students act as sign language interpreters who provide sign language interpretation for both Deaf students and staff as well as on any occasion such as first year orientation, graduation, meetings and conferences.

The Office of the Dean of Students' has a Data base for students with disabilities. This data is necessary for informed decision making and support.

Students with disability have been given an equal chance to fully participate in UESO election.

The Office of the Dean of Students' and the Mainstreaming Committee ensures that the disability awareness workshop is held every academic year out of the university premises.

The disability section has been providing mobility aids or facilitates maintenance of the same in an attempt to ease movement from one place to another within the university and its environs. Assistive devices such as hearing aids, white canes, wheelchairs e.t.c. are provided when need arise.

The office liases with the special member representing students with disability in ensuring that some rooms are set aside for students with mobility issues on the ground floor of halls of residence.

The University of Eldoret Students with Disability association is active and performing very well. It facilitates assessment and issuance of disability cards to students.

Every semester a disability day has been set aside to sensitize the University community on how to handle students with disabilities to eliminate the perception that persons with disabilities are different from other abled persons, and to disseminate information to students on available opportunities within and without the university.

-LEONARD JUMA



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Barcousa Environmental Day held at Kabarnet



Popularizing physics to female students at Tulon high school.



Awareness Seminar for Student Leaders and Representatives.

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WHY STUDY AT UOE

AMPLE ENVIRONMENT-UoE is located off-town where it offers a conducive environment for quality training, research and innovation to students.

ADEQUATE SECURITY-The University has put in place measures and personnel to ensure protection of school resources and students to prevent any risk or loss.

ADEQUATE RESOURCES-The University of Eldoret is adequately equipped with enough lectures halls a library, health clinics, computer, laboratory and lecture parlor.

ASSURED TIMELY COMPLETION OF STUDIES – UoE offers timely completion of studies .Teaching and learning is going on in university through various modes including blended mode of learning .

QUALITY EDUCATION –Teaching is done by highly qualified academic staff with digital resources to offer the best learning experience to students.

NURTURE TALENTS-The University offers opportunity to all students to discover their talents through various activities.

STUDY TOP RANKED SUBJECTS-The university is committed to providing academic programs which are relevant and have practical application to ever changing need of the environment in line with vision 2030 and sustainable goal and development goals.

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Our Mission

To provide quality education, training, research, and consultancy in Science, Agriculture and Technology to meet the needs and aspirations of a dynamic society.

Intake

January, May and August 2023.

Mode of Study

Full timePart time (evening and Weekend)Blended mode of study

Level of Study

Certificate
Diploma
Postgraduate Diploma
Undergraduate
Masters