



## MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

### VICE CHANCELLOR'S ROUND UP FOR THE WEEK ENDING

FRIDAY, 7<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2022

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- Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology (MMUST) Procurement team has been equipped with essential skills by the Kenya Institute of Supplies Management (KISM). This was evident on Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 2022, when the KISM team led by the Chairman, Mr. John Karani paid a courtesy call to the Department with the purpose of addressing the University procurement staff and students on *'Procurement Professionalism, Challenges Faced by the Team and Collaboration amongst the Practitioners.'*
- MMUST excelled in co-curricular activities as it emerged the best overall at the 94<sup>th</sup> Kenya National Music Festival, 2022. This remarkable performance was awarded by the Deputy President of the Republic of Kenya, Hon. Rigathi Gachagua. Similarly, MMUST sportsmen and women scooped a total of thirteen (13) trophies during the Kenya Universities Sports Federation (KUSF) National Ball games held in Taita Taveta University and Kenya Universities Sports Association (KUSA) Western Conference Games played at Kisii University.
- The Senior Assistant Inspector General (SAIG) of Police in Kenya, Mr. Masoud Mwinyi has successfully defended his PhD thesis in Peace Conflict studies at MMUST. Equally, the Deputy Governor of Murang'a County Government, Mr. Stephen Munania, who is an alumnus of MMUST, has also successfully defended his Master's thesis. The duo paid a courtesy call to the Vice Chancellor where they discussed possible areas of collaboration between the institutions.
- Vice Chancellor spearheaded a Consultative meeting between the University Management Board (UMB) and the Ethics and Anti-Corruption Commission (EACC) officials. The aim of this meeting was to conduct an evaluation of system examination on operations.
- The School of Disaster Management and Humanitarian Assistance (SDMHA), yesterday, 6<sup>th</sup> October 2022 held a Big Debate for candidates to be elected for the Dean's position. The election of the Dean has been held today at the Main Catering Unit (MCU 002) from 8.30 am.

- STEM Power Inc. Massachusetts USA, has donated an assortment of virtual computer and electronic laboratory equipment worth 5.4M to the Department of Physics, School of Natural Sciences (SONAS). The equipment was presented to the Vice Chancellor by the Dean SONAS, Dr. Joseph Owino, Chairman-Department of Physics, Dr. Maxwell Mageto and Senior Lecturer of Physics, Dr. Francis Gaitho. This will boost science learning in the institution.
- The Directorate of Corporate Communications and Marketing (DCCM), celebrated the Customer Service Week which is an International celebration marked annually during the entire first week in October. This year's Customer Service Week, theme is '*Celebrating Service and Sustaining Customer Inclusion*'. The goal of this celebration is to boost morale and teamwork as well as increasing awareness of the value of customer service.

I wish you a blessed weekend!

Prof. Solomon Shibairo

Vice Chancellor



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Date