



MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
VICE CHANCELLOR'S ROUND UP FOR THE WEEK ENDING,
FRIDAY, 28TH OCTOBER, 2022.

- Mumias East MP Hon. Peter Salasya on 24th October 2022 paid a courtesy call to the Vice Chancellor. The two discussed a range of issues concerning the University including offering support to needy students through the Constituency Development Fund (CDF) Kitty. Hon Salasya commended the University for the peace and tranquility that is prevailing in the institution. He also congratulated the Vice Chancellor on the good management adding that he is interested in partnering with MMUST to support TVET education in the region.
- The Institute of Indigenous Knowledge and Cultural Studies (IIKCS) at Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology (MMUST), has given new impetus to the effort to preserve Kenya's tangible and intangible heritage. On 25th October 2022, the institute held a one-day Strategic Direction Workshop themed '*Leveraging Indigenous Knowledge and Culture for Sustainable Development.*' This workshop drew various stakeholders from diverse cultural backgrounds and institutions including His Royal Majesty Nabongo Maurice Rapando II from the Wanga Kingdom.
- MMUST's Dean, School of Computing and Informatics (SCI), Dr. Daniel Otanga, and the Dean, School of Disaster Management and Humanitarian Assistance (SDMHA), Dr. Ferdinard Nabiswa, on 27th October, 2022, took the oath of office at the Vice Chancellor's boardroom. The Vice Chancellor congratulated the Deans for having been duly elected into their various offices, and urged them to lead their respective Schools to prosperity.
- The IHELP project advances as the Principal Investigator, Dr. Rose Opiyo unveiled the fifth Inclusive Home-Based Early Learning Centre in Idakho East, Ikolomani Sub-County. Yesterday, 27th October 2022, Dr. Opiyo met the Shiveye Ward Administrators, Community leadership, and its members for a public participation exercise to discuss issues pertaining to the establishment of another Caregiving center in the region.

- The Directorate of Science Park Innovation and Incubation Center (SPIIC), has conducted a two-day workshop in an effort to enhance researchers' understanding of Intellectual Property(IP), Intellectual Property Rights(IPR) as well as the drafting of Intellectual Properties. The Workshop, which took place from Thursday, 27th October, 2022 to Friday, 28th October, 2022 involved all staff with ongoing funding or previously funded through the University Innovation Fund (UIF).
- Light for the world in collaboration with Standard Chartered Bank, on Thursday 27th October, 2022 commenced a two-day visit to MMUST with an aim of taking staff and students through disability awareness training as well as conducting disability awareness score card for the institution. The event that was organized by the Director of Career Services is part of the activities under Future Makers Inclusive Employability. As part of the collaboration, today, 28th October, 2022, MMUST hosted the Standard Chartered Bank Marathon that was officially flagged off by the Vice Chancellor, who was also part of about four hundred (400) participants.

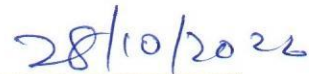
I wish you a blessed weekend!

Prof. Solomon Shibairo

Vice Chancellor



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