



FOCUS BRIEFS

JUNE 2019

Breaking the Ground for Hatua



It was all joy when Dr. Nelson Makanda scooped a pile of soil off the ground by the earth mover on 4th May 2019 at FOCUS Center Kasarani. This marked the climax of the Hatua Ground breaking ceremony that brought together a number of FOCUS Associates, Students, and Staff from all over the country.

The legal approvals are at the final stages and the laying of the foundation will kick off any time from August 2019.

For more details [click here](#)

10,000

Number of
leaders
trained
annually

30M

Amount
given at now
towards
Hatua

97 M

The cost of
Hatua Phase 1 to
be completed in
2020

Support Hatua via: payments.focuskenya.org



During the Hatua grounds breaking

EQUIPPED FOR THE WORKS OF SERVICE

What if all the CUs Sub Committee leaders had the opportunity to be trained in a Student Center like the Executive Committee of the University of Nairobi Lower Kabete and Parklands Campus Christian Unions (pictured on the left), who had a three day retreat at FOCUS Center Kasarani? What if all the 7 FOCUS Regions had Students Training Centers? We would have ten times the number of young people thoroughly equipped for the so much needed value-based-transformational leaders in the Church and Society .

Pictured are Student leaders in a training session at FOCUS Center Kasarani.

2018-19 STEM CONVOCATION

On the left are the outgoing STEM Staff during the final training at FOCUS Center. Welcome to their **Convocation** on Saturday **27th July 2019** at 12:30 pm at FOCUS Center. STEM is a FOCUS Apprenticeship Program that seeks to develop leaders while mentoring students on Campus.



KASILUNI TRANSFORMED BY THE JKUAT CU

The Kasiluni project was an initiative from JKUAT CU members following an evangelical mission to the Kasiluni area in 2009. The project that aimed at providing a suitable learning environment for the pupils in the area has outlasted eight JKUAT CU executive committees. The CU continued on with the construction of the classrooms amidst other missionary activities in the area until the completion and the official opening of the classrooms on 22nd April 2019.

The school has also been operating as a mission center with a total of 15 students taking part in a volunteering program as missionaries in Kasiluni. They engaged the community in spiritual matters while teaching and mentoring the pupils in the school. The project that cost Ksh 3.5 million was mainly funded by students, donations from well-wishers and fund raising activities. The completion of the project comes with the realization that spreading the gospel entails much more than just preaching; impacting lives is also key. It is a testimony of what students can achieve when it comes to missions.



Celebrations after the commissioning of the school



The new block that was completed in April 2019



The Dean of Students, JKUAT Rev. Dr. James Wakaba leading in dedication prayers for the classes.



Electricity connection to the area was courtesy of the school. This Transformer stands in the school compound



Exotic trees flourishing in the school compound



Harvesting of the rain water quenches the thirst of the pupils and at times the community

THE GOSPEL DEMONSTRATED



The University of Nairobi Students Association (UNSA) officials sharing a meal with the Main Campus Christian Union Executive Committee in the CU office. The UNSA leadership committed to be a reliable link between the Christian Union and the administration.

This is one of the ways through which the CU can be involved in Social Action; holding leaders accountable and promoting a good relationship between the University Clubs, Societies and the Student leadership.



On 6th March 2019 FOCUS Staff in Nairobi spent time in Toto Children's home in Kasarani as part of CSR activities. They cleaned the compound, washed clothes, cooked food and spent time talking to the children.

It is not easy for the children and workers there. Let us pray for them and many others who have given themselves to serving the Lord by caring for the disadvantaged in the society.



Students from Meru University of Science and Technology went out of their way to attract crowds for Evangelism by holding an eating competition besides a football match. The CU was in an annual mission at Timau. 114 Students participated in the mission which saw 308 people give their lives to Christ.



A section of the Kisumu Associates Fellowship, during the monthly meeting, discussing Stress Management. This has become a subject that can no longer be ignored considering the issues facing believers in our contemporary society.

[Click here to join your nearest Associates Branch for involvement](#)

VUKA FIT

Murang'a University CU Elders
Dance at FOCUS during their
Vuka Weekend



A Vuka Fit session for the Technical University of Kenya CU on 9th March 2019 under a tent at FOCUS Center.



Laikipia University Christian Unions Elders pose for a photo after an Elder's Sunday in March 2019.

Vuka Fit is the FOCUS Finalists program that prepares them for life after Campus. At the core of it, is to prepare fresh graduates for work place, local Church, marriage, and Ministry beyond Campus. **Congratulations** to all the newly graduated lot for finishing strong. The FOCUS Associates department welcomes you to join one of our Associates Branches near your area of residence.

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University Protestant Chaplains posing for a photo outside the Ufungamano House, Nairobi after a consultation meeting with FOCUS Kenya on building synergy for effective Mission in the Universities, on 11th April 2019.

THE FOCUS KENYA 46TH AGM



FOCUS Kenya delights in accountability and transparency. For the first time in history FOCUS AGM was held at FOCUS Center Kasarani when we held the 46th AGM on 4th May 2019.

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