

Project Update: April 2016

The process of identifying one more primary school and secondary schools to work with was conducted from 28th to 31st March 2016. The activity focused on establishing if the targeted schools had environment clubs and other environment conservation initiatives going on. The schools engaged were Mulaha Secondary, Boro Secondary, Segere Secondary, Hawinga Girls Secondary and Malomba Secondary school. Mbaga Girls Boarding primary was added to the list of primary schools. Aaron Okoth, the community based project member, undertook the exercise of administering the questionnaire. Amongst the schools visited it's only Segere Secondary that had a stand-alone environment club which focused on tree planting. With the growing awareness on conservation of Lake Kanyaboli and Yala swamp through a half marathon that took place in August 2015, most schools are interested in starting conservation activities more so tree planting exercises to help conserve the ecosystem. We are now mobilising the community groups.



A visit to Malomba Secondary school

Margaret Owuor visiting the Yala Swamp Community Environment Protection Project, this is one of the groups we have so far identified to work with.



One of the Yala Swamp Community Group members having the house adorned with fruit messages.