

Project Update: March 2017

1. On March 18th 2017 we conducted an outreach environmental event at Usevya Village, an event that brought together more than 500 youths from the seven schools reached by the project, and attracted more than 1000 community members. An event aimed for youth to educate other community members about environment conservation through different talents e.g. Ngoma dance, singing, Comedy, drama, etc. During the event, we gave presentation to students who did well in our previous month's quiz. This wouldn't have been possible without the help of our supporters.
2. Conservation film night in villages: we have shown conservation film in the five villages reached by the project the film content was about Katavi National Park importance and its conservation challenges, also a film about how different anthropogenic activities affect the environment.
3. Outdoor activities: together with school students we have managed to conduct outdoor activities, we went around the villages with youth learning about how human activities affect the river ecosystem; they received a presentation about different trees species and their importance from one of our village club beneficiary at their tree nursery, we also conduct a bird watching in the village forests.
4. We have also conducted a class session with school students, the aim of the sessions was to conduct correction from our previous month quiz.
5. As an alternative income to improve youth livelihood, we had worked with youth to make soap from their small enterprises, a skill learned from one of VIMA entrepreneurship training.



