## UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND VETERINARY SCIENCES

## **SUMMARY OF TREE PLANTING IN THE YEAR 2013/2014**

The College of Agriculture and Veterinary Sciences (CAVS) had set a target to plant **20,000 tree seedlings** of mainly indigenous species in the year 2013/2014. In the two tree planting seasons, i.e. October-November 2013 and April-June 2014, the College in partnership with various collaborating institutions and carried out an intense tree planting programme at various locations mainly on the University land. This aimed to contribute towards a **Green Cleaner Environment**¢, which was the year¢s theme in tree planting and other environmental sustainability activities.

A total of **20,198 trees seedlings** were planted. The table below indicates the various occasions and sites where the trees were planted:

No	Location	Date	Species	No. of Tree seedlings planted	Remarks
1.	Uni- Biopark, Kabete Field Station	Oct. 23, 2013	20 indigenous species (see documentation), most of medicinal value	500	Part of RII, Mr. C. Nyachae, Chair CIC was chief guest
2.	Kibwezi Dryland Field Station	Nov. 15, 2013	10 dryland species	1000	Student scouts and environmental groups
3.	Veterinary Farm, Kanyariri	Nov. 20, 2013	Various (see documentation)	3500	Mainly planted along the farm border
4.	Ngong Forest Station	Nov. 23, 2013	Juniperus procera (Cedar)	2000	Student scouts and environmental groups
5.	Veterinary Farm, Kanyariri	April 4 <sup>th</sup> 2014	Various (see documentation) Gravellier robusta were planted along the farm border	6398	Over 600 persons participated including 150 pupils from Loresho Primary School
6.	Kibwezi Dryland Field Station	April 5 <sup>th</sup> 2014	Two species: Mellia volksii (700) Cassia (300)	1000	Dryland speceis

7.	Uni- Biopark, Kabete Field Station	May 28, 2014	63indigenous species (see documentation) most of medicinal value	2300	Partnered with Standard Chartered Bank and KEFRI
8.	Ngong Field Station	May 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2014	Two spicies: Croton megalocarpus (1300) Schinus molle (200)	1500	Dept. of EBE brought 500 seedlings and joined CAVS in the planting
9.	Uni- Biopark, Kabete Field Station	June 27, 2014	25indigenous species (see documentation), most of medicinal value	2000	Partnered with Total Kenya and KEFRI
TOTAL			20,198		



Environmental and Scouts group of students planting tree seedlings along the Kibwezi river at the Kibwezi Dryland Field Station on APRIL 5<sup>th</sup> 2014.



Total Kenya Managing Director Ms Ada Eze planting a tree at the Uni-Biopark, Kabete Field Station on 27<sup>th</sup> June 2014



Total Kenya team pose for a group photo outside the Principal CAVS office after the tree planting at the Uni-Biopark, Kabete Field Station on 27<sup>th</sup> June 2014



Students and staff planting trees on the newly opened up space at the at the Uni-Biopark, Kabete Field Station on 27<sup>th</sup> June 2014