Student leadership at universities is corrupt

The University of Nairobi's student union elections are coming soon. Sadly, our student leadership seems to be a “copy and paste” of the national politics. Politicians fund certain interests, creating puppets among the student leadership and manipulating student politics for their own interests.

CHRIS AKI, Kakamega

Does each county have a standby recce team or must they be flown from Nairobi? Is each county prepared with a fully equipped anti-terrorism operation centre? Do we have helicopters dedicated to airlift recce squads in case of a terrorist situation? Are our police officers prepared for such situations?

JOE MUSOYO, Kitengela, Kajiado

The Garissa University College students are reported to have expressed concern about the state of the college fence. It is the duty of the State to protect students and all the people of Garissa and other volatile towns along the border with Somalia. The government should not wait to act after attack.

JUSTIN N. NKARANGA, Mombasa

Kenyan universities are easily accessible to anyone and unless something is done, there may be more, and worse, security breaches. The Ministry of Education and university administrations should consider introducing uniform for university students as a way of identifying them.

The entry and exit of university students should be regulated, the way it is done in secondary and primary schools. This way, strangers trying to gain access to the campus should be kept to a minimum.

PHILIP THUITA, Eldoret

To avoid tragedy and maintain a secure environment for students, it is paramount to have a good security system...

LAST WEEK'S QUESTION

What should Kenya do to win the war against terrorism?

DAVE NGURE: We should train our police force afresh to be on the same level as our soldiers.
The soldiers should be allowed to carry out the training.

JOB MOMANYI: We should consider pulling out of Somalia, but after setting tough conditions.
Then the government will be free to deal with the radicalised Kenyans who are working with the terrorists.

ELI MUTWIRI: Citizens should always report to the authorities anything that may be a threat to security.

FAITH NDUKU: The security forces respond quickly to intelligence report about any impending attack.
Police should be deployed at places where there are crowds, large buildings, and malls.