THE WEEK THAT WAS....

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KISE PARTICIPATES IN THE 4th KENYA NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR UNESCO AND NATIONAL CULTURAL CELEBRATIONS AT KICC.



Hon. Ababu Namwamba, EGH, Cabinet secretary for Youth Affairs, Sports and Arts at KISE's exhibition stand.

The Kenya National Commission for Unesco_(KNATCOM) celebrated the 10th Year Anniversary and 4th National Cultural Celebrations at the KICC grounds. The theme of the day was " A Decade of Excellence- Enhancing National Development, Cohesion, Identity and Pride". The event brought together diverse groups from across the country celebrating the talent of youths from informal settlements areas as well as artistes with special needs.

KISE exhibited special needs creative arts through assessment materials and teaching aids used by special needs learners. It was a learning experience for interest groups and individuals to get informed on matters that touch on special needs education and also a chance to gain new partnership deals.

The Cabinet secretary for Youth Affairs, Sports and the Arts, Hon. <u>Ababu Namwamba</u> EGH, graced the occasion together with the CS Tourism Peninah Malonza. The event was attended by Dr Evangeline Njoka (MBS), the KNATCOM Secretary General and Chief Executive Officer. The event also commemorated the World Arts day that takes place on every 15th day of April. It was the biggest cultural celebrations experience in the capital, being a four day celebration.



Cu<mark>ltural arts</mark> presented at KICC grounds.



Machakos and Kajiado counties are set to benefit from a three year project coordinated by Agency for Disability and Development in Africa (ADDA) in collaboration with Christian Blind Mission (CBM) and Girl Child Network (GCN), to improve the quality of education for all learners through teacher training on inclusive education, empowerment on inclusive programming and

co-curriculum activities. In addition, a total on 18 schools within Machakos county are being supported through infrastructural adjustments to ensure accessibility as well as provision of various forms of equipment and teaching aids to assist learners with disabilities.

As part of the proposal, KISE is to play an important role of training trainers on assessment and identification of learners with disabilities as well as prepare and provide teaching aids, develop programmes for the learning activities.

Other key players involved in the project include; the Ministry of Education, The National Council for Persons with Disabilities, the Ministry of Health, and the Early Childhood Education -both at National and county levels.



GOAL BALL TEAM SHINES IN TEACHERS' COLLEGE CHAMPIONSHIPS



Goal ball team (men) representing Nai robi region, emerged top at the 40th annual National Championship games held at Thogoto Teachers Training College, in Kiambu County. The event which held four disciplines of the ball games included the women soccer, volleyball men, netball, handball and go al ball.

The team ranked position one overall, with Titus Mukwana being the most valuable player. KISE (Nairobi region) team played in the first game scoring 16 points against Kagumo TTC (Central Region) 4 points, while the second game tied at 3 points — each against Asumbii TTC (Nyanza region). Volley ball men also participated in the regional games, emerging position five out of seven.

The Kenya Teachers Colleges Sports Association will host teachers training colleges in May for the seven regions with ea ch having 60 participants for the annual championship competitions in Murang'a teachers college.



Intakes for Kenyan sign language certificate, Diploma in special needs, functional assessment certificate, Braille proficiency certificate, currently ongoing













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