

# NEWSLETTER

SHINYALU CONSTITUENCY



## THE NEW DAWN

**HON. FRED  
IKANA**

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- IKANA CUP 2023
- WELFARE
- UPDATE ON ONGOING PROJECTS

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## EDITORIAL



Dear esteemed reader,

It is our hope that you are in good spirits. We are thrilled to share with you the latest edition of the Shinyalu bulletin, which highlights the recent progress and activities in our constituency. We thank you for taking your time to read and staying up-to-date with recent happenings. Thank you for your continued support!

  
**HON. FRED IKANA**  
MP SHINYALU



# WELFARE



Hon. Fred Ikana organized one of the most successful events in the history of not just Shinyalu Constituency but Kakamega County at large.

The main agenda of the event, which attracted prominent personalities from all corners of the country, was to support churches across Shinyalu.

The initiative saw over Ksh. 10.6 Million raised for onward distribution to over 30 churches.

Education has also been another of Hon. Ikana's top priorities. Besides education bursaries, many students have benefited from IKANA MAENDELEO FOUNDATION. A number of students secured full sponsorships to acquire education in secondary and tertiary institutions.

On the other hand, over 7,000 KCPE examination candidates in all primary schools across the constituency this year received geometrical sets from the MP, besides lunch that also benefited their grade 6 and KCSE counterparts.

In health matters, Hon. Ikana partnered with St. Elizabeth Mukumu Mission Hospital in offering free screening and dental clinic/check-ups to Shinyalu residents.

During the excise, the locals received unga courtesy of their MP.

Over 2,000 natives equally received mattresses from Hon. Ikana in a program that targets the vulnerable.

A total of 64 top students in the just-released KCPE exams results from all the 32 sub-locations will be put on full scholarships.





Hon. Fred Ikana, the Member of Parliament for Shinyalu, spearheaded an interdenominational service that brought together 30 churches. The service, which took place at Shikulu Primary in Isukha Central, raised over 11.6 million Kenyan shillings to support various church projects in Shinyalu constituency. Dignitaries from across the country, including National Assembly Speaker Hon. Moses Wetangula and PCS Hon. Musalia Mudavadi, were in attendance.

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## ROADS AND TRANSPORT

### Airstrip-Shinyalu- Chepsonoi RD to be tarmacked from 2024.

Shinyalu Constituency has witnessed a major transformation in the roads sector since the advent of the current tenure under MP Fred Ikana.

A total of 10 major roads have undergone major repairs in a partnership between Hon. Ikana and the Kenya Rural Roads Authority.

Many of these roads were in sorry states and completely impassable for years. "In the first 12 months through partnership with KERRA, I maintained the following roads, Shihuli-River Yala; Chirobani-Vikoshe-Shipalo; Murhanda-Virhembe and Ikuywa-Musanyi Primary School," the MP stated.

"Others include, Mugomari-River Imisa; Kisia Market-Mukhuru Pefa Church; Shinyalu-Shingodo-Mwilitsa, Khayega-Malimili, Shabwali-Mukango and Mukumu-Shisasari-Lirhanda roads," he added.

He said they were waiting for the ongoing rains to subside before embarking on another round of routine maintenance of Kambiri-Mukhonje; Mukhonje-Chirovani; Shabwali-kwirenyi; Shibuye-River Mukhuvitsa and Khayega-Shibuye roads. Also on the radar are the Murhanda-Virhembe; Museno-Masiyenze; Mundulu-ECD-Murhanda and Kambiri-Ikoli roads.

**Hon. Ikana further expressed optimism in the national government's plan to upgrade Airstrip-Shinyalu-Chepsonoi Road to bitumen standards in the 2023/2024 budget.**

He said the road, whose construction is expected to begin early next year, would pave the way for investments in the Constituency.

The MP thanked the Kakamega Governor Fernandes Barasa for heeding his call of upgrading the Kambiri-Chirovani-Kisaina Road, which is also scheduled to commence next year.

"I am working very closely with both levels of government with the main objective of initiating development projects for my people," he said.

He pointed out that putting up of an international airport in Shinyalu would further spur the growth of the local economy.

Ikana is also working with both the national and county governments to ensure Kakamega Forest, a huge chunk of which is in Shinyalu, is conserved and restored to promote tourism.

There have been a series of tree-planting initiatives in the forest courtesy of the MP's collaboration with both governments and other partners.

It is through the same cooperation that will see construction of Madala Tea Factory, which has become a mirage for over eleven years, finally executed and completed by next year.

"There is also the Shamakhubu Level IV Hospital that will now be completed after I raised the matter with the Kakamega County Government," he added.



**Construction of Stalled Shamakhubu Hospital Resumes early 2024 after MPs intervention through the office of the governor**

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SHINYALU NG-CDF SOCCER TOURNAMENT ATTRACTS HUNDREDS OF TEAMS



## A Chance to win Medals

The eagerly awaited National Government Constituency Development Fund Soccer tournament for Shinyalu has attracted more than 150 teams.

During the just concluded soccer stakeholders meetings held in all the six wards, most of the teams expressed readiness and optimism for the event.

"We are gearing up for the event, the boys are well prepared and raring to go," said Kevin Mandela of Sande fc.

He lauded Hon Ikana and the CDF office for a noble idea that is structured that comes along with a good exit program.

For over a decade we have never witnessed any CDF sponsored sporting activities, but now we are glad with what our MP is doing," he added.

The legislator also urged the county government of Kakamega to speed up renovations of major play grounds in the Constituency to enable players to enjoy proper sports facilities, especially playing surfaces.

Hon Ikana assured all the teams of fairness and warned the officials against boardroom decisions that tend to favor some individuals and some teams over their counterparts.

He added that he's in communication with top clubs who will send in their representatives to scout raw talents as one way of opening doors for local stars to showcase and nourish at national as well in international levels.

"I want to assure my total support to all sporting activities, this one area that we intend to invest in so that we can create job opportunities for hundreds of our youths", said Ikana.

He also promised to bring many friends and partners on board to assist in development of football as well as other sporting activities in the Constituency.

Shinyalu NG-CDF Chairman Mr. Thomas Aseka said all arrangements for the event are complete after completion of all wards stakeholders meetings.

He revealed that through the meetings they have identified two coordinators per ward who will join the Constituency coordination team for smooth running of the tourney.

Winners of the event will get playing kits, trophies, balls and also a token of cash from the Patron Hon. Fred Ikana

# SPORTS



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## TREE PLANTING

Together with Gov. Fernandez Barasa and PS Ummi Bashir, we marked National Tree Planting Day at Murhanda Primary School, Murhanda Ward

I believe that it is our responsibility to preserve the environment, and one way we can achieve this is by planting trees.



**MORE THAN 50,000  
TREES PLANTED TO  
PROTECT OUR  
ECOSYSTEM**

Hon. Fred Ikana aboard KN speed boat while on duty as he plays oversight role under the defense, intelligence and foreign relations committee.





# Shitochi Primary Sch.

## Ongoing projects

We have successfully launched seven signature projects across the six wards. These projects were implemented in Shitochi, Mukulusu, Munasio, Ivakale, Solyo, Ileho Primary and Lwanda Primary respectively.

## Future Projects and plans

We have lined up various upcoming Projects to Launch in Six Wards During Financial Year 2023/2024



## Munasio Primary

Revitalizing a Forgotten School in Isukha West. The focus of our efforts is the school located in the heart of Isukha West. With a significant number of students in attendance, this school has been long overdue for a facelift. We are proud to announce that it has been selected for upgrade in the 2022/2023 financial year.

## Ivakale Primary

Revamping Schools in Isukha North: A Symbolic Project In an effort to improve educational facilities, the Ivakale institution was selected as the first school to benefit from the school facelift program in the 2022/2023 financial year. This initiative is symbolic of our commitment to enhance the learning environment for our students. Our ultimate goal is to upgrade all schools in Shinyalu over the next few years.



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# IMI STUDIOS

Hon Fred Ikana is set to establish a Modern Recording Studio in Shinyalu to Empower Youth. Our team has set out on a mission to create a cutting-edge recording studio in Shinyalu that will make recording and monetizing content a breeze. We're particularly excited to offer this resource to our youth completely free of charge.

## IMI STUDIOS TO HELP IDENTIFY AND NURTURE TALENTS

We can help with your Music concept through recording, marketing and monetization the magic of our professional and support from Hon.

Fred Ikana

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## HON. FRED IKANA

Member of parliament Shinyalu Constituency

### Dear Reader

Greetings. I hope this message finds you safe and healthy. We're excited to present the latest edition of the Shinyalu bulletin. We invite you to read it and get acquainted with the latest developments happening in our constituency. Enjoy!

We have rolled out an elaborate plan to clean the mess in our schools by building modern classrooms a program that will make learning facilities habitable



### Mentorship

My focus is on encouraging boys and girls to embrace educational opportunities and broaden their horizons.



### Health

Distributing Free Sanitary Pads to Underprivileged Girls in our schools across the Constituency