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THE THIRD ANNUAL CHEPs CONFERENCE 2016

11th December 2016

Theme: "Building the future through science and technology"

INTRODUCTION:

The Centres for Health and Education Programmes (CHEPs) is a registered Non-Governmental Organisation in Kenya. Its goal is to empower, promote access and improve quality of health and education for the benefit of under resourced individuals and communities. CHEPs believes that knowledge is power, and it is In the spirit of disseminating information to empower communities that CHEPs holds annual scientific conferences.

CHEPs successfully held its third annual conference on 11th December 2016, at Nairobi Jaffery Sports Club conference hall, where over 60 participants from different backgrounds and professions discussed ideas and innovations.

The following presentations were made:

1. “ Health and security at work places ” by Noel Mudibo – Diploma in petroleum studies graduate, Kenya institute of petroleum studies.
2. “ The birth of a scientific revolution and modern medicine ” Dr. Fatma Abdulrahman – Medical Officer, Mbagathi County Hospital.
3. “ The role of caregivers in day-care centres in the personality development of children ” By Mohammed Matano – Bachelor of Education student, Marist University.
4. “ Data exchange, a technological perspective ” by Raphael Pundo – Aura Safina Consulting.
5. “ Anti-jiggers campaign in Muranga ” by Peter Njoroge - Lab technologist, Umma University.
6. “ My trees in Garissa ” by Khatra Dahir – Bachelor of Mathematics graduate, University of Nairobi.
7. “ CHEPs brings hope to the hopeless ” by Dr. Faraj Alkizim – Programmes Manager, CHEPs Kenya.

The Keynote presentation was made by Mr Ahmed Abdi, the Head Teacher of Garissa Primary School For The Disabled, who stimulated productive discussion on special needs education

The CHEPs inspiration forum was the final agenda of the day, and it was graced by Daniel Njuguna, a young inventor who impressed the audience by his many inventions ranging from a personal assistant robot to an automatic cloth line that detects rain and immediately rolls cloths into a shade, all made using low cost, locally available material. He inspired the audience with his creativity and hard work, which have enabled him to invent various gadgets despite having not progressed beyond secondary school education.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT:

CHEPs wishes to thank all participants for having spared time to grace the event. Special thanks are due to Nairobi Jaffery Sports Club for hosting the event.

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