

Project Update: June 2019

We started the project on 1st March 2019. We conducted a 6-day intensive training of game rangers on the use of CyberTracker to record data (see accompanying photos). During the training we used rugged smart phones from the College of African Wildlife Management, Mweka, where one of the project team members is working as a lecturer. So, the game rangers are continuing with data collection, but for the time being they are using GPS units as we are waiting for the project's rugged smart phones. Questionnaire surveys and focus group discussions will start on the 24th of June 2019.



Left: A SMART trainer preparing to start a training session for Ugalla game officers and rangers. **Right:** A SMART training session for Ugalla game officers and rangers



Left: A section of Ugalla game officers and rangers attending SMART training workshop. **Right:** One of the small moderated ranger groups discussing key aspects of wildlife law enforcement during the training workshop



Left: Lunch break during SMART workshop in Ugalla. **Right:** A sample of basic SMART equipment currently being used by Ugalla rangers.