

Project Update: May 2012

Community based ecological monitoring programme

The old hunters association, a formally recognised group of hunters and the community based village groups have been conducting wildlife surveys in the area since 2011. The need had been identified by the groups as a way of gathering data for the sustainable management of the wildlife.

New skills enrich home gardens and enhance livelihood of the local communities.

The project has empowered families on how to manage nurseries, deal with pests and diseases in home gardens. Mrs Langa testified how she sells vegetables at the markets and earned 5000 Francs weekly.

Pupils' participation in the national day celebration

The wildlife clubs have embarked on environmental education campaigns during the national day celebration. The aim was to enable stakeholders develop an environmental culture through the development of songs and traditional displays on livelihood alternatives for the unsustainable use of bushmeat.

