

The McKnight visit

A2N-Kamuli hosted The McKnight Foundation delegates; Mr. Otto Jonathan (Program Consultant), Ms. Cara Otto (his wife), Ms. Jane M. Cady (Program Director of International Programs, and Marah Moore accompanied by Programme Officer-AA2N-Uganda on the 11th October 2007. They visited the office demonstration vegetable gardens and 1 household (Mr. Lubandi Waisswa) in Kasaka village, Bulopa parish. They saw over 15 households along Bulopa road who have improved on food security.

At Mr. Lubandi Afuga's home, they saw a market stall where Mr & Mrs. Lubandi sell some of their farm produce got from their vegetable gardens, pineapple garden and banana plantations and also saw energy saving cook stoves, animal house (goat shed), well structured latrine with a tip-tap facility among others. They were impressed with what the family members had on ground.

The delegates further addressed a gathering of Bulopa Farmers Association members at Mr. Lubandi Afuga's home. They appreciated farmers' efforts and appealed to them to continue working hard. Some of the photos taken during the visit are here below:



The McKnight Foundation delegates during a discussion with program staff and visiting the office demo vegetable plots.



The visitors viewing the market & utensil drying rack at Lubandi's home stall



*Left: One of the Association members demonstrating to the visitors how the tip-tap facility operates.
Right: Mr. Lubandi showing the visitors their pineapple and the newly established banana gardens*