



WATERNEWS UPDATE

NCWSC TAKES WASCO GAMES BY STORM TO BECOME OVERALL WINNER



Board Chairman, Arnold Karanja, Board Members Cedric Alaro, Johnstone Mukabwa and Managing Director, Eng. Nahason Muguna, leads the staff in receiving the overall winner trophy.

The Company emerged overall winner in the just concluded 12th edition of the Water Sports Companies Organization (WASCO) hosted by Narok Water and Sewerage Company Ltd (NARWASSCO).

NCWSC clinched position one in the following disciplines: squash, netball, volleyball ladies, scrabble, draught, athletics, badminton, pool and ajua while it came second in volleyball men, traditional dance and chase. Over 30 water companies registered and participated in the competitions.

This year's theme was : **"Combating Climate Change Crisis through Sports"**. The clarion call aligns to the efforts undertaken by the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation, agencies, Water Service Providers (WSPs) and other stakeholders, to mitigate and adapt to climate change phenomenon.

The event was officially opened by Hon. Musalia Mudavadi, the Prime Cabinet Secretary and was accompanied by Cabinet Secretary- Water, Sanitation and Irrigation Hon. Alice Wahome and the host Governor H.E Patrick Ole Ntutu.

Mudavadi lauded WASCO for providing the platform for the water sector workforce to learn and benchmark. He intimated that the Government is reforming the model of water and sanitation provision to better serve the citizens while cognizant of the climate change threats.

"Now more than ever the Government of Kenya is transforming the way it manages its water resources and delivers water and sanitation services to its citizens. Urgent action is needed to overcome climate change threats." He said.

The Cabinet Secretary- Water, Sanitation and Irrigation, Hon. Alice Wahome, said water is a key enable for development and called for collaborations between the National and County Government so that water and sanitation consumers are given appropriate and efficient services.

"Water is a key driver for development. The Government continues to implement policy, governance, and legal interventions to increase water storage and improve sanitation in the country" She added.

NCWSC Board Chair, Arnold Karanja, while addressing players and participants during the closing ceremony called for unity of purpose to enhance service delivery for Nairobians.

"You have exhibited exemplary level of discipline. I am proud of you. As you retreat to your various work stations, always think of how better you can serve our customers because that is very key for our sustainability. The same level of excellence you have demonstrated should reflect on how you attend and offer services to our clients."

The Chair was accompanied by Board Members- Esther Muthoni, Cedric Alaro, Johnstone Mukabwa and Oscar Omoke.



Prime Cabinet Secretary, Hon. Musalia Mudavadi, EGH, officially opens the 12th edition of WASOC games.



Board Members Cedric Alaro, Esther Muthoni and Johnstone Mukabwa pose for a photo with players moments before the flag off of the games .



Board Chair, Arnold Karanja, Board Members Cedric Alaro, Johnstone Mukabwa, Technical Director Eng. Lucy Njambi and DHRA Monica Tuli cheer the players.



Players led by Managing Director, Eng. Nahason Muguna, breaks into song and dance moments after being declared overall winners of the 12th edition of the WASCO games.



Players in procession to mark the start of the 12th edition of WASCO games



Cheering squad in action



Board Members Cedric Alaro, Johnstone Mukabwa, Oscar Omoke and Managing Director, Eng. Nahason Muguna, celebrates after NCWSC emerged position 2



NCWSC Kibende traditional dancers on stage



John Kagia of NCWSC takes aim at darts dashboard



James Muriuki of NCWSC takes aim at the cue ball. NCWSC emerged top.



Paul Olali (right) of Nairobi Water competes in scrabble . NCWSC took position 1



NCWSC Badminton team celebrates after taking position 1



Board member Cedric Alaro poses for a photo with football team at Masai girls grounds



Nairobi Water faces off with Kilifi Water during day 1 of the competitions at Masai Girls grounds



Netball team poses for a photo as they warm up for the competitions



Volleyball ladies poses for a photo with the Managing Director, Eng. Nahason Muguna, before playing Eldoret Water



Volleyball team square it out with Eldoret Water to emerge position 2



Mary Rapando of NCWSC in action during shot put ladies competitions



Festus Waita of Nairobi Water crosses the finish line to win 100 meters men



Brenda Musambai (in blue) came 2nd in 100 meters women



Noel Sandui of NCWSC at the start line for 4 X 100 meters women



Daniel Gachui took position one in 10,000 meters men



Peninah Kamau of NCWSC finishes first in 10,000 meters women



Grace ndungu roars to victory in 200 meters women



NCWSC 4 X 100 meters men relays took position 1



NCWSC 4 X 100 meters women relays passes the baton



Anthony Chesi of NCWSC in action during high jump men competitions



NCWSC Women weighing over 80 Kgs readies for the race with other companies. They emerged position 1.



NCWSC first aider, Henry Oketch, attends to an injured player



NCWSC corporate choir pose for a group photo moments before the start of the choir competitions.