

Bomet to produce a million facemasks



Bomet has begun the production of a million re-usable facemasks at Siwot Vocational Training Centre, in Bomet East Sub-county.

Governor Dr Hillary Barchok while launching the mass production of the masks said the institution will produce at least 7000 face masks to be distributed free-of-charge to all the county residents in fight against the spread of Covid-19 in the county.

Adding, “the masks will be stamped with county logo for identity should anyone try to sell them.”

The Community Health Volunteers will help in distribution of the masks after it has been sterilized.

“One million face masks to be produced”





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Quote of the Week

"The single biggest way to impact an organization is to focus on leadership development. There is almost no limit to the potential of an organization that recruits good people, raises them up as leaders and continually develops them."
- John Maxwell

Flood victims receive food supplies



Floods affected families in Cheptebe village in Sigor ward, Thursday, received food stuff from the county government.

Governor Dr Hillary Barchok, Tuesday, visited affected households displaced by floods following heavy rains that pounded on the area over the weekend destroying bridges, several houses and crops of unknown value.

Governor Barchok assured the 31 affected families in the area that they will receive food stuff and iron sheets to rebuild their houses through our disaster management unit in the county.

He appealed to the people living in flooding prone areas to move to safer grounds.

Chepchabas dispensary upgraded

Chepchabas dispensary has been upgraded to Health Centre status to cater for the more than 25 thousand catchment population in Chepchabas ward as well as those from the multinational tea companies.

Governor Dr Hillary Barchok announced this on Friday, May 1, 2020 when he opened a newly constructed laboratory in the facility. The Governor also presented an assortment of medical equipment to the facility.



Governor Dr Hillary Barchok (right) receiving 40 handwashing stations from Aqua Clara Kenya, Wednesday. The hand washing buckets will be distributed by Community Health Volunteers to vulnerable households to aid in the fight against Covid-19.



Governor Dr Hillary Barchok (right) with Medical services CEC Dr Joseph Sitonik (centre) and Public Health Chief Officer Zaddy Chumo (left) receiving a consignment of medical supplies up to Sh 1 million from the betting firm, Mozzart Bet Kenya, towards the fight against Covid-19. The consignment includes Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), thermo guns, gumboots, masks, spray pumps among others among other items.