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Sh. 10 million seed capital to boost Bodaboda sector



Bomet Governor, Prof. Hillary Barchok, Wednesday announced that his administration will offer sh 10 million as seed capital to the main Bomet Bodaboda Sacco to boost the sector. Speaking during the development tour in Kiprerer ward, Prof. Barchok

acknowledged the contribution of the Boda Boda sector to the vibrance of Kenya's economy .
"To operationalize this initiative, a total of 100 bodabodas - four per ward - will be purchased and assigned to respective bodaboda small saccos in each ward,

where operators will borrow and plough back the proceeds as they grow their bases."

Nationally, the sector generates approximately 1 Billion daily equivalent to 3.4% of the country's GDP.



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Boresha Maisha na Barchok programme roll out continues



Governor Prof. Hillary Barchok shakes hand with a beneficiary of Boresha Maisha na Barchok Programme at Kipreres in Bomet East Last week. The County Government, through the department of Social Services constructed a house for her.

Bomet residents have continued to benefit from Boresha Maisha na Barchok empowerment programme since the programme was launched a while back. Among the beneficiaries include residents from Kipreres, Chemagel, Kapkenini and Kapsimotwo areas. The programme targets widows, widowers,

caregivers, village elders and other special needs groups organized in self-help groups and CBOs. Among the items donated include bee hives, tents, water tank, chairs, seeds and fertilizers as well as cows and poultry. The programme spearheaded by the County Department of Social Services, Gender,

Culture, Youth and Sports seeks to improve the socio-economic status of the residents of Bomet. Prof. Barchok urged residents to form cooperatives for management and accountability purposes.



Targambe bridge: Infrastructure plays a critical role in carrying out day-to-day socioeconomic activities by the people. Prof. Barchok's administration has focused on improving bridges and roads to enhance transport networks.



"The very essence of leadership is that you have to have vision. You can't blow an uncertain trumpet."
 - Theodore M. Hesburgh

Pictorials



Governor Prof. Hillary Barchok, this week toured Kipreres, Kembu, Ndanai-Abosi, Silibwet Township, Chemagel and Embomos wards during development visits where he affirmed his administration's transformative agenda to change the development tide in the county.

Governor Barchok commissioned various projects which include Targambei bridge, Nyahururu ECDE centre, Sachangwan ECDE centre, Jubilee Amani ECDE centre in Embomos, Kipreres Mutarakwa and Ndanai Abosi wards respectively.

The Governor also distributed the Boresha na Maisha na Barchok items which include tents, beehives, fertilizer, incubators and other items to various registered CBOs.

