



Activity Report:

Youth Soap-Making Training

Organized by:

Bukulula Action for Children and Young People Uganda (ACYP) – Youth Club

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Venue: Kalungi Community Centre

1. Introduction

As part of ACYP Uganda's ongoing commitment to empower vulnerable children and youth with practical skills, the Youth Club held a hands-on training session on multi-purpose liquid soap production. This activity was designed to equip young people with entrepreneurial knowledge during their school holiday, fostering creativity, self-reliance, and community impact.

2. Facilitation

The session was facilitated by Miss. Rhona, an ACYP volunteer with expertise in small-scale production and entrepreneurship. She guided the youth through:

- The step-by-step process of making liquid soap.
- The materials and chemicals required.
- The addition of perfumes and other ingredients to enhance product quality.
- Safety measures and responsible handling of chemicals.

3. Objectives of the Activity

- To provide practical entrepreneurship skills to youth during school holidays.
- To encourage innovation and creativity among young people.
- To promote self-reliance and income-generating opportunities.
- To strengthen teamwork and peer learning within the Youth Club.

4. Activity Process

- Introduction & Orientation: Youth were briefed on the importance of entrepreneurship and the role of soap-making in household and community needs.
- Demonstration: Facilitator Rhona demonstrated the preparation process, explaining each material and its function.
- Hands-On Practice: Youth actively participated in mixing, measuring, and preparing the soap under supervision.
- Reflection: Participants shared their experiences and discussed how such skills could be applied in their daily lives or future ventures.

5. Outcomes & Achievements

- Youth successfully produced multi-purpose liquid soap.
- Participants gained knowledge of materials, measurements, and safe handling.
- The activity boosted confidence and teamwork among the young people.
- The session sparked interest in entrepreneurship, with youth expressing eagerness to explore more practical skills.

6. Next Steps

- A follow-up session has been scheduled for packaging and branding of the soap.
- Youth will be guided on marketing strategies and basic financial literacy to support small-scale business initiatives.
- ACYP Uganda will continue to integrate skills-based training into youth programs, ensuring sustainability and long-term impact.

7. Conclusion

This activity reflects ACYP Uganda's mission to empower vulnerable children and youth with practical skills that go beyond the classroom. By engaging in soap-making, the youth not only learned a valuable trade but also strengthened their sense of community, creativity, and resilience.

8. Acknowledgements

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