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DE-SNARING REPORT AUGUST 2013

CHYULU/DUMA TEAM



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Areas Patrolled

Voi

Utu

Tinoima

mukururo

Mtito Andei

Metava

Kithasyo

Kimetunda

Kikunduku

Kibwezi Forest

Kenzili

Kenze

Kaunguni

KARI

Kaluku DSWT Field H

Arrests

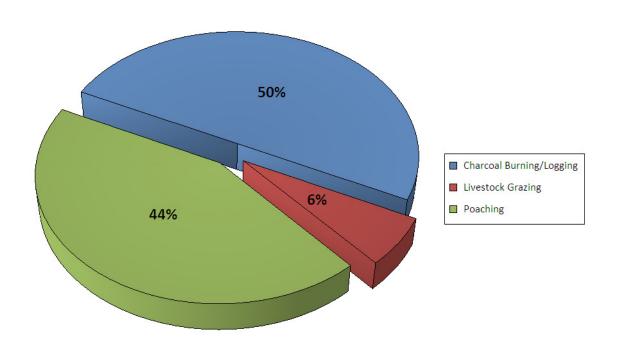
29 Arrest(s) this month



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Main Illegal Activities experienced during the Month





Wildlife Carcasses - Number, Species, Cause of Death

No. Carcasses	Species	Cause of Death	Means of Death	Carcass Age
1	Warthog	Man Made Cause	Snared	Fresh (less than 3 weeks



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Snares Collected

Snare Type	Snare Size	Snare Description	No. Confiscated	
Thin Wire	Small	Cluster	7	
Medium Wire	Medium	Cluster	41	

Total Snares Collected: 48



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Monthly Summary

DUMA TEAM DESNARING REPORT FOR AUGUST 2013

Areas patrolled

During the month of August the team managed to patrol Metava, Utu, Kikunduku, Kensili Kisula Mkururo and Kaunguni area.

Metava

This is an area near the park boundary which historically known for poaching and wood carving. Duma team maintained a constant surveillance and indirect espionage measures which successfully enabled us to apprehend a poacher with bush meat in this area at night.

Mkururo

This is the northern area of Chyulu hills national park and is known for a variety of wildlife species like Rhinos and Elephants. We extended our patrols in this area and managed to arrest two elephant poachers with bows and poisoned arrows who disguised as charcoal burners. We handed them over to the KWS investigation department for a screwed interrogation and they ended up giving two elephant tusk which they had hidden in their homes. They were then booked at Voi police station to be arraigned in court for hefty legal measures. The team also through spies realized that woodcarving had caved in this area. This made the team to institute a thorough search where with fortune managed to arrest six woodcarvers with their carvings. We booked them in at Kibwezi police station.

Kikunduku

Kikunduku is an area at the edges of Chyulu hills and has a history of snaring. We patrolled this area and managed to lift snares which targeted at both big game and small games. We also found remains of poached giraffe and a snared warthog carcass a clear indicative of poaching.

Kensili/Kisula

These are two areas which are close to one another in Chyulu national park near Kibwezi forest. The team patrolled these areas and found that logging was at its height. The team managed to arrest several loggers who were later booked in at Kibwezi police station.

Utu

Utu is in the southern end of Chyulu national park, where charcoal burning is always an endless story. Duma combed this area and managed to destroy many both unfinished and ready charcoal kilns. The team arrested twenty charcoal burners who were booked at Mtito Andei police station to face the law.

Compiled by Stephen Musau



KWS Ranger Participation

Patrol Team	KWS Ranger Name	No. Patrol Days
Chyulu/Duma	Kin, Abdi	22
Chyulu/Duma	Elema, Okutu	8
Chyulu/Duma	Abdi, Zaki	5
Chyulu/Duma	Abdi, Zake	1
Chyulu/Duma	, Tomena	3
Chyulu/Duma	, Ogle	1
Chyulu/Duma	, Ogili	3
Chyulu/Duma	, Obewa	9
Chyulu/Duma	, Nyarialo	8
Chyulu/Duma	, Nyaralo	1
Chyulu/Duma	, Karoli	10
Chyulu/Duma	, Kakar	1



KWS Ranger Participation

Patrol Team	KWS Ranger Name	No. Patrol Days
Chyulu/Duma	,	1
Total Man D	n: 73	

Chyulu/Duma team August 2013 desnaring report photographs



Poachers' hideout at Kikunduku area.

Unfinished charcoal kiln at Kikunduku area



Wood carvers hideout at Mukururo area

A snared warthog carcass at Kikunduku area.