



## **THE DAVID SHELDRIK WILDLIFE TRUST**

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**DE-SNARING REPORT  
JANUARY 2012**

**ZIWANI TEAM**



## **Ziwani Team**

### **De-Snaring Report for January, 2012**

#### **Participants**

Adan	Abdi
Nicodemus	Kivindyo
John	Mungai
Vincent	Mutua
Boru	Okicha

#### **Areas Patrolled**

Kishushe Ranch  
Lualenyi Ranch  
Maktau  
Mbuyani  
Mkamwasi  
Oza Ranch  
Taita Hills Sanctuary

#### **Arrests**

0 Arrest(s) this month



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#### Illegal Activities - Number, Type and Description

##### Illegal Activities

Illegal Activity	No. Incidents	Location	Percentage	Scale	Arrests
Poaching , Snaring - Small Game	1	Oza Ranch	6.67%	Subsistence	No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	6	Taita Hills	50.00%	Commercial	No
Poaching , Snaring - Large Game	1	Maktau	8.33%	Subsistence	No

\* 'Percentage' indicates the overall percentage occurrence (encountered by all de-snaring teams) of that particular illegal activity during the selected month.



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#### **Wildlife Carcasses - Number, Species, Cause of Death**

No. Carcasses	Species	Cause of Death	Means of Death	Carcass Age
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#### Snares Collected

Snare Type	Snare Size	Snare Description	No. Confiscated
Thin Wire	Small	Line	5
Cable	Large	Scattered	74
Cable	Large	Cluster	2
Total Snares Collected:			81



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#### **Monthly Summary**

The team this month went for off duty from 1st of January to the 14th. During the latter month's operation the Team managed to retrieve over 80 snares from all areas patrolled. With most snares being recovered outside the Park boundary as it has been noticed the wildlife has started moving into the dispersal areas and Ranches outside the Park boundary and the poachers are taking advantage of this scenario.

Generally poaching activities have started picking up as the dry season sets in again, and people are in search of a source of income.

This month the team conducted two ecological trips in to the National Park. The schools taken were Mnegwa Primary school and Msorongo Primary school on 30/1/2012 and 31/1/2012 respectively.

The beneficiary schools visited Tsavo East National park where they saw diversity of animals such as herds of elephants, lions, buffaloes, impalas, lesser kudu, giraffe among other wildlife.

They also visited several scenic attractions like Mudanda rock, Aruba dam, and Lugards falls. The highlight was their visit to the Voi stockade where they interacted with orphaned elephants and the keepers. Both schools were excited by the opportunity given to them by the Trust and welcomed another opportunity any time since they tried organising several trips in vain due to high cost involved in it.

Report by Nicodemus Kivindy. (Team Leader)



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#### KWS Ranger Participation

Patrol Team	KWS Ranger Name	No. Patrol Days
Ziwani	Samuel, Maroa	14
Ziwani	Rober, Wako	13

**Total Man Days of KWS Participation: 27**



Mnegwa Primary students at the Voi stockade



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Msorong primary at Voi stokade



A large snare at Taita Wildlife Sanctuary





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The snares lifted at Taita area



Team members lifting snares



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Underground snare at Taita wildlife sanctuary



Underground snare at Taita wildlife sanctuary

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