

## July 26, 2010 - Kenya – Techno-Expo 2010



**(ANS – Nairobi)** – Don Bosco Boys Town in Nairobi held its annual Techno-Expo on July 16-17, 2010. The event is a shop-window to show firms, institutes, and ordinary visitors the quality of the teaching provided by the Salesian institution.

Techno-Expo 2010 was officially opened by Prof. Henry Moses Thairu, the vice chancellor of Inoerero University of Nairobi, on the morning of July 16. In his address Prof. Thairu told the staff, students, and guests to keep three Ps in mind for progress: oerspiration, persuasion, and perseverance. He also gave the example of Mr. Kinuthia, the founder of Nice & Lovely, who began his business in a humble way.

Fr. Babu Augustine, SDB, the outgoing director of the school, welcomed the gathering and Fr. Paul Felix, the incoming director, blessed the people and the Expo.

All the items displayed are produced by the staff and students of Don Bosco Boys Town. The turning department had a homemade sanding machine, wood lathe, and many other hand tools. The tailoring department displayed several styles of dress. The electrical department displayed several homemade gadgets. The masonry/plumbing department had a beautiful house they'd built. The carpentry and welding departments displayed several types of furniture. The auto mechanics showed how the department maintains vehicles. The secretarial department not only displayed the work they do as secretaries, but also they had a fashion show. The computer department explained to the visitors how a computer works and how it is useful to us. The Scouts presented what they learn as Scouts.

The Techno Expo continued on Saturday, when all the parents of the students were expected. Already close to 2,000 visitors, including 17 schools, have visited Techno Expo 2010. Everyone was full of praise for Don Bosco Salesian Institute for the professionalism and seriousness in the training offered.