

PRESS RELEASE

Abeingo Members demand more action

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More than 100 people attended the Annual Abeingo Community Network Summer Party held at Ilford, Greater London on Saturday June 30 2007. Among those in attendance was a special guest, Jill Inyundo from Khwisero in Butere-Mumias District who runs the [Khwisero Water Development Project](#).

During a brief presentation, the Abeingo Chairman, Juvenal Shiundu announced that plans are at an advanced stage to register Abeingo Investments Limited in which members will be invited to buy shares. Among other things, “the investment arm will seek to empower members economically through selected investments in property, stock markets and agri-business in the short term,” he said.

Abeingo secretary, Shadrack Bulimo announced that the Abeingo website has been commissioned and is packed with among other things news from Western Province, history of Abaluhya, an interactive discussion forum, a dating site and a photo gallery featuring general events, birthdays, weddings, new borns and prayer meetings. The website address is <http://www.abeingo.org> (broadband) and for those on dial up especially in East Africa: <http://www.abeingo.org/site.html>.

Reacting to the chairman’s speech, members felt that Abeingo needed to demonstrate concrete action plans and economic activities. “There is no point in calling us here to socialise and eat *nyama choma* without involving us in any meaningful economic activities,” blasted Mr Jairus Boma from Maragoli.

Other members said that ACN needed a calendar of events and meeting once or twice per year was hardly enough. Members thanked the hostess, Mrs Beatrice Khamasi for all the hard work. Other members such as Dr Jedidah Enoch-Onchere and Esther Wairumbi offered to host the event next time around.

Afterwards the party moved to the next gear and members danced the night away to the pulsating rhythms of *lipala* and *sikuti* until the small hours of Sunday morning.

[CLICK HERE](#) to see the party photos.

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