

April 2011 ACON Update



Soaking liquid fertilizer with biochar before using it on the field .



Harvesting liquid fertilizer from water hyacinth in the process of making fuel briquettes.



We are now harvesting liquid from water hyacinth and use it as a liquid fertilizer in our biochar field



District development committee meeting organized by ministry of planning.



Delegates having lunch



Mr Nambwaya one of our biochar field trial farmer in Namasanda village put char + manure in the same hole before planting the maize seed because char was not enough to spread to the whole farm.



Mrs Makokha working on her biochar field trial farm. She is happy because the crop yield keep on increasing for every season. Before ACON trained her on application and utilization of biochar three years ago she never used to get good yield in this sandy soil.



Mr. Okumu one of our biochar field trial farmers in Kiboochi village. Maize are doing so well in clay soil. He has been planting in this farm for three years now.



Cowpeas are doing well in biochar field trial. Before, nothing was harvested from this area.



Farmer having meals after application and utilization of biochar training. ACON trains local farmers on application and utilization of biochar twice a year.