

## LTWP CELEBRATES GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT DAY: 5<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2018



LTWP project employees planting a seedling at the LTWP Accommodation Village

On **5 June 2018**, Lake Turkana Wind Power (LTWP) and its contractors - *Vestas, SECO and RXPE* - celebrated the **Global Environment Day** by planting 350 native tree seedlings on the wind farm, taking the total number of trees planted since the beginning of this year to over 1,000. All seedlings were sourced locally from South Horr and belong to native trees to the area.

A total of 90 people (*30% of whom were women*) took part in the planting exercise. Participants stated that they enjoyed the experience, and that they also found it to be educational. This feeling was particularly the case amongst colleagues from Laisamis Constituency, many of whom come from pastoralist backgrounds, thus have rarely taken part in such an activity before.

To kick-off the celebrations, the LTWP Health, Safety and Environment (HSE) team presented a few slides about the importance of general environmental conservation as well as waste management on the wind farm site. A focus of their presentation, in line with this year's **Global Environment Day** theme to "**Beat Plastic Pollution**", was the management and disposal of plastic waste at the site.

More impressions from the day's activities are presented overleaf.

LTWP HSE colleagues planting a seedling on the wind farm



LTWP, SECO and Vestas employees



Global Environment Day presentation at LTWP Club House