

# Kampala University

## Sports and Games Department

### Semester Report (August, 2018)

The August semester started with the continuation of some of the activities that had been going on in the previous semester (January semester 2018) but at the second round level as indicated below:

#### **Football**

##### *1. University Football League*

Kampala University continued with the second round of the above mentioned league qualifying as runners up in the group stages and below St. Lawrence University (who were the group leaders) and above Busitema and Nkumba Universities respectively. Kampala University went on to meet UCU at the quarter finals level with the end result from both rounds being 4:3 in favor of Kampala University. KU matched on to meet St. Lawrence with the result from both rounds ending at 2 for all; then KU won on penalties 6:5; a result that qualified KU to the finals to meet Kyambogo University. The finals that were staged at Namboole stadium ended 2 goals for both teams after the extra added minutes and went to penalties with Kyambogo edging KU 3 goals to 2. Kampala University ended up as runners up of the 7<sup>th</sup> edition of the University Football League with Mr. Vincent Tumusiime and Mr. Buga Moses as best coach and most valuable player respectively.



Vicent Tumusiime (aka Titi Camara)  
Football Coach, Kampala University  
*2018 University Football League Best Coach*



Moses Buga Ojoaza  
MVP,  
*2018 Univresity Football League*



*Kampala University fans crowns as best in the 2018 University Football League season*

## **2. COSAFA Challenge Tournament (Women)**

The above tournament is restricted to national teams in the southern part of Africa and Uganda was invited as a guest team. The team had four (4) students from Kampala University who were Viola Namuddu, Tracy Jones Akiror, Phiona Nabbumba and Aminah. The team which was captained by Tracy Jones Akiror finished 3<sup>rd</sup> overall after losing to defending champions South Africa but went on to beat Zimbabwe in the 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> position match; a goal that was scored by the captain; Tracy, a 2<sup>nd</sup> year student at Kampala University and on a weekend program.



*Tracy Jones Akiror (white) taking a player from Zimbabwe during the 2018 COSAFA Tournament in South Africa*

### **3. Buganda Regional League**

Kampala University has two teams in the above tournament with Kampala University (Luweero) FC in and Kampala University (Masaka) FC in the Katonga group where both teams are standing strong even with both teams losing a game each out of the three (3) played so far.

## **Netball**

### **1. World University Netball Championships**

Uganda hosted the 3<sup>rd</sup> edition of the world university netball championships at the Makerere University grounds in the month of August. Team Uganda had four (4) players from Kampala University that included Irene Eyar, Florence Adunia, Susan Atino and Annet Najjuka. The team that was captained by Irene Eyar beat 2 time and defending champions South Africa at the finals to be crowned as the champions of the 3<sup>rd</sup> edition. In the previous edition, team Uganda that was led by the Kampala University's Vice

Chancellor, Prof. Badru D. Kateregga finished 4<sup>th</sup> after losing out to England, a tournament that was hosted in Miami, USA August 2016. All the four (4) players together Natweeta Wycline and Oyera Stella have been called up to be part of the National team that is preparing for the netball world cup due next year (2019).



*Uganda and Kampala University's Irene Eyaru (black) in the Uganda vs. Sri Lanka game in the World University Netball Championships, Makerere, Uganda*

## **2. National League**

The Kampala University (Eagles) men's netball team won this year's national league after beating all the three (3) time champions WOB 60 – 48 and 72 – 59 respectively. This result followed other positive results recorded against five (5) other teams finished the entire 2018 national league without any loss.

More so, early August saw the KU mens' team travel to Dar es Salaam for East and Central Netball Club Championships; a tournament that ended with the Eagles becoming runners up after losing to Kenya Ports Authority.

## **Basketball**

### ***National League***

After a whole 4 years in the division 1 of the National Basketball League, Kampala University (Eagles) basketball team finally qualified to the top most division of the Basketball League beating Falcons 3 – 1 in a best of 5 games arrangement at the finals that were played in the Lugogo MTN Arena. Not only are the Eagles join the elite clubs like City Oilers, Nkumba University, Ndejje University and UCU, among others but match on the top division as Division one champions.



## **Volleyball**

### ***National League***

The Kampala University (Eagles) volleyball team as well qualified to the top most division of the National Volleyball League beating Lira Volleyball club by 3 games to 1 in a best of 5 games arrangement at the finals played in the Lugogo MTN Arena. The Eagles wrote history as they had won the 2017 Serie C national league championship that qualified them to Serie B; a category the team sailed through not only as champions but as history makers as no team has ever gone through these series of qualification in just three (3) years and most all, being

champions at both levels. KU now joins top sides in the volleyball league that include KAVC, KCCA, Nkumba University, Ndejje University and UCU, among others.



***Kampala University Volleyball team; champions of the Serie B National Volleyball League***

### **East African University Games**

The year will be crowned with participation in the East African University games to be hosted by Dodoma University. Kampala University is expected to take 8 disciplines namely; Athletics (men and women), Badminton (men and women), Basketball (men and women), Darts (men and women), Handball (men and women), Karate (men and women), Netball (men and women), Soccer (men and women), Table Tennis (men and women), Tae Kwando (men and women) and Volleyball (men). The tournament will be held from 16<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> December, 2018 at the mentioned university with Kampala University football men's team going as the football defending champions of the 10<sup>th</sup> edition of the EAUG games that were hosted by JKUAT, Nairobi, Kenya in 2016.