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G-BIACK Women Programme gets a Knowledge boost



Peris Nderitu and Mary Wangui receive more training at the circle of the sun farm in Trotwood USA, with Dan and Margo Royer Miller

If your goal is for one year, plant maize; if your goal is for ten years, plant a tree; but if your goal is for lifetime, then invest in training.

This is what Peris (the head of G-BIACK women programme) and Mary (G-BIACK women trainer) have discovered. The two ladies travelled to the USA to receive a three months training at the circle of the sun farm and Educational centre in Trotwood Ohio from 5th July to 24th October 2011. This was a very intensive course that focused mainly on the GROW BIOINTENSIVE Agriculture techniques and nutrition. The course was funded by Multinational Exchange for Sustainable Agriculture (MESA) through Ecology Action of Willits. The instructors were Dan and Margo Royer Miller, the founders and directors of the circle of the sun farm in Ohio. Dan and Margo have an experience of more than 5 years in GROW BIOINTENSIVE Agriculture.

Peris and Mary are expected to work with the G-BIACK women and assist them come out of extreme poverty by helping them to produce sufficient food for their families and surplus for income. The organization is giving special attention to the Kenyan women farmers because they are always the “beasts of burden” of the society. Kenyan Women bear most of the responsibilities of the family, besides being the key agricultural producers contributing to more than half of Kenya’s food requirements. G-BIACK women programme intends to train and empower more than 3000 new women farmers by the end of 2012

Women Programmes slogan! -- If you empower a Woman, you have empowered the Whole Community

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