

### Kinda Jopur SHG, Homa Bay County

I joined Kinda Jopur SHG in 2017. The main reason was to enable me benefit by improving my income from farming and resource mobilization through table banking. For over a year I did tomato and kale farming but the yields were low and marketing poor and unreliable. Produce wastage was high and pest infestation high

--- Joshua Palo- Chair



SHEP PLUS identified us and commenced training us in 2018.

I then realized areas that were persuaded me, namely market survey, crop selection use of planting calendar, record keeping amongst others. I adopted these technologies and saw my farm income increase from an average of Kshs 11,070/= to Kshs 160,000/= .



Mr. Palo in his farm

Average group income increased by over 300%. I have 4, 2, 1 children in high school, university & college where the total fee per year is Kshs 260,000/= which I am able to pay from farm proceeds.

Farming has enabled young Kenyan achieve education which is one of the keys to wisdom & wisdom brings wealth.  
--Mr. Omija, SCAO  
Rachuonyo North

Knowing why we do what we do and embracing it is critical to retain the motivation! Great efforts on both sides.  
-Yamada, SHEP PLUS

