



Saving Clubs in Rwanda

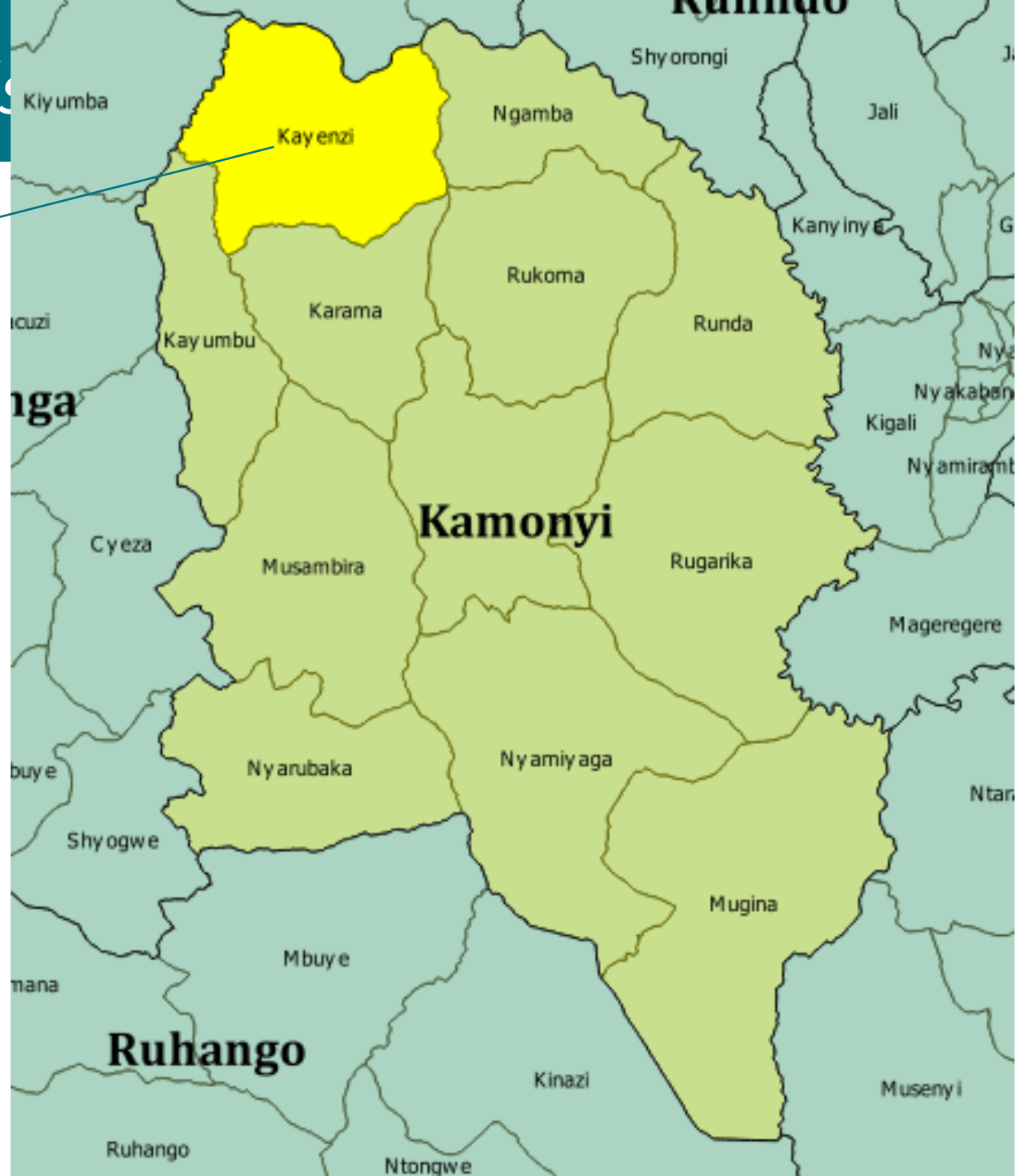
Gender Learning Days, 20-21 March 2019

- Southern Province
- Kamonyi District



Location & Description of schools

- Kayenzi Sector



- Southern Province
- Kamonyi District



- Saving clubs for learners (lower secondary)
 - 13 groups
 - Under guidance of mentor teacher



- Same-sex groups
- Safe environment to discuss gender related topics
- Saving activities reduce drop outs
- Involvement of teachers and parents (score card)
- Leads to concrete improvements (Girl's Room)



Why we selected this as case study

- Combination saving club and gender
- Bottom-up initiative
- Sustainability





Groupe Scolaire Aspeka

- Saving weekly amount
- Economic Development
 - Company making and selling bamboo brochette skewers
- Gender related issues



- Club is lead by female student who is role model for fellow learners
- Club members experience that males and females are equally able to run businesses.



Why we selected this case study

- Combination saving – entrepreneurship – gender
- Bottom-up initiative
- Inspiring for other schools
- Empowerment



- Videos & Case studies integrated in CPD Diploma Programme for School Leaders



- Wider purpose of clubs
- Teachers, school leaders, parents and students working together
- Empowerment
- Economic development



Wider benefits

