

## Nancy Muringe



Changing lives stitch by stitch

# Kenana Knitters

In 2014, Nancy was introduced to the Knitters by her friend and neighbor Grace Gichohi. Nancy was already an accomplished knitter as she used to knit sweaters, beanies and booties for her children. She developed a very keen interest in Kenana after she saw her friend Grace knitting different types toys.

Nancy is one of our very good knitters and is very meticulous in her work. She loves working new patterns which she says are a good challenge for her. She also enjoys knitting spider elephants and monkeys as they are very quick and easy to make.

Nancy is a mother of 5 and she has 10 grandchildren. She is one of our senior citizens and at 65 years of age she is still a very active and reliable knitter.

*“At my age I cannot take a jembe (hoe) to go out to the farms to dig to earn an income. I find that it is very hard work. Knitting work has been ideal for me, especially now that my children have all grown up. I always have my own money, which I use to meet my day to day needs. I even have enough to spoil my grandchildren when they come visiting. Kenana has really helped me. Whenever I come to the workshop I always have such a wonderful day with my friends and colleagues.”*

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