

# Swans, Wananchi, HDF in desereved early festivities

**Of trebles and maidens.** The 2025 season came with marks of history. Not only did the Kampala Hockey Club Swans win an unprecedented third straight women's Uganda Cup trophy but Wananchi men also defended their league and Cup double to earn a third Cup in five years. Wananchi HDF, the youngest team in the women's National Hockey League, also won their first ever title.

**Double defence.** Wananchi men defended their league and Cup double. PHOTOS/ JAMES MUGISHA & MAKHTUM MUZIRANSA



**Unmatched.** KHC Swans completed a historic three-peat in the women's Uganda Cup.



**Deserving.** UOC president Donald Rukare rewards women's league MVP, also the Cup and league top scorer, Jolly Roy Alimo of Wananchi.



**Rachael Atim** inspired strugglers Makerere University to a 3-1 season closing win over Weatherhead Diamonds.



**KHC Swans' Lucky Akello** was named Uganda Cup women's MVP.



**Out of danger.** Men's Uganda Cup MVP Ashraf Tumwesigye drives the ball out of Weatherhead's circle.



**Tough luck.** Men's league top scorer Jackson Musinguzi (L) reacts to messing up a chanceze.



**Maiden.** Wananchi HDF got their first women's league title.