

ATHLETICS STARS MAKE GRENVILLE PROUD

Rustenburg – Grenville High School encourages all learners to take part in sporting activities. The school is proud of the achievements of Maemo Chakalisa, Khudo Mphaphuli and Azola Mahlangu, who took part in the district athletics competition at Hoërskool Rustenburg on Monday 24 February. Chakalisa performed well in the 400m and 800m events while Khudo and Azola demonstrated their abilities in the triple jump discipline. The three have qualified for the provincial athletics meeting, which will be held in Potchefstroom from 5 to 7 March.



Maemo Chakalisa, Khudo Mphaphuli and Azola Mahlangu.

A FUN RUN AT BERGSIG ACADEMY

Rustenburg – Bergsig Academy hosted a great fun run on Tuesday 3 March. Participants had the chance to participate in a 2km, 5km or 8km run. It was a great opportunity to have fun while getting fit and enjoyed by all who attended the event.



Danique Kruger cooling off after a run.



Elmarie Pretorius proudly wears her medal



From left: AJ Reynecke, Wessel Swar en Ali Masike.



From left: Hanlie Oberholzer, Carien Loubser, Monica Breedt, Mishka Bredenkamp.

RUSTENBURG CHESS CLUB MAKES SMART MOVES

Rustenburg - Rustenburg Chess Club members took part in the Annual Chess Tournament hosted by Laerskool Proteapark on Saturday 29 February. Coach Martin Nkuna was especially excited about the diverse group of members playing in the tournament ranging from four-year old Roche Aysen to 65-year old Bulgarian grandmother, Lidiya Guinelieva playing in the tournament with her two grandsons. More than fifty players from the Rustenburg club played in the tournament with top placements across seven sections. What makes this tournament unique is the allocation of players in sections, which is based on Chess South Africa (CHESA) ratings, rather than age groups. With the South African Closed Chess Championship (SAJCCC) around the corner, this provides an ideal opportunity for younger players making strategic moves against much older players to prepare them for this prestigious, invitation-only tournament. Coach Martin Nkuna has great aspirations for the future of the club as he believes that chess is not only a game but provides the opportunity to teach life skills and strategic thinking at the same time.



Lidiya Guinelieva



From left: Martin Nkuna and Roche Aysen

A FUN NIGHT OUT FOR A WORTHY CAUSE

Rustenburg – Laerskool Rustenburg' initiative to collect food and raise funds for the Rustenburg Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) on Wednesday 4 March was a big success. The school invited the community to watch Dolittle under the stars on their rugby field. In order to attend the event people had to bring pet food, blankets and toys or a cash donation. They received mass support and a sea of picnic blankets and excited faces could be seen all around. The heart behind this initiative was Laerskool Rustenburg educator Liza Marie Botha. "I love animals and caring for them is something I want to teach children. I have a project every year to encourage the learners in my class to bring donations for the SPCA. This year we decided to not only involve the whole school but the community as well," Botha said. Moviegoers could also buy snacks to enjoy during the movie. A percentage of the sales will also go towards the SPCA. Rustenburg SPCA manager André Eloff said: "I think this was a great idea and it is amazing to see how many people showed up to support the SPCA. Every bit helps and the donations that we received will certainly go a long way." There were stacks of dog and cat food, toys for the animals to play with and blankets to keep them warm during the cold nights. "We are very grateful to Liza Marie and Laerskool Rustenburg for planning the evening. This will help a lot in taking care of the animals," said Rustenburg SPCA committee chairman Jacques Cronje. It was a great evening for family. This fun fundraising made a big difference in the lives of the animals at the SPCA.



Laerskool Rustenburg Educator Liza Marie Botha and a few of the learners that assisted her with the arrangements for the movie night.



From left: Rustenburg SPCA committee chairman Jacques Cronje, 'Goofey', and Rustenburg SPCA manager André Eloff.



PUBLIC NOTICE

ANNUAL REPORT 018/2019

Notice is hereby given in terms of Section 21(a) of the Local Government Municipal System Act; 32 of 2000, read together with Section 127(5)(a) of Municipal Finance Management Act, 56 of 2003, that the 2018/2019 Draft Annual Report has been tabled before Council on the **18 February 2020**.

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Any enquiries should be directed to the Office of the Municipal Manager for attention to Mr. L Motlhampe: IDP/PMS Office at (014) 543 2004/5/6 during office hours.

Written comments/inputs should be submitted on or before 24 March 2020 to the Office of the MPAC for attention to Ms P. Lekabe.

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