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Prominent businessman gunned down in Motetema

A well-known businessman, Aubrey Maponya (43), has died in a hail of bullets and his friend sustained serious injuries after a group of heavily armed men fired at them in front of Motetema Police Station in the afternoon of Saturday 10 June.

Maponya was murdered in a dramatic suspected hit shooting in which over ten bullets were pumped at a vehicle where he was allegedly a passenger accompanied by his friend as a driver. Maponya died shortly after he was rushed to hospital. The death of Maponya, who was fierce within the community has sent speculations on the circumstances of his killing within the communities of Motetema, Tafelko and Dennilton. Colonel Malesela Ledwaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, said the Motetema Police have launched a manhunt for suspects in connection with the murder of Maponya and attempted murder of his friend. "The police are investigating cases of murder and attempted murder after a well-known businessman aged 43 and a friend were shot and wounded by the suspects who were driving in a white Mercedes Benz sedan on Saturday 10 June 2023 at Motetema at about 17h45," he said. Ledwaba added that according to the information, Maponya and his friend were driving in a white Toyota Hilux in Motetema when they were shot at and wounded by occupants of a white Mercedes Benz, which appears to have been following them. "The police and emergency services personnel were called to the scene and on arrival, the victims were rushed to a local hospital. Aubrey succumbed to his

injuries on arrival while his friend was transferred to another hospital for medical attention," explained Ledwaba. He said the motive of the attack is not known at the stage and the police investigations continue. Ledwaba said the police have opened a case of murder and attempted murder for further investigation. "Anyone with information that can assist the police in the apprehension of the suspects should contact Lieutenant Colonel Boshomane on 079 894 5501 or Captain Mothokwa on 082 414 6464 or Warrant Officer Makola on 082 749 2233. They can also call crime stop number 08600 10111, the nearest police station or share information on MySAPSApp," he said. Lieutenant General Thembi Hadebe, Limpopo Provincial Commissioner of the Police, has condemned the incident, calling upon anyone with information to contact the police in order for the suspects to be arrested.



Well-known businessman, Aubrey Maponya, was killed after he was shot with a hail of bullets in front of Motetema Police Station.



Prominent businessman, Aubrey Maponya, lying in a pool of blood after he was shot multiple times by unknown assailants at Motetema.

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Limpopo police stations plunged in darkness

The Democratic Alliance (DA) in Limpopo said it is very concerned by the lack of back-up power generators at some police stations and satellite stations across the province. According to the arty, a report submitted to the portfolio committee for Transport and Community Safety, revealed that 16 police stations, mainly in rural areas, do not have back-up generators. This include Ga-Masemola Police Station outside Jane Furse. Katlego Suzan Phala, DA spokesperson on Transport and Community Safety, said 36 out of the current 57 satellite stations are operational and not equipped with generators to utilise during load-shedding. "We are further concerned that without timely procurement of fuel, these generators cannot be utilised as was the case during an oversight to the Ga-Masemola Police Station earlier this year," she said. Phala said they are worried that police officers are at increased risk of attacks during outages at night and power interruptions impact the functioning of computer and communication systems, community centres and all functions reliant on information systems like attending to complaints and dispatching vehicles. "In a province currently under attack from criminals, our police officers must be fully resourced to protect communities and themselves against crime. Procurement of generators and a reliable supply of fuel for essential services must be prioritized as it saves lives," she said. Phala said the party has called for MEC for Transport and Community Safety, Florence Radzilani, to prioritise the procurement of generators for the stations, who are currently left in the dark. Responding to the DA concerns, MEC Radzilani said her department, together with the police in Limpopo, are in the process of procuring back-up generators, to mitigate against the current wave of power outages in all police stations. "A colossal Supply Chain Management process is currently underway to procure additional invertors and solar panels to ensure that all the police stations are always operational, even during power outages," she said. Radzilani said the leadership of the police in the province, has informed that the unfolding process of installing solar panels and invertors, is the most affordable and efficient option, as fuel for generators is a lot expensive. "The SAPS has indicated that a comprehensive Supply Chain Management process is currently in place, with bidding opening at the end of June and closing at the end of July," she said. Radzilani said the Provincial Commissioner of the Police in Limpopo, Lieutenant General Thembi Radebe, has also assured her that the process is being treated with the required urgency.

Bakopa girl learners inspired during "Take a Girl Child to Work" initiative

Sekhukhune District Municipality has on Wednesday 7 June paid homage to Bakopa Primary School in Tafelkop Village as part of "Take a Girl Child to Work" programme.

The learners were taken to the AB Sikhosana Fire Station in Groblersdal to explore the facility while being taught to operate fire fighting equipment. Bakopa Primary School Principal, Ms Mashego, thanked the district municipality for deciding to take the programme to the school, which has a total of 164 pupils with 5 teachers and six assistant educators. MEC Mafefe said "The girls were educated on how to work with the fire fighting equipment and what to do in case one is on fire or house is on fire, on accidents response and medical help whichever way possible". Mafefe went on and said: "There are a lot of careers which are not gender specific. My

Two suspects on the run after robbing Groblersdal businessmen


The police in Groblersdal are searching for two suspects after two victims were robbed more than R150 000-00 which was about to be deposited at a bank in Groblersdal Town on Tuesday 30 May 2023. According to the police report, it is alleged that one of the victims, who is a foreign national, departed his residence driving a VW Polo motor vehicle intending to deposit a substantial amount of cash at the Groblersdal Mall. "The victim called the person who was supposed to be the recipient of money, advising him not to go to the first bank they agreed upon and rather go to another bank instead. The victim went to the said bank and upon arrival, found a large number of individuals waiting to be assisted and also joined them. While waiting, an unknown African male approached the victim and tried to grab a black plastic bag which was containing the money," said Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson Colonel Malesela Ledwaba. He added that the victim attempted to fight off the suspect, however, another man came and pointed him with a firearm while threatening to shoot him if he resists to handover the money bag. "The victim surrendered the bag and the duo immediately rushed to the victim's fellow countryman who was also standing in the line waiting to deposit money and robbed him another bag containing the money", explained Ledwaba. He said a few moments later, the suspects managed to vacate the premises and subsequently drove off in a white VW Polo motor vehicle with Mpumalanga registration number without firing any shots. Ledwaba said police preliminary investigations indicated that the two foreign nationals were robbed of more than R150 000-00 in cash which was supposed to be deposited and might have been followed by the suspects from their residences. The Provincial Commissioner of the Police Services in Limpopo, Lieutenant General Thembi Hadebe, cautioned members of the public to refrain from being in possession of large amounts of cash. "The province has been experiencing numerous incidents of armed robberies and I strongly would like to advise business people to rather use electronic transfer instead of having large amounts of money in their possession," said Hadebe. The police appeal to anyone with information that can assist in arresting the suspects, to contact the Groblersdal SAPS Detective Standby number 082 318 9642 or Sergeant Johannes Phokwane on 072 071 9307. They may also contact crime stop number 08600 10111, the nearest police station or MySAPSApp.

"Take a Girl Child to Work" initiative

children, you are the future and soon you will be drawing house plans for us. We cannot come here and speak about work and not leave some gifts of gratitude. We are all one." Representing the executive mayor, Cllr Kukie Sefala explained that girls in the past usually did what their mothers were doing, however, now things have changed and women are no longer the same as previously when women duties were only in the kitchen. The School's Governing Body (SGB), appreciated the initiative, saying the support will contribute to shape the future of girl children in the community.



Bakopa Primary School learners during the "Take a Girl Child to Work" visit at AB Sikhosana Fire Station in Groblersdal.



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We, KMC Geomatics (Reg No. 2008/017997/21), the authorized agents of the registered owners of Portion 128 of Erf 766, Groblersdal Extension 9 (3 Hoep Hoep Street, Groblersdal Ext. 9, 0470), hereby give notice (in terms of Section 93(1)(c) of the SPLUM by-law, 2016) that we have applied to the Elias Motsolaedi Local Municipality in terms of Section 74 of the SPLUM by-law, 2016 for the following:

- Proposed Consent Use for the purpose of an additional Dwelling Unit on Portion 128 of Erf 766.

Particulars of the application will lie for inspection during normal office hours at the Town Planner of the Local Municipality, 22 Van Riebeeck St, Groblersdal, 0470, for a period of 30 days from 9 June 2023.

Objections to or representations in respect of the application must be lodged with or made to the above-mentioned address before 10 July 2023.

Any person who is unable to read or write can consult with any staff member during office hours and assistance will be provided to write down the person's objections or comments. Contact details of the Authorised Municipal Employee: Mr. B. Sethojoa: 013 262 3056/7/8

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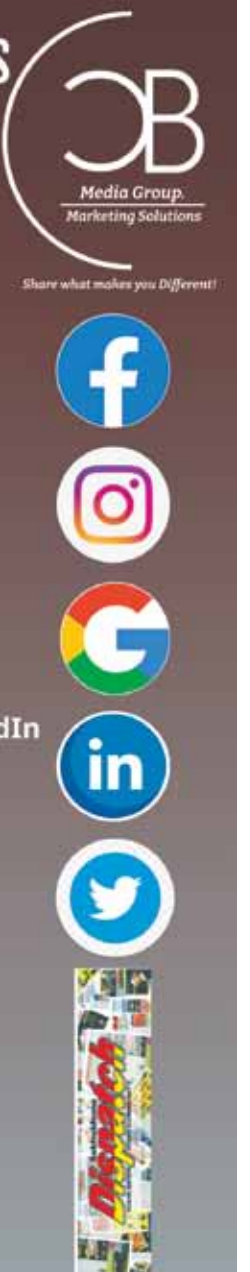
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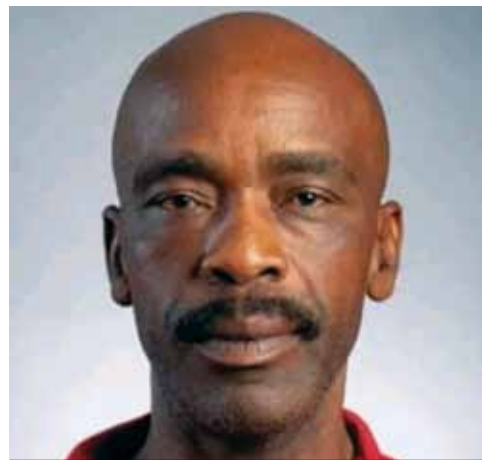
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EFF Councillor assassinated in Matlerekeng

The police in Limpopo have activated a high level task team of investigators, comprising of Provincial Tracking Team, Murder and Robbery Unit together with Sekhukhune District Detectives, to crack down and arrest suspects responsible for the murder Jonas Lebtsi Mpye (46), who was Economic Freedom Fighters (EFF) councillor in Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality. Mpye was gunned down by unknown assailants at his home in Ga-Botha Village in Matlerekeng on the night of Thursday 25 May 2023. The victim's body was discovered the following day at about 07:00. Colonel Malesela Ledwaba, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, said the police were alerted about the incident by community members and upon arrival, they found the deceased lying in a pool of blood with a gunshot wound to his neck. "According to reports, a gunshot was heard on Thursday night at about 21:00 but nobody saw what happened. Subsequent to the police's extensive investigations, the deceased's Ford Ranger bakkie was later recovered hidden in the bushes at the nearby village," said Ledwaba. He added that following the incident, the police management in Limpopo, represented by Deputy Provincial Commissioner responsible for Crime Detection Major General Samuel Manala, joined by District Commissioner Major General Lehabe-Metsi, visited the crime scene. "The deceased was a community leader and a member of the local municipality as a PR councillor. A case of murder and robbery has been registered," he said. Ledwaba said the police appeal to anyone who know or may have witnessed what transpired to urgently call Lieutenant Colonel Richard Boshomane on 079 894 5501, Warrant Officer Phaladi Makola on 082 876 6429, the Crime Stop on 08600 10111 or nearest police station. The Provincial Commissioner of the Police in Limpopo, Lieutenant General Thembi Hadebe, described the incident, senseless. "We call upon the Community to come forward with information that can assist police to arrest the killers," said Hadebe. EFF Provincial Chairperson in Limpopo, Tshilidzi Maraga, said the party notes with dismay and heavy heart the fatal murder of Mpe who was serving Ephraim Mogale Ward 2 Ga-Botha Village. Mpye was sworn in as the PR Councillor in Ephraim Mogale after attaining the second



Jonas Libitsi Mpye was killed by unknown suspects at his home at Ga-Botha Village in Matlerekeng.

position during the 2021 local government elections. "He was very much active in the community, he was the real ground force and used to transport pensioners to their pay points especially during grants. During his passing, he was supposed to have transported learners without IDs to Home Affairs in Marble Hall. He was more involved in his community and had good working relationship with the local tribal authorities," said Maraga. She said Mpye was one of the few councillors who had adhered to the call to secure busses for the party's 10th anniversary celebration. Maraga commended the police for their dedication shown after the murder was reported and said they hope and trust that soon the murderers will be apprehended and brought to book.

Leeuwfontein Mall Project on the cards

The Mayor of Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality, Cllr Given Moimana, has on Tuesday 6 June met with representatives from McCormick Company to look at the progress of Leeuwfontein Mall Project which is set to kick start soon. According to the local municipality, discussions between the two parties are at an advanced stage and both sides are happy about the developments. The construction of the mall aims to activate village economy and as a result, the majority of the communities will benefit from economic spinoffs that would happen during the construction until completion phases. Moimana said he is passionate about the issue of building a smart mall during his tenure in office. "I am happy that this will not be a dream deferred and finally we going to have a mall in our municipality," he said. Moimana added that he believes that many livelihoods will change for the better and people would no longer have to travel long distances to access some groceries and other amenities. "We are still at the initial phase of the envisaged project and in future, we will keep all our stakeholders up to speed with new developments and bring them on board," he said.



McCormick representatives, Joe Makwana (Left) and Phillip Malan (Right), with the Mayor of Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality Cllr Given Monama (Centre), during the discussions of the Leeuwfontein Mall Project.

NOTICE OF BASIC ASSESSMENT PROCESS FOR THE PROSPECTING RIGHT AND MINING RIGHT APPLICATION THAT WILL BE CARRIED OUT ON REMAINING EXTENT PORTION OF DRIEKOP 253 KT FARM SITUATED IN FETAKGOMO TUBATSE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY IN THE MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT OF SEKHUKHUNE IN LIMPOPO PROVINCE.

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PROJECT LOCATION

The proposed project is located on Part of Remaining Extent Portion of Driekop 253 KT Farm situated in Fetakgomo Tubatse Local Municipality in the Magisterial District of Sekhukhune in Limpopo Province.

OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE

Interested and Affected parties are invited to register and provide written comments together with the above reference number, their email address and contact details to the contact person indicated below within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice.

The Basic Assessment Report and Environmental Management Programme for the above-mentioned project is available electronically and in hard copy for public review and comment at the Municipality and Library. Electronic copy may be requested from Lufuno Nengwani through email.

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CMR Limpopo Makuduthamaga office is requesting anyone with information with regards to the biological father/family or anyone who has an interest in the following children;

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Malepe Thato born 2007/06/28 at Burgersfort (Praktiseer)
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Masangu Princess Renelwe born 2016/10/25 at Sango village (Laersdrift)
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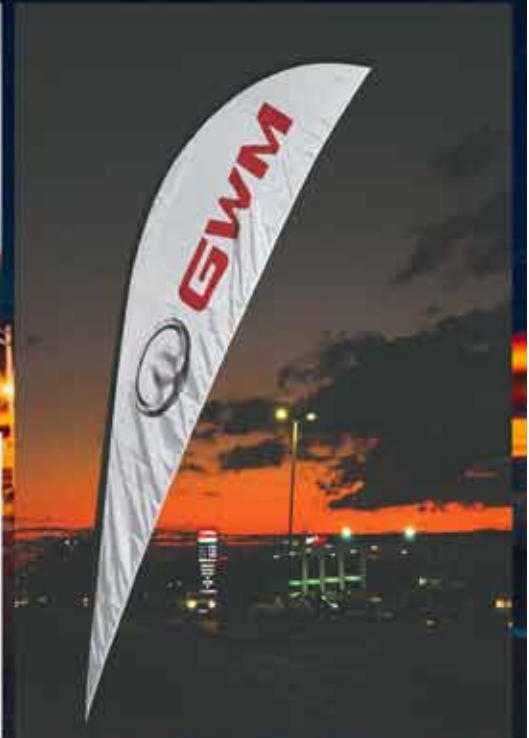


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Heavily armed men take off with undisclosed amount of money during CIT

The police in Limpopo have launched a manhunt for a group of heavily armed men following a Cash-In-Transit (CIT) heist that took place on the Senotlelo-Mokgwaneng main road in Matlerekeeng outside Marble Hall on Monday 29 May 2023 at about 16:40.

According to the police, the cash van was travelling along the Senotlelo-Mokgwaneng road when it was attacked by a group of about ten armed suspects driving in a charcoal VW Jetta 5 and double cab bakkie. Colonel Malsela Ledwaba, Limpopo Provincial Police

Spokesperson, said the heavily armed suspects started to shoot at the cash van, allegedly forcing the security officials out of the van and robbed them of three firearms. "The suspects placed explosives onto the cash van and took an undisclosed amount of money. During the

incident, one of the suspects was accidentally shot by his accomplice and he was assisted by the same suspects and they all fled the scene," said Ledwaba. He said no security officers were injured during the robbery and a task team has already been activated to investigate the heist and bring the culprits to book. Ledwaba said members of the public who may assist with investigations that can lead to the arrest of the suspects are urged to contact Colonel Mahlathini Ngele on 082 573 3645, the crime stop hotline on 08600 10111, the nearest police station or make use of MySAPSApp. Lieutenant General Thembi Hadebe, Limpopo Provincial Police Spokesperson, condemned the robbery incident encouraging the public to come with valuable information that can lead to the apprehension of the suspects. "This team of members must be relentless in tracking down these dangerous criminals. The community must also assist us with valuable information to help in their speedy arrest," she said.



The police in Limpopo are hunting for ten armed suspects who robbed a Fidelity cash van at Matlerekeeng outside Marble Hall.

OPERATIONS MANAGER JOB DESCRIPTION



POSITION PURPOSE

Responsible for the management of the building. Develops related budgets, ensures that all buildings, grounds, and equipment are well maintained and in optimal working condition. Implements departmental policies and procedures and ensures that all operations are in accordance with established health and safety regulations. Ensures that services purchased are of acceptable quality in compliance with the procurement policies. Keeps Senior Management well informed of area activities and significant problems. Trains, directs, and appraises assigned personnel. Ensure all buildings, grounds and equipment are well maintained in working order.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS AND BASIC DUTIES

Management Role

- Assumes responsibility for the effective operations management of building and facilities.
 - o Performs ad hoc quality control checks.
 - o Ensures premises are in satisfactory condition.
 - o Reports all items to Operations Manager especially if complaints have been lodged.
 - o Ensures that urgent matters are reported immediately and attended to immediately.
 - o Supervises and control maintenance site staff and allocate duties.
 - o Performs certain hands-on maintenance work where required from time to time.
- Assumes responsibility for the effective repairs and maintenance of the building.
 - o Continuously survey buildings to identify maintenance needs.
 - o Ensures compliance with legal regulations. Completes regular OSH inspections and updates monthly reports as appropriate. Ensures that OSHA requirements are effectively implemented.
 - o Responds promptly and efficiently to tenant maintenance requirements.
 - o Responds promptly and efficiently to duties allocated to you by the Senior Operations Manager.
 - o Checks exterior and interior of buildings and identify problem areas.
 - o Checks all fire equipment.
 - o Ensures that he is familiar with how the emergency equipment functions and what the company's emergency procedures are.
 - o Performs repairs where necessary and if these cannot be repaired, advises the Senior Operations Manager immediately. Contact relevant contractor.
 - o Identifies daily maintenance issues, communicates with the Senior Operations Manager and schedules the work for your attendance.
- Assumes responsibility for ensuring professional business relations with tenants, vendors, contractors, and trade professionals.
 - o Works to develop and maintain productive business relations with vendors, suppliers, contractors, etc.
 - o Acts as a liaison between the Company and external contacts.
 - o Ensures effective coordination of external services with Company operations.
 - o Obtains and conveys information as appropriate.
 - o Promotes goodwill and a positive image of the Company.
 - o Follow up on invoices to process for payment.
- Effectively assigns task to Centre personnel, ensuring optimal performance. (Management Role)
 - o Assigns tasks and coordinates personnel and or contractors. Directs daily operations.
 - o Ensures that staffing levels are appropriate. Interviews, hires, and assigns personnel as necessary.

- Assumes responsibility for related duties as required or assigned.
 - o Ensures that work area is clean, secure, safe and well maintained.
 - o Completes special projects as assigned.
 - o Performs any duties that may be allocated by the company and the Operations Manager
 - o Familiarises himself with the emergency numbers and contractor's details in order to assist the Operations Manager, or act in his absence as well as being on standby 24hrs.
 - o Required to be on standby where required by the Management for emergencies.

PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENTS

- Good communication and coordination exists with departments. Assistance is provided as needed.
- Senior Management is appropriately informed of area activities and of any significant problems.
- Ensures compliance procurement and OSH policies and regulations.
- Company facilities are well maintained and secure and meet the needs of the Company.
- Building operations are efficiently and cost effectively administered.
- Current and future Building needs are well planned and budgets are established and maintained.
- Effective business relations exist with vendors, contractors, and trade professionals.
- Procurement policy is fully complied with.
- Operations personnel are well trained, effective, and efficient. Appropriate supervision and assistance are provided.

QUALIFICATIONS

EDUCATION/CERTIFICATION:

Matric.

Additional related maintenance and Centre management training preferred.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE:

Excellent understanding of Centre or Property management procedures. Knowledge of budgeting, service contracts, and leasing agreements.

EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:

Five or more years of related experience, with at least two or more years of supervisory experience.

SKILLS/ABILITIES:

Excellent leadership abilities. Able to organize, coordinate, and direct team activities. Strong problem-solving skills. Good communications skills. Able to use all related maintenance equipment and computer applications

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Learners sing themselves to trophies



These learners are from Ngwanamashile High School. On the left is Bohlale Choenyana who obtained 1st position in the music competition as a tenor soloist. On the right is Kgothatso Disegwana who obtained 1st position as a Baraton soloist at the district level that took place at Moreko High School.

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DA Limpopo elects new provincial leaders

The Democratic Alliance (DA) in Limpopo has elected its new leadership in the province ahead of the 2024 general government election. The new leadership was elected during the party's congress held on Saturday 27 May 2023 at Bolivia Lodge in Polokwane. During the congress, Lindy Wilson was elected as Provincial Leader, Marie Helm emerged as Provincial Deputy Leader, Jacques Smalle elected Provincial Chairperson, Andre Botha elected First Provincial Deputy Chairpersons and Joseph Mariba as Second Deputy Chairperson. Thelma Marole elected as Provincial DA Women Network (DAWN) Chairperson, Maria Sepital elected Provincial DAWN Deputy Chairperson and Tiego Thotse elected Provincial DAY Chairperson. Presenting a keynote address, DA Federal Leader, John Steenhuisen, said the new leadership was elected with a mandate to steer the organization to greater

heights ahead of the 2024 general government election. "I am impressed the congress practiced a democratic accountability during this conference. Limpopo is a great province having huge potential for tourism, economic growth and for job creation. It is just that government is uncaring and uninterested in its wellbeing. This can change next year and I have set up clearly why this next election give South Africans voters the best chance they have had post democracy to be able to remove the ANC and to put a government that is going to restore hope, growth and opportunity for all residents in Limpopo," he said. Steenhuisen added that the party will make Limpopo a government that will be on the side of the people and not only on the side of politicians. "I believe that the DA together with other parties can build the vision of hope," he said. Steenhuisen furthered informed delegates about the importance of

the formation of a Moonshot Pact, saying it will rescue South Africa and Limpopo from an ANC-EFF coalition.

The congress granted delegates to participate in

a vote on resolutions and constitutional amendments, while also allowing party members to chart a way forward up to the 2024 general elections.



Newly elected DA leader in Limpopo, Lindy Wilson (Left) and newly elected Chairperson of DA in Limpopo, Jacques Smalle, during the party's congress held at Bolivia Lodge in Polokwane.

Light of God School host successful multi-sporting event in Dennilton

About 300 young and older people participated in the multi-sporting code activities held at OR Tambo Village in Dennilton on Saturday 3 June 2023. The sporting event, organized by Light of God Private School, featured 3 km fun walk, chess, boot camp, football and netball sporting codes, with prizes including trophies and medals up for grabs. Winners in the fun walk category were announced as Lesego Mathebe, Ntombikayise Mtsweni and Thabo Mohlamonyane. Boot-camp winners were emerged as Tokelo Phora, Sibongile Matshinya and Robert Nthaduleni. In the chess sporting category, Michaela Onyimo and Lesego Mathebe were announced as under 10 age group winners, Tinashe Onyimo and Reatlegile Magana emerged as under 13 age group winners, while Thembelihle Hlongwane and Lehumo Masweneng announced under 16 age group winners. La Masia FC emerged as winners in both under 13 and under 16 football matches while Ndlovu Phooko NC scooped netball first prizes in both under 13 and under 16 netball matches. Sporting event organizer, Mahlatse Blessing Aphane, said the second Annual Community Fun-walk was held with an aim to bring the community together and preach the message against crime, Gender Based Violence (GBV), substance and child abuse through sports. "We are pleased that the event is getting bigger and better every year. We are impressed that the number of participants as well as sponsors increased to the previous event," she said. The sporting event was supported by Build It, Groblersdal Toyota, Pick n Pay, Groblersdal Mall, Clicks, Laduma Foods Dennilton and Blue Ribbon Bakery. Aphane applauded all the sponsors and individuals who came in numbers to support the community based initiative. "It is time for Dennilton community to shine in unison and those who missed the sporting event this year, they will definitely catch it next year as it is an annual programme," she said.



Sports loving people from various parts of Dennilton participating in the 3 km fun walk during the multi-sporting event organized by Light of God Private School in OR Tambo Village.

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Dimakatso set to jet off to Special Olympics in Germany

Dimakatso Kunene from Bloempoot Village in Dennilton, will be making a mark when representing South Africa in the Special Olympics World Games in Berlin, Germany. The 24-year-old is a beneficiary of the Ndlovu Care Group and will be participating in the exhilarating sport of Bocce at this prestigious event, which will be held from the 17th to the 25th June 2023. Despite facing physical challenges, Dimakatso has proven that true strength and determination know no boundaries, by defying limitations and will be a shining example of the indomitable spirit of Africa on the world stage. The young athlete has been selected among only two people who are going to represent South Africa in Bouche during the 2023 Special Olympics World Games event. During her send-off event, held at the Ndlovu Care Group premises in Dennilton recently, attended by representative from Sekhukhune District Municipality, Dimakatso was described as a true champion and an inspiration to other athletes living with disabilities. Her Coach, Lucas Mnisi, indicated that Dimakatso has always showed interest in the sport while her focus and determination carried her through to where she is right now. Local traditional leader, Chief Mafiri, wished Dimakatso well and congratulated her on reaching this far representing the Bloempoot community and South Africa at large. Dimakatso's best friend, Yvonne Sondlana, expressed how much she loves her and wished nothing but the best outcome although she will miss her. Representing the Executive Mayor of Sekhukhune District Municipality, Cllr Kukkie Sefala, emphasized that the whole district is behind Dimakatso. Sefala passed on a message of support stating that the district municipality will supply Dimakatso with equipment she requires to be able to participate fully in the Special Olympics. Ndlovu Care Group representative, Zinhle Pillay, thanked everyone for lending a hand to bring the event to a success.

Dimakatso Kunene will be representing South Africa in the 2023 Special Olympics World Games to be hosted in Berlin, Germany.

Dimakatso Kunene (Seated on white chair), surrounded by Ndlovu Care Group representatives, Sekhukhune District Municipality delegate, friends and family members who gathered to bid her a farewell before jetting off to Germany for the Special Olympics World Games.



Netball World Cup trophy showcased in Ephraim Mogale

In what was described as a historic moment, Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality has on Monday 12 June, hosted a Netball World Cup Trophy Tour, showcased at Laerskool Marble Hall Sports Grounds. The tour was attended by various netball supporters and other sports loving individuals, who supported the programme wearing their different sporting regalia, converged to witness the historic moment in the local municipality. The Netball World Cup will be hosted for the first time on the African soil in Cape Town, Western Cape Province and it will run from the 28th July to the 6th August 2023. During the tour, Netball South Africa President, Cecilia Mokokwane, displayed the trophy to the attendees, encouraged all netball players to take the sporting code serious and called on government to support rural sports. Mayor Moimana said the local municipality welcome the trophy tour, wishing luck to the Netball SA team during this prestigious competition. The province's pride in netball is evident in the success of Molokwane, the President of Netball South Africa, who is a native of the province. According to Molokwane, the opportunity to host the Netball World Cup Tour in her home province is a dream come true, fulfilling a long-time ambition of hers as the Netball South Africa President. The Limpopo Provincial Government notes that success comes with hard work and determination, and the Netball World Cup Trophy Tour is an inspiring reminder of the rewards of commitment.



Mayor of Ephraim Mogale Local Municipality, Cllr Given Moimana, posing with the Netball World Cup trophy during the showcasing tour in Marble Hall.

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