

OUR MONTHLY RECAP

JANUARY 2025

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House of the Father

“EVERY GOOD AND PERFECT GIFT IS FROM ABOVE” – JAMES 1:17

Back-2-School 2025

The year is off to a busy start, with 14 school learners and 2 tertiary students to support. While preparing their stationery, bags, lunch boxes, and uniforms was a big accomplishment, it unfortunately resulted in an over-budget expense of R14,000. Thankfully, the children are thriving and enjoying their time at school. Your contribution, no matter how big or small, will help us bridge this gap and keep our learners on track for a successful year ahead. Thank you for your generosity and continued support.





SUMMER HOLIDAYS

We squeezed in some wonderful fun during the last few days of the summer holidays. It's such a blessing to live on the outskirts of Empangeni, where there's plenty of open space and fresh air for the kids to play and explore. And of course the odd trip to Uncle Paul and Aunty Niky's for a swim is always a highlight! Keeping the kids entertained and out of mischief is never without its challenges, but with so many exciting activities, they've had a blast!





LEARNING IS FUN

Young kids learn best through play, as it allows them to explore, experiment, and develop important skills in a fun, engaging way. Through activities like building, pretending, or problem-solving with toys, they gain a better understanding of the world around them. Play encourages creativity, enhances social skills, and helps with emotional development, all while making learning feel natural and enjoyable. It's through these playful moments that children build a strong foundation for future learning.



A Personal Note

Dear friends,

January flew by in the blink of an eye! We are well into 2025, our students have settled in and are enjoying their new schools and teachers. Having them return home with smiles of joy is heartwarming and a reminder of the positive impact education has on their lives. We're looking forward to the rest of the year, full of growth, discovery, and memorable experiences.

Jabu's varsity year has begun. She started with orientation this week, and we're confident it will be an amazing year for her. She'll be embracing the freedom of living in residence, making new friends, and experiencing personal growth in so many ways. A big thank you to all the wonderful friends who helped get her fully equipped and ready for independent living!

Lulu has tackled the sewing skills course with unwavering determination and a positive attitude—truly a recipe for success. We couldn't be prouder of her and the amazing young lady she is becoming.

If you'd like to support these young ladies or contribute to the overall running of the home, please reach out to us. We'd be happy to guide you on the current projects and most pressing needs.

Greetings from us all,
Loressa, staff, and children



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