# JULY 2023 OUR 区区WS





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# Learning is FUN!

Fine motor skills are the ability to make movements using the small muscles in our hands and wrists. We rely on these skills to do key tasks in school, at work, and in everyday life. These small movements come so naturally to most people that we usually don't think about them. Our toddlers do many activities that not only exercise their fine motor skills but build self confidence, concentration and hand eye coordination. Dress-up time encourages creativity and imaginary play.... learning is FUN!





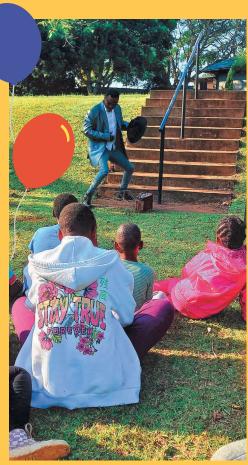


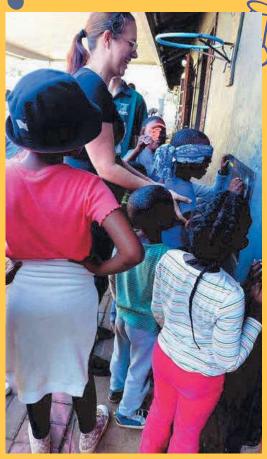
#### HOLIDAY PROGRAM

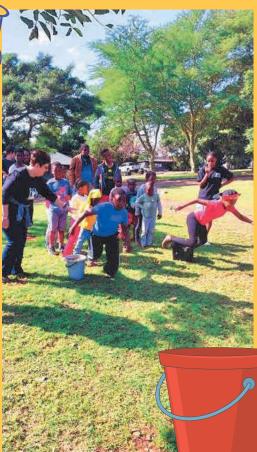
Our holiday program aimed to give local school learners the opportunity to volunteer as part of their life orientation needs. While learners "earned" their required community service hours, our children enjoyed the fun, entertainment and making many childhood memories.

On the first day, the kids painted with forks and fingers/ hands making bright and colourful art.









Birthday games, gifts, cake and storytime, arranged by Karen of DICE, to celebrate an 8th birthday. What a fabulous day was had by all!

### MORE HOLIDAY FUN

Board games, mini olympicsand sports made for a fun-filled day, with team work, a little bit of health competitition and social skills being exercised.













#### AND THE FUN NEVER ENDS

We used the opportunity to teach the children to be thrifty and to recycle with a project to turn old tins into pot plants. These will go to the SPCA for fundraising sales and our kids learned that it is good to give and support other charities.









What better way to finish off a holiday than sitting down for a picnic to enjoy your own home baked biscuits and cakes!





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### MANDELA DAY







The theme of this year's Nelson Mandela O International Day was "It is Your Hands." Nelson Mandela, in addressing the scourge of poverty, suffering and deprivation, said: "It is in your hands to make our world a better one for all, especially the poor, vulnerable and marginalised."



Thank you Ackermas, Oryx Gas, Pepkor, Tupperware, SMG BMW Richards Bay and Transnet for your generosity with donated groceries, cleaning agents, warm blankets, lunch boxes and bottlres and a brand new vegetable garden!







#### A PERSONAL NOTE

A well deserved mani as a reward for no longer biting her nails and growing them long and beautiful.

#### Hello friends

iKhaya has been buzzing with visitors with the holiday program and the Mandela Day celebrations throughout the Month of July. The kids had the time of their lives with all the activities on the go and we were so blessed by the companies who showered us with gifts. Thanks to each of you for your generosity, love and passion to make an impact in the lives of our children.



School is back in full swing and the Early Childhood Development Program keeps the little ones busy as bees.

Our prayers were answered through a donation that we believe will cover our maintenance backlog and get the niggly things sorted. We give God all the glory, as He is so faithful to meet our every need!

If you have not yet joined our Christmas Champaign and would like to jump on board please give me a shout on 065 804 9385.

With love Loressa, children and staff

#### PARTNER WITH US

## Current Needs

- Cooking Oil, Milk, Sugar, Potatoes, Onions, Rice, Cereal, Mealie
  Meal, Sugar Beans, Fruit & Peanutbutter
- Nappies, Formula,
- Washing Powder, Deodorant, Toothpaste & Bath Soap
- Travel Costs to attend a Conference in Germany