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THE MIND
WITHOUT
EDUCATING
THE HEART IS
NO EDUCATION
AT ALL"

-ARISTOTLE





# **HELLO WINTER ...**

We can hardly believe we are half way through the year already. It has been a very busy start to the first half of the year.

Pebbles has hired 6 new staff members since January! A driver, professional nurse, a few teachers and another HR officer. Welcome to the Pebbles team!

# 18TH JULY 2021 MANDELA DAY

Pebbles invites you to commemorate Mandela Day this year by sponsoring much needed classroom resources.

Stationery, glitter, stamps, colour paper, paint and much more is needed to ensure our beneficiaries can learn and grow in the Pebbles classroom environment.

Gather your friends, family or colleagues and pack the items in the comfort of your own home or office and then deliver to the Pebbles Head office on the 16th or 19th of July.

#### Contact

sponsorachild@pebblesproject.co.za for more information



## **EXTRAMURAL ACTIVITIES**

#### **SURFS UP**

7 learners attend surf lessons weekly with Surf4life, a non profit Pebbles partners with. It is amazing to witness how fearless and brave the learners are, especially the little ones!

Pebbles is grateful for this partnership and that the learners have this awesome opportunity to experience

#### **FOOTBALL**

the ocean and joys of surfing.

Thanks to a partnership between L'Avenir Wine Estate, We Love Football Academy and Fives Futbol, 16 After School Club learners attend football training every Saturday. Thanks to the high level of training and exposure they are receiving, the team is doing so well. Especially the girls team.

#### FOR THE LOVE OF MUSIC

Recorder lessons has started at the Pebbles Academy. Guitar and singing lessons has also started for some of the After School Club centres in Citrusdal and one centre in Stellenbosch receives weekly Marimba band lessons.

Pebbles is well on it's way to realizing the dream of having it's own orchestra!

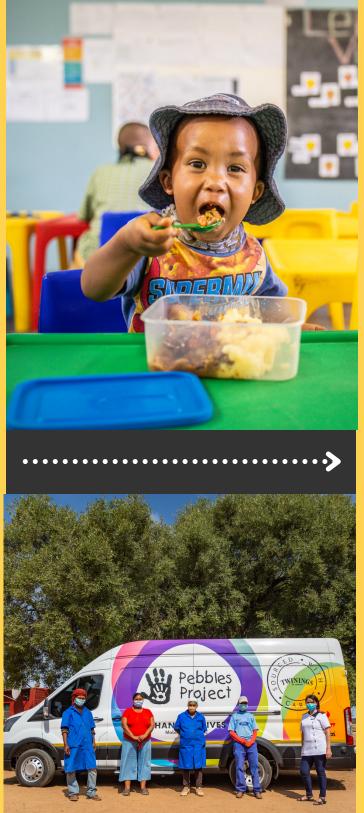
#### PEBBLES KITCHEN

The Pebbles Kitchen opened its doors in March 2019 and has gone from strength to strength ever since. Thousands of meals are delivered to not only all the Pebbles ECD and After School Club centres, but other schools and non profits in the surrounding areas. The kitchen has a special menu available at a discounted rate. If you would like to order for a school or non profit kindly get in touch with the kitchen at dominic@pebblesproject.co.za

### **WINE2WHALES 2021**

Pebbles Hemel-en-Aarde has been chosen as an official beneficiary for the Wine2Whales 2021 Race. As an official beneficiary, three Pinotage standard tents entries have been made available to raise funds needed to create change within the community of the Hemel-en-Aarde Valley. Pinotage entries are for the date of the 8th to the 10th of November 2021. Please contact madelein@pebblesproject.co.za for more information and to secure your spot!

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#### **PEBBLES CLINIC**

Over 200 Pebbles beneficiaries are seen by the Pebbles clinic on a monthly basis free of charge. This excludes parents of the children and other patients. The Pebbles nurses also do outreach visits to the other Pebbles locations in Citrusdal and Hemel-en-Aarde, as well as train all ECD and After School Club facilitators on various topics. Last months training was on the first aid kit, what items should be included and checking expiry dates.

### TWININGS PARTNERSHIP

Pebbles is excited to announce the launch of our partnership with

Twinings #SourcedWithCare in Clanwilliam and Citrusdal. The goal of the project is to enable rooibos tea farm workers to take control of their health and to receive the medical support that they need through a Mobile Health Service. It will provide the farm workers and their families with wellness screenings, routine health checkups, primary healthcare support, health and wellness workshops and over-the-counter health products. This is Twinings first project in South Africa.