

MANDELA DAY SUCCESS

Thanks to generous individuals and corporates, we had a very successful Mandela Day in July.

- We were able to get all 180 Grade R stationery packs sponsored.
- 40 Grade 8 and Matric stationery packs.
- 18 teenage boy hygiene care packs
- As well as cash donations.

A BIG thank you to the following companies who got involved with our initiatives.

Casidra, Hillebrand GORI, LYNX Wines, Accolade Wines, wine.co.za, Villiera Wines, Rohloff Group KFC, Creation Wines and Wine producers of the Hemel-en-Aarde Valley.

HEMEL-EN-AARDE NEWS

It has been a tough few weeks for the Hemel-en-Aarde Education Project. After the staff returned from the winter school break, they discovered the bridge was not safe to cross with the school bus This meant they were unable to access the project. The learners are being taught in the local town hall while the municipality attempt to fix the bridge. Heavy rains has not been in our favour. We are proud of our teachers and learners for ensuring education still takes place under trying circumstances.





SKILLS CENTRE LAUNCH

It all started with a phone call to our offices at the end of March. It was SBA Communications calling and they were interested in donating a building to Pebbles. It is not every day we receive phone calls like this so we were very excited.

After many discussions and planning, it was decided that the building will be used as a Skills Centre for the Early Adulthood Programme in Stellenbosch. The building was completed in August and the official hand over took place at the Stellenbosch Open Day on the 9th of September.

The centre will benefit the Early Adulthood Programme which supports young adults from 15-25 years old. Our aim is to assist them with occupational, entrepreneurial, and various life skills to access sustainable livelihood opportunities.

The centre will benefit 29 young adults with capacity to expand in the future.

Current needs: Kettle, microwave, dustbin, toaster, rug and dishcloths.



JOB SHADOWING AT HILLEBRAND GORI

During the June/July school holidays, 14 Pebbles Ambassadors job shadowed at Hillebrand GORI for 3 days. They were able to experience working in office, warehouse, and factory environments. Thank you for investing in the future of our learners and opening up their experience of the world of work.

We are always looking for partners that are willing to walk a journey with our Pebbles Ambassadors and give them an opportunity to gain a new skill or gain valuable job shadowing experiences. Please reach out to us if this is something you would like to get involved in.



CAPE WINE 2022

Come visit us at Cape Wine 2022. Pebbles will be stationed at the Hillebrand GORI Sustainability Stakeholder area. We would love to see you! We will be at **Stand J193**.





LONDON LANDMARKS HALF MARATHON

For the first time EVER, we have charity entries for the London Landmarks Half Marathon taking place on the 2nd of April 2023.

The 21km/13 mile race winds through the closed streets of Westminster and city of London.

Run through London's top landmarks while raising funds for Pebbles.

We have limited entries available. Please get in touch with us if you want to run for change and secure your spot on #TeamPebbles.

AGM AND STELLENBOSCH OPEN DAY

We had a very successful AGM and Open Day in Stellenbosch. Thank you to everyone who attended.

Please visit the link to watch the recording of the 2022 AGM here: https://bit.ly/3LqfZnx

and click here to view our 2022 Annual Report: https://bit.ly/3UoNbjo

Save the date and pop in at our next Open Days.

Hemel-en-Aarde: Friday 28th October from 10h00-18h00

Citrusdal: Thursday 10th November 10h00-12h00

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