MALAJIKA BROTHERS PROVE COMPETITION BREEDS CHAMPIONS

 When brothers are sparring partners, heroes emerge

By BONGANI MAGASELA

When individuals interact and challenge each other, they both grow stronger and become more effective.

That is how best to describe the sudden success of the Malajika brothers -Ricardo, 26, and Charlton - who are gym mates at Brian Mitchell Boxing Academy in Edenvale, where Manny Fernandes hones their skills.

Ricardo is the two-weight world IBO champion, and his success is rubbing off on brother Charlton, 24, the reigning junior-bantamweight champion whose belt will be on the line for the third time when he welcomes Filipino Jayson "Smasher" Mama in the headliner of the Golden Gloves tournament at Emperors Palace on

"Magic Man", as Ricardo is known, made history in March when he moved the weight down and dethroned flyweight champion Jack "M3" Chauke with a second-round KO at Emperors Palace.

He has since vacated that belt.

The Malajikas spar against each other with no restrictions.

"We bliksem each other," giggled Ricardo.

Asked if that did not affect their kinship, he said: "We both know it's a sport, and also that it will help us learn from each other."

The fifth-born son from a family of seven boys, Ricardo wants to become a multiple-weight world champion.

He idolises Manny "Pac Man" Pacquiao, the Filipino, who is the only eight-division world champion in boxing history.

"The difference is that Pacquiao started at flyweight, and I started at junior-bantamweight," he said.

Ricardo, who began with Vusi Mtolo in



The Malajika brothers train together at Brian Mitchell Boxing Academy. /Supplied

his corner, said Fernandes has changed them a lot since he began training them last year. "I believe he's the best," he said. Racardo won the junior-bantamweight

belt in September 2023 with Mtolo, who

was replaced by Fernandes in January last

Fernandes and Ricardo have chalked up two successful defences, and the historic victory against Chauke.



Bela Bela Local Municipality

58 Chris Hani Drive, Bela Bela Private Bag X 1609, Bela Bela, 0480



Bela-Bela Local Municipality invites suitably qualified candidates to apply for the following position:

MUNICIPAL FINANCE MANAGEMENT INTERNSHIP PROGRAMME (MFMIP (X 3 POSITIONS)

(Two-year contract)

Salary: Between R90000 - R100000. (All-inclusive and dependent on year of internship) Notice Number: 79/25

Requirements: Grade 12 plus a Bachelor's Degree or National Diploma with majors in Accounting, Economics, Finance, Risk Management and/or Auditing, among others • Computer Literate • Good Communication and Analytical Skills • The candidate must be between the ages of 21 and 35.

De between the ages of 21 and 35. Key performance areas: The appointed intern will be given the opportunity to get professional training and work experience programme with the goal of providing high quality training and practical exposure in all aspects of a Municipal Budget and Treasury Office which is governed by the Municipal Finance Management Act, Act 56 of 2003 and the underlying reforms. The programme ends with a qualification in Municipal Finance Management in line with the Municipal Regulations on Minimum Competency Levels, Gazette 29967 of 15 June 2007.

The Municipality reserves the right not to fill the advertised position.

Applications should be submitted on an official application form obtainable from the Municipal Website www.belabela.gov.za/ or Bela-Bela Local Municipality offices and must be accompanied by a comprehensive curriculum vitae, certified copies of academic qualifications, Identity Document and Driver's License. Short-listed candidates will be required to produce original copies of qualifications and identity documents on or before the appointment.

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Correspondences will only be entered into with short-listed candidates. Applicants will be penalized for canvassing Please forward all applications to: The Municipal Manager, Bela-Bela Local Municipality, Private Bag X1609, Bela-Bela 0480, or applications may be hand delivered at the Municipal Offices, Main Building, Records Office (1st Floor) 57 Chris Hani Drive, Bela-Bela. Faxed or e-mailed applications will not be considered.

Enquiries must be directed to Ms. M Mathe at 014 736 8000 during office hours

Closing date: 01 AUGUST 2025, 16H00.

Mr. TG RAMAGAGA MUNICIPAL MANAGER



REQUESTS TO TENDER

Tshwane University of Technology in collaboration with the Purchasing Consortium Southern Africa hereby invites qualified, competent, and suitable service providers to submit bids as follows

	Bid No:	Project Description	Briefing Session	Tender Document Related Queries	Closing Date
1	TR 34- 2025	Computer Skills Software for Various Departments across the Tshwane University of Technology	Non-Compulsory Briefing Session will be held on Tuesday, 22 July 2025 at 11:00 Venue: Ms Microsoft Teams	Email Ms. Boipelo Setou at Boipelo.Setou@purcosa. co.za and copy Ms Lesego Mabidietsa at MabidietsaL@tut.ac.za	Friday, 1st August 2025 at 23:59 (Online submission via the PURCO SA website)

All potential tenderers are to register to attend the non-compulsory information session. Register at www.purcosa.co.za/tenders no later than 10h00 on Monday, 21st of July 2025. A confirmation email will be sent to tenderers.

PURCHASING OF TENDER DOCUMENTS

Tender documents can be purchased at a non-refundable fee of R 1,150.00 (VAT included) on the PURCO SA website and will be available on Friday, 04th of July 2025 but will only be obtainable until 16:00 on Friday, 25th July 2025 - no

The steps below should be followed for LOGIN OR REGISTER on the PURCO SA website:

- Navigate to https://purcosa.co.za
- Click on the 'Login or Register' button and select the appropriate option
- 3. Not registered on the website?
 - Click 'Register here'
 - Complete the form and click 'Create new account
 - Wait for the Account details email from PURCO SA. Check your spam filter if necessary. Click on the link in the email to login to the PURCO SA website and add a password.
- The steps below should be followed to purchase the tender document on the PURCO SA website:
- Under the Supplier Hub menu click on 'Open Tenders Select the tender and click on 'View'
- 3. Click on the 'Buy now' button
- You will be redirected to our payment gateway (Payfast) to make payment
- If you encounter problems on the Payfast pages go to www.payfast.co.za/contact for help
- where you will find your purchased tender document/s

Further information regarding the electronic submission of tenders will be shared at the Information Sessions and will be detailed in the tender documents

TUT reserves the right to award this tender to an empowerment company or may award this tender on condition that a joint venture with an empowerment company is formed. This will be added to the criteria when evaluating the tenders.

The Tshwane University of Technology (TUT) is committed to broad-based black economic empowerment. We strive to comply with the provisions of all relevant legislation. Details are included in the tender document.

All shortlisted Tenderers will be subjected to vetting

TUT reserves the right not to accept the lowest or any tender in part or in whole without furnishing reasons.



MAKHADO

TENDER NOTICE



All suitable service providers are hereby invited to bid for the below mentioned project. Bidders are requested to bid as per specification attached to the bid documents that will be obtainable 23 July 2025 at non -refundable amount of R600.00 per document at the Procurement Office No. B043 Ground Floor, 83 Krogh Street, Civic Center, Makhado or can be downloaded from e-tender portal for free https://etenders.treasury.gov.za/content/advertised-tender or www.makhado.gov.za.

BID NO:	DESCRIPTION	EVALUATION CRITERIA	COMPULSORY BRIEFING SESSION	TECHNICAL ENQUIRIES	REFERENCE AND NOTICE NO.	CLOSING DATE AND TIME
44 of 2025	Appointment of service provider for operation and maintenance of Makhado new landfill site for the period of three (03) years.	80/20 preferential points with functionality.	28 July 2025 at 11:00am at Council Chamber, Ground floor, Civic Centre, No 83 Krogh Street, Makhado.	Director community Services: Mr. HJ Lukheli or Ms M Murotoba at 0155193000	Ref: 8/3/2/2100 Notice no:108 /2025	20 August 2025 at 12:00pm

The Municipality is not bound to accept the lowest or any bid and reserves the right to accept any part of a bid. Bids must remain valid for a period of ninety (90) days after closing date of submission thereof. Submitted tenders will be evaluated as per above mentioned table.

Bids which are late, incomplete, unsigned, or submitted in pencil or by telegraph or facsimile or electronically by e-mail, or not having the following documents attached for evaluation or not complying with the tender specifications, will not be evaluated, and will be disqualified:

- Valid Tax compliance status pin issued by SARS
- A copy of company registration documents (CK)
- Certified copy/copies of company owner(s) ID book(s), not older than three (03) months certification. Attach proof of payment for municipal rates not owing for more than (03) months or formal lease
- agreement for rental premises or letter from the traditional authority in cases of non-ratable area (Attach for both entity and directors of the company)
- Copy of central supplier database (CSD) report.

- All Service Provider doing business with Makhado municipality are required to register on the CSD (Central Supplier Database).
- A copy of a certified copy will not be accepted.

All procurement enquiries should be directed to Ms. P Mudau or Mr M Ramabulana at Tel no.

Civic Centre 83 Krogh Street MAKHADO

MR KM NEMANAME **MUNICIPAL MANAGER**