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KURUMAN

HMMET provides ECDs with ICT equipment

Victor Mulangisi

The Hotazel Manganese Mines Education Trust (HMMET), a community-inclined trust from the South32 mines, delivered, for the second time, a windfall for the Early Childhood Development Centres (ECDs) in the district.

A total of 75 centres received information and communication technology (ICT) equipment in the form of a laptop, a printer and a router from the trust.

A similar consignment was delivered last year and the promise was made to the effect that the programme had to be accomplished by providing all ECDs with access to internet services, to write and print documents on their premises.

Handing over the equipment was again, Mr Daniel Mashimbye, a representative of the trust. He said that the fourth industrial revolution is not only confined to commerce and industry, because these were like the sons and daughters of education.

"Education comes first and sets the stage for commerce and industry. The whole jigsaw puzzle rests with the educational architecture in which the foundation makes the basis for the dream to be realisable. As a trust, we did our research and found that ECDs need a thorough hand of assistance to make the learning and teaching environment attractive for both teachers and learners. This equipment makes it easier for educators to do their modern research on how to teach young children using the requisite teaching methods. Educators should not be absent from classes because they must go to Kuruman to print documents. Let everything be within their reach to avoid disrupting



The printers handed to the ECD centres by HMMET.



The laptops handed to the ECD centres by HMMET.

lessons".

Echoing similar sentiments was the Chief Education Specialist in the Department of Education, Mr Kealeboga Ernest Kgadi, filled with delight and elation, who said that poor grade twelve results are caused by put-

ting a beautiful roof on the poor foundation of the building.

"Cognitive development in a child sequentially starts at the foundation phase of learning and this is often where they miss it all. Investing in the early learning phase by providing infrastructure and appropriate learning resources will reverse the low pass rate at higher grades.

"Learning culture, where reading and writing are inseparable, starts at ECDs. Once interest has been won at this level, grasping various concepts becomes habitual and the appetite and desire to learn become habitual.

"We appreciate funding at higher levels, but certainly, we are trying to fatten a cow for the market. The trust's gesture should be the turning point of prioritising our funding model and it is this partnership that will bring a paradigm shift in the performance of the centres".

In addition to the equipment, Mr Mashimbye distributed teaching materials to 13 ECDs and said that more schools will receive such to capacitate the learning environment. He further said that the trust's thrust is to equip all ECDs with similar equipment. Last year, sixty-five ECDs received similar ICT equipment in the region. To ensure there will be optimum use of the equipment, a two-week training for ECD administrators started on May 22, 2023, where attendants will receive accredited certificates.

The equipment bought was worth R2.5-million and more community projects are afoot.

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Commencement of employment: 1 July 2023

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GA-SEGONYANA LOCAL MUNICIPALITY

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07/2022-23	Erf 6453, Kuruman - Current Zoning: Undetermined Zone – 2.5ha	Mr. T. Mulaudzi 053 712 9384	21 June 2023 12H00 Municipal Boardroom	80/20
08/2022-23	Erf 6279, Kuruman Current zoning: Industrial zone I – 10, 000m²			
09/2022-23	Erven 2642 & 1980, Kuruman Current zoning: Open space III – 60ha	Mrs. O. Ruiter 053 712 9323		
15/2022-23	Erf 6690 and 6691, Kuruman Current zoning: Transport zone II – 87ha			
16/2022-23	Portion of Erf 1, Kuruman (South East of Kuruman)- Current zoning: Undetermined zone- 7ha			
17/2022-23	Erf 5375, Kuruman- Current zoning: Industrial zone I- 5.96ha			
18/2022-23	Portion of Erf 4440-Current zoning: Business zone I-3.35ha			

Bids marked with reference number **ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE SEALED ENVELOPE** must be placed in the Bid Box of Ga-Segonyana local municipality on or before the closing date as indicated above.

Bid Documents are obtainable from the 5 June 2023 for a non-refundable fee of R1,000.00 per document at the Cashiers Office, Cnr of Voortrekker and School Street, Kuruman, 8460 OR can be downloaded free of charge at www.etenders.gov.za and/ or www.ga-segonyana.gov.za.

Bids will be evaluated based on the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act 5 (PPPFA) of 2000 and the municipal's Supply Chain Management Policy. Bids must be accompanied by a valid TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS with pin). Bidders must be registered on the Central Supplier Database (CSD) for Government.

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M M TSATSIMPE (MUNICIPAL MANAGER)

KATHU

Community makes discontent clear



Judi Bolweg

Community members from Mapoteng in Kathu were seriously disgruntled and demanded answers from the Gamagara management.

Community members from Mapoteng demonstrated at the local Gamagara municipality's building on Thursday 18 May 2023 before being ushered into the town hall where they met with the mayor Councillor Edwin Ophaketse Hantise, the speaker Councillor Shephard Mienies and the municipal manager Lebogang Seetile.

The main organisers were Victor Sebogodi, Nkosinathi Booyen, Tumelo Kgetlhane and Kelebonye Mashishi representing the community. They handed the management of Gamagara a 4-page memorandum, demanding a reply the very next day.

When management explained that they could not sign the memorandum, because they could not revert back within one day only and that it had to be discussed at a council meeting, the protestors were disappointed and angry. The organisers then had to explain to them why management could not sign the document. The date was sub-

sequently amended to seven days for a reply and the memorandum was duly signed by the mayor, the municipal manager as well as the station commander of the SAPS Kathu, Lieutenant Colonel Sethibogile Hendrik Modise, as a witness.

One of the main grievances mentioned by the protestors was that residents of Mapoteng must pay for water usage whereas residents from Olifantshoek and Deben do not pay for water usage, according to them. Another was that the tariffs for electricity were too high and that they would rather buy electricity from Eskom direct, than buy from a middle man (the municipality) who inflates the tariffs.

The memorandum contains many other grievances pertaining to lacking community and recreational facilities, criticism about the management of Gamagara, RDP houses, municipal by-laws, title deeds and allocation of stands.

Despite flaring tempers, the event ended peacefully.