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A ray of hope for Khayelitsha girls

KHAYELITSHA'S FIRST low-fee private school for girls Molo Mhlaba believes that people living in poor communities deserve safe, affordable and quality education.

Allison Cooper

Plagued by escalating crime, poverty and inequality, it was tough to find good education for girls in a safe environment in the Khayelitsha township. This is no longer the case as Molo Mhlaba is steadily closing the gap by offering

quality education that can set girls up for life.

Headed up by Dr Rethabile Sonibare, Molo Mhlaba – which means 'hello' world in English – opened its doors with a mere handful of learners aged between three and six in January 2018. A short ten months later, it has 38 foundation phase learners in its charge.

Inspired by the Montessori approach and a fun, playful and creative environment, the school provides quality science, technology, engineering, art and design and maths (STEAM) education, through innovative teaching and learning strategies, by teachers from the community. It is a dual English and Xhosa medium school.

“As a STEAM school, we offer subjects such as robotics and coding to three and four year olds,” Dr Sonibare confirmed.

In an area where sexual abuse is one of the biggest social ills, Molo Mhlaba provides a safe haven and

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“The greatest glory in living lies not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall.”

Nelson Mandela



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Driving Ambitions e thuša batho bao ba phe- lago ka bogolofadi gore ba kgone go otlela

LENANEO LA TLHAHLO ya go otlela la batho bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi bja matsogo goba maoto le ba ditho tša mmele go tloga letheke go ya menwaneng ba šomiša dinamelwa tšeo di kaonafaditšwego kudu le dira gore go be bonolo go ithuta go otlela.

Batho bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi gantši ba na le bothata bja go fihlelela dibaka tša go swana le batho bao ba sa phelelago ka bogolofadi.

Se sengwe sa tše ke go ithuta go otlela senamelwa. Eupša lenaneo la moswananoši la Mokgatlo wa Afrika Borwa wa Batho bao ba Phelelago ka Bogolofadi bja Matsogo goba Maoto le ba Ditho tša Mmele go tloga letheke go ya Menwaneng (QASA) le rutila batho ba 120 bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi go otlela dinamelwa tše di kaonafaditšwego, gomme ba 80 ba bona ba hweditše mangwalo a bona a go otlela.

"Batho bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi gantši ba le bana le ditlhohlo tše dikgolo tša go ya mo le mola, kudu ka lebaka la gore ga ba kgone go šomiša mekgwa ye mentši ya dinamelwa tša bohle. Re be re nyaka go rrolla bothata bjo, se bohlokwa

kudu, go dira gore ba hwetše mešomo," a realo Mohlanke-dimogolophethiši (CEO) wa QASA Ari Seirlis yoo le yena a phelelago ka bogolofadi bja ditho tša mmele go tloga letheke go ya menwaneng.

Se e be e le sona se tlhohleleditšego lenaneo la *Driving Ambitions*, leo le hlomilwego ka 2013. QASA e kopane le khamphani ya go hiriša difatanaga ya Avis go boledišana ka go ruta batho bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi go otlela dinamelwa tšeo di kaonafaditšwego go fihlela dinyakwa tša bona.

"Avis e kwešišitše dinyakwa tše, gape ya bona le mohola wa go kgola kgwebo ya yona, ka ge e hiriša dinamelwa tša go laolwa ka letsogo. Ba dumetše go aba senamelwa sa rena sa mathomo go šomišetšwa dituthwana tša go otlela," gwa realo Seirlis.

Dikgopelo tša lenaneo le di buletšwe batho bao ba phelelago

ka bogolofadi bja matsogo goba maoto le ditho tša mmele go tloga letheke go ya menwaneng bao ba šetšego ba na le lengwalo la go ithuta go otlela.

"Ba ya ditekong le setsebi sa dikgobalo le bogolofadi go kgonthiša gore ba na le matšato le bokgoni bja go otlela ka ditaelo tšeo di kaonafaditšwego ntle le kotsi. Ke moka go dirwa teko ya go bona gore bakgathatema ba ka lefa bokae mo lenaneong, gomme ye e šetšego e tlo thekgwa," Seirlis a hlaloša.

Bakgathatema ba na le mohlwaela wo o tletšego wa dithutwana tša go otlela, go fihla ba ikwa gore ba loketše go dira diteko tša bona.

Yo mongwe wa dikanagelo tša go atlega tša QASA ke Carol Khoza, yoo a ilego a amega kotsing ya sefatanaga mengwaga ye mebedi ya go feta. O ile a golofala ditho tša mmele go tloga letheke go ya menwaneng.

"Dinamelwa tša bohle e bile



■ Carol Khoza ke yo mongwe wa batho ba 80 bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi yo a hweditšego lengwalo la go otlela re leboga lenaneo la QASA *Driving Ambitions*.

bothata bjo bogolo go nna. Ke gopola nakong ye nngwe ge ke be ke sepela ka dithekisi, ba ne ba nnamešša ka gare gomme ba tlogela setulothwethiša sa ka ka ntle ba re ba letetše gore thekisi e tlale," gwa realo Khoza.

Ka thekgo ya *Driving Ambitions*, Khoza o fihleletše toro ya gagwe ya go hwetša lengwalo la go otlela.

"Ke leboga QASA go buša tokologo ya ka, go ikema le boitshepo bja ka." ■

Go hwetša tshedimošo ka botlalo ka go dira dikgopelo tša lenaneo la *Driving Ambitions* ikgokaganye le QASA go: 031 767 0348/0352 goba romela emele go info@qasa.com

GO GEORGE ke ketapele ka go matlafatšša batho bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi

GEORGE go la Kapa Bodikela e swailwe bjalo ka ye nngwe ya ditoropokgolo tša go ba le segwera le batho bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi.

Philelelelo ya dinamelwa tša bohle gantši ke tlhohlo go batho bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi ka ge dipese le dipesana di se na dinolofatši tšeo di nyakegago go sepetša banamedi bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi.

Mebasepala go dikologa naga bjale e kgatha tema go rarolla bothata bjo. Gomme Mmasepala wa Selegae wa George o bea maemo a mafsa a ka moo mekgwa ya dinamelwa tša bohle e ka thušago batho bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi.

E thekgwa ke sekhwama sa thušo go tšwa Kgorong ya Bosetšhaba ya Dinamelwa, momekgwa wa dinamelwa tša lebelo tša dipese (BRT) tša GO GEORGE gonabjale di na le mohlwaela wa dipesana tše 35, dipesana tše 36 tše di tlwaelegilego le dipese tša lebatso le tee tše 33. Diname-



■ Dipesana tša GO GEORGE e bile tša mathomo tša mohuta wa tšona ka dibopego tšeo di diretšwego go sepetša batho ba ditulothwethiša.

lwa tše ka moka di tlabaketšwe go swara ditulothwethiša.

Dipese tše di tlwaelegilego le tša lebatso le tee di tlabaketšwe ka dirempo tša elektroniki, ditulo tša go ikgetha le dibopego tše dingwe tšeo di tlwaelegile-

go. Šedi ye kgolo e beilwe go dipesana, tšeo, ka nako ya go hlongwa ka 2015, e bego e le tša mathomo ka Afrika Borwa go akaretša mokgwa wa go kuka banamedi bao ba sepelago ka ditulothwethiša. Di na le gape

lefelole ditulothwethiša le mabati a go šoma ka dihaedroliki, seo se dira gore go be bonolo go banamedi bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi go tsena ka peseng.

"Ye ke tirelo ya dipese e le tee ka Afrika Borwa yeo e fihlelegago ke batho kamoka, "gwa realo molaodi wa GO GEORGE James Robb.

"Ye ke ye nngwe ya mekgwa ya ketapele ya motheo ya GO GEORGE. Go bohlokwa gore motho yo mongwe le yo mongwe ka George a fihlelele dinamelwa tša bohle gore a fihlelele dibaka tša mošomo, mabenkele, bodumedi, boita-pološo le ditirelo tša go swana le tlhokomelo ya maphelo.

"Banamedi bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi ba leboga go šetšwa ga dinyakwa tša bona le go leka ka maatla go fediša mathata ao ba kopanago le wona ka mehla ge ba eya mafelong ao a lego

kgole le magae a bona, le go kgontšhwa gore ba kgone go ikemela le go sepela ka bobona."

Rodrique Felix, yo mongwe wa bašomiši ba ditirelo tša dipese, o amegile kotsing ya sethuthuthu dikgwedi tše 18 tša go feta. Gonabjale o sepela ka setulothwethiša eupša o re tirelo ya dipese e dirile gore go be bonolo go yena go ya bookelong.

"Gabotse, toropokgolo ya George ka moka e loketše batho ba go sepela ka ditulothwethiša, e lego kholego ye kgolo," gwa realo Rodrigue.

Mmasepala o na le gape mekgwa ye mmalwa ya thekgo yeo e šomago ya batho bao ba phelelago ka bogolofadi go akaretša mošongwana wa spikara sa go bala mo wepsaeteng seo se se balelago motho mantšu ao a ngwadilwego mo wepsaeteng. ■