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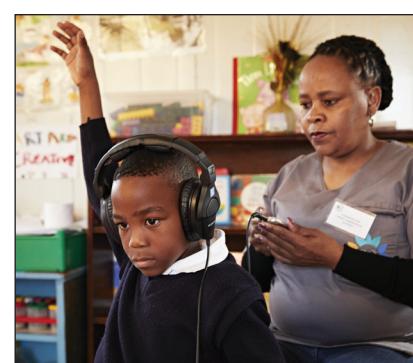


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A ray of hope for Khayelitsha girls

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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I-Driving Ambitions ifundzisa bantfu labakhubatekile kushayela

LUHLELO IWEKUCECESHA bashayeli labakhubateke sicut semtimba sangentasi nalabakhubateke imikhono nemilente labasebentisa timoto letakhiwe ngalokukhetsekile tafanelia kuhlangabetana netidzingo tabo lwenta kubelula kutsi bantfu labakhubatekile bakwati kufundza kushayela.

Bantfu labakhubatekile bavamise kuba nebumatima bekutfola ematfuba lafananako nala-babo labanemitimba lengakhubateki.

Kunye kwaloku kufundza kushayela imoto. Kepha luhlelo lolungakavami lwenhlangano i-QuadPara Association of South Africa (i-QASA) selufundzise bantfu laba-120 labakhubatekile kushayela timoto letakhiwe tafanelia tidzingo tabo, labange-80 balabantu sebawatfolile emalayisensi abo ekushayela.

"Bantfu labakhubatekile bahlala njalo babukene netinsayeya letinkhulu kakhulu nekuhamba baye lapho bafuna kuya khona, ikakhulu ngoba abakwati kusebentisa tigijelwa temmango letinyenti. Besifuna kuyisombulula lenkinga futsi, lokubaluleke kakhulu, kwenta bantfu kutsi bakhone kucasheka," kwasho Sikhulu Lesiphakeme

(i-CEO) saka-QASA Ari Seirlis naye lokhubateke sicut semtimba sangentasi.

Loku bekunguyona nshisekelo lechuba luhlelo Iwe-Driving Ambitions, lolwasungulwa nga-2013. I-QASA yahlangana nenkampani yaka-Avis lecasisa ngetimoto yakhulumisana nayo ngekufundzisa bantfu labakhubatekile kutsi bakwati kushayela timoto letakhiwe tafanelia tidzingo tabo.

"I-Avis yasivisia lesidzingo, yaphindze futsi yakubona kubaluleka kwabo njengoba nje bacashisa ngetimoto letishayelwa ngetandla kuphela. Bavuma kusinikelela ngetimoto tefu tekucala kutsi tisetjentiselwe kufundzisa kushayela," kwasho Seirlis.

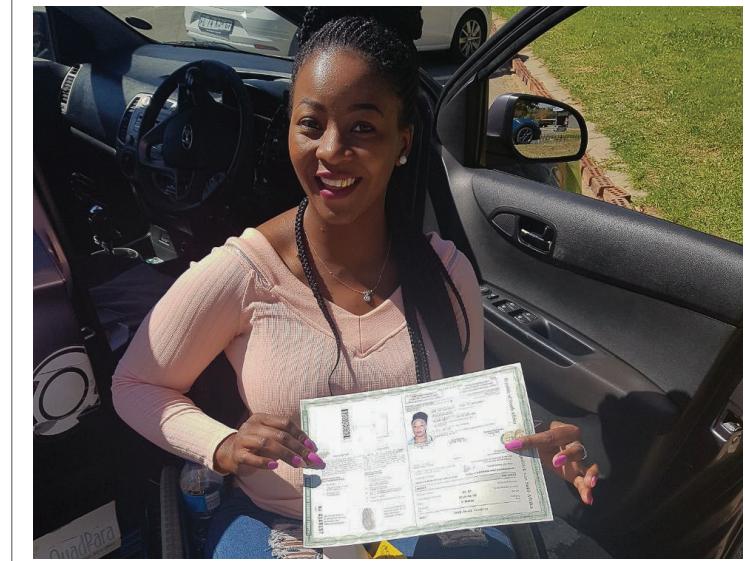
Kufaka ticelo tekuba kulu-luhlelo kuvulelwie bantfu labakhubateke imikhono nemilente kanye nalabo labakhubateke sicut semtimba sangentasi lasebavele banawo emalayise-

nsi ekufundzela kushayela.

"Bahlolwa bodokotela labephana ngekukwantisa umsebenti lotsite (ma-occupational therapist) kwenta saciniseko sekutsi bayakhona yini kunyakata masinyane futsi kalula nekutsi futsi bayakhona yini kushayela ngetilawuli letentiwe tafanelia tidzingo tabo ngaphandle kwekuba sesimeni lesiyengoti. Kubese-ke kwentiwa luhlolo lwekuncuma kufaneleka kusitwa ngetimali kute kutfolakale kutsi ingabe bangakhona kulu-khokhela malini loluhlelo, bese kutsi-ke lena lenye imali yekuphelelisela bayayikhokhela," kwachaza Seirlis.

Bahlanganyeli baneluchunge chunge lolugcwele Iwetifundvo tekufundza kushayela, kute kube ngulapho sebakulungele kutsi sebangenta luhlolo lwabo.

Lomunye lowachuba kahle kakhulu kuloluhlelo Iwe-QASA nguCarol Khoza, lowatfola



Carol Khoza unguolumunye webantfu labange-80 labakhubatekile labatfola emalayisensi ekushayela ngenca yekuba khona kweluhlelo Iwe-QASA Iwaka-Driving Ambitions.

ingoti yemoto eminyakeni lembili leyendlulile. Lengoti yamshiya akhubateke sicut semtimba sangentasi.

"Tigitjelwa temmango taba yintfo lengasiyo lekahle kimi. Ngikhumbula ngalesinye sikhatsi ngagibela itekisi, bangibelisa futsi bashiya sihlalo sami semasondvo ngaphandle kute kutsi bagcwalise itekisi," kwasho Khoza.

Ngekvesekelwa yi-Driving Ambitions, Khoza wafezekisa lipupho lakhe lekutfola ilayi-

sensi yekushayela.

"Ngiyayibonga i-QASA ngekungibuyisela inkhululeko yami, kutimela kanye nekutesembwa kwami."

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I-GO GEORGE ihola embili ekuhlomise-ni bantfu labakhubatekile

IGEORGE leseNshonalanga Kapa itsiwe leligama lekulinta lekutsi ingulelinye lemadolobhakati lelivuna kakhulu bantfu labakhubatekile.

Kufinyelela tigijelwa temmango kuva-mise kuba yinsayeya kubantu labakhubatekile ngoba emabhasi lamanyenti kanye nemakhumbi ete tise-jentiswa letidzingekako kute kugitjeliswe bagibeli labakhubatekile.

Bomasipala kulo lonkhe live lakitsi nabo manje sebeme ngetinyawo basombulula lenkinga. Masipala weNdzawo waseGeorge wendlala emazina lamasha ekutsi tigijelwa temmango tingabasebentela kanjani bantfu labakhubatekile.

Ngekusitwa ngetimali tesibonelelo lesivela kuLitiko Letekutfts, inchubo yetigijelwa lettingemabhasi lajikeletako (i-BRT) e-GO GEORGE kwamanje inemabhasi lamancani lange-35, emabhasi lamakhulu lange-36 kanye nemabhasi lasemkhatsini ngebukhulu anetindzawo tekwe-elektronoki tekuhamba tihlalo temasondvo, tihlalo letikhetsekile kanye naletinye



Emabhasi lamancani e-GO GEORGE aba wekucala kuba yincalisakuvela lafakwe tisetjentiswa letentelwe kugibelisa bantfu labasetihlalweni temasondvo.

akhiwe afanela titulo letine-masondvo.

Lamabhasi lamakhulu kanye nalawo lasemkhatsini ngebukhulu anetindzawo tekwe-elektronoki tekuhamba tihlalo temasondvo, tihlalo letikhetsekile kanye naletinye

tisetjentiswa letetayelekile. Lamabhasi lamancani anakwa ngalokukhetsekile, lokwatsi, ngesikhatsi acala kusentjentiswa nga-2015, aba wekucala ngec宁izimu Afrika kuba nesitetjentiswa lesingumshini wekuphakamisa bagibeli la-

bahleti etihlalweni temasondvo. Aphindze futsi abe nendzawo yetihlalo temasondvo kanye neminyango levulwa iphindze ivalwe yimishini lesebenta nge-mandla emoya (nge-hydraulics), leyenta kube lula kutsi bagibeli labakhubatekile bakwati kungena ebhasini.

"Leli ngilo kuphela luhlubo lwemabhasi eNingizimu Afrika lelifinyeleka ngalokuphellele," kwasho umphatsi we-GO GEORGE James Robb.

"Lena ngulenye yetinsika letibaluleke kakhulu kunchubo ye-GO GEORGE. Kubaluleke kakhulu kutsi wonkhe munfu eGeorge akwati kufinyelela tigijelwa temmango kute kutsi akwati kutfola ematfuba emsebenti, ekuyotsenga etitol, etenkholo, ekukhibika kanye netinsita letifanana nekunakeke-lwa ngetemphilo.

"Bagibeli labakhubatekile bayakutfokotela kucatjangelwa

kwetidzingo kanye netinsayeya tabo temihla nemalanga tekuya etindzaweni letikhshane nasekhaya, kanye nekutimela lokuta nekutsi batihambele bona ngekwabo."

Rodrique Felix, lomunye walabasebentisa lamabhasi, wabandzakanyeka engotini yesidududu etinyangeni le-18 letengcile. Kwamanje sewuhamba ngesihlalo semasondvo kepha utsi lamabhasi akwenta kube lula kutsi aye esibhedlela.

"Empeleni, yonkhe iGeorge itivuna kahle kakhulu ngalokwecile tihlalo temasondvo, lokuyintfo lenhle kakhulu," kwasho Rodrique.

Lomasipala uphindze futsi abe naletinye letinyenti ti-chubo tekwesekela tebantfu labakhubatekile kufaka ekhatsi sisetjentiswa lesingumbhobho lofundzako lesigucula inkhulumo lebhalwe phasi siyente ibe yinkhulomo.