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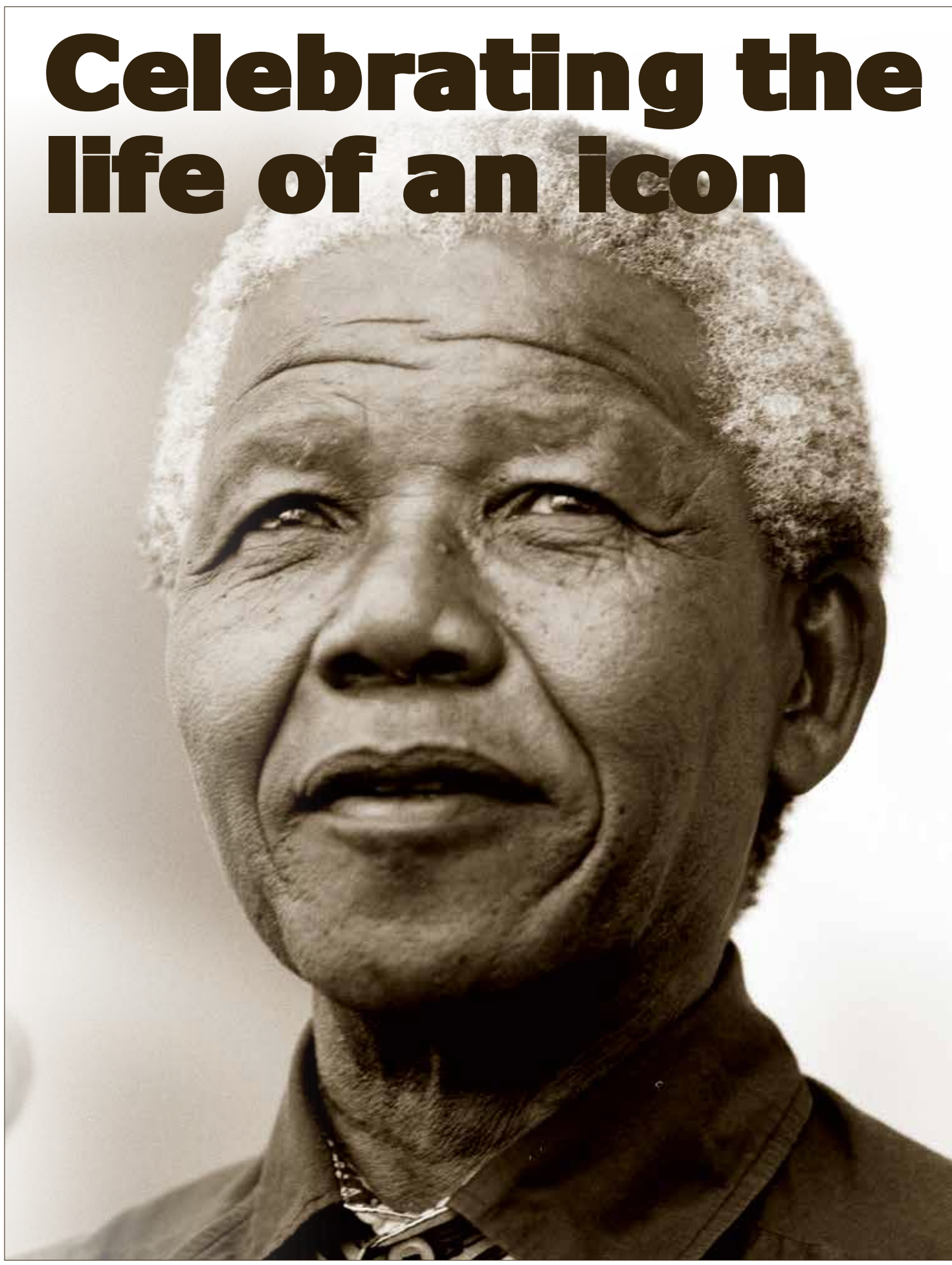


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"I seem to arrive more firmly at the conclusion that my own life struggle has had meaning only because, dimly and perhaps incoherently, it has sought to achieve the supreme objective of ensuring that each, without regard to race, colour, gender or social status, could have the possibility to reach for the skies."

Nelson Mandela



Uma Imphilo Ikunika Emalamula, Walime

LUHLELO LWEKUSITA NEKUTFUFUKISA Balimi lusita imimango nebantfu labancisheke ematfuba ikakhulu labo labazuze ekuHlelweni Kabusha Kwemhlaba.

Amukelani Chauke

Litiko Letekulima laseNshonalanga Kapa lichuba luhlelo lolusita balimi labasha nalasebabomnkantjubovu ngeluhlelo lwekusita kusukela kucalwa nje ngelilanga lekucala – uma badzinga lusito lwemali – kute kube ngulapho nabo sebakhona kutimela.

LoLuhlelo Lwekusita neKutfufukisa Balimi selusite bantfu labasha njenga-Wayne Mansfield (loneminyaka lenge-33 budzala) wasePaarl, losuke ekubeni ngusitolosiyandzinda lobekatsengisela malume wakhe eMakethe yaseKapa ngesikhatsi asafundza sikolwa watsengisa ngephandle kweminye yakuleli laseNingizimu Afrika emalamula lawalima yena ngekwakhe emhlabeni lawurentako.

Eminyakeni lelishumi leyendulule, ngesikhatsi angusomabhezini lone-minyaka lenge-23 budzala, Mansfield wala litfuba leku-sebenta epulazini lebekacupha kulo emalamula bese uyawatsengisa. Kwengeta



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ekutsini bekasesemncane futsi ete nenkhabunkhabu yekulima.

Nanoma kunjalo, eminyakeni letsite ekuhambeni kwesikhatsi, wantjintja umcondvo wakhe ngesikhatsi abona kukhula lizinga leku-funwa kwemalamula.

“Ngaphindze ngacaphela kutsi balimi nabo bebenta loku bekweniwa ngitsi tsine bositolosiyandzinda – bebatipakishela imikhicito yabo bese bayoyitsengisa emakethe eKapa. Ngabese ngiyacaphela kutsi kungen-teka kutsi masinyane nje angeke sibe nebantfu labanyenti lesitawubatsengisela tsine bositolosiyandzinda,” kwasho yena.

Kutsite nga-2013, umlimi wenzawo wavuma kucece-

sha Mansfield waphindze wamrentisela umhlaba longemahektha la-12. Waphindze futsi wamfakela emaphayiphi ekunisela lokwenta kutsi Mansfield akhona kulima.

Nga-2015, wakhona kutse-ngisa emalamula langedmathani lenge-31 ngaphandle kweminye yaleli laseNingizimu Afrika kwaphindze futsi kwatsi nga-2016, lelinani lakhula kakhulu laba ngemathani la-168.

Loku kwenteke ngenca yelusito lolwatfolwa kuLuhlelo Lwekusita neKutfufukisa Balimi lokungulo lolwenta kutsi nga-2015 atfole sibonelelo kuLuhlelo Lolukhulu Lwekusitwa Ngetekulima (i-CASP). Loku

kwawamnta wantinta wabuyefutsi waba ngumlimi londlo-ndlobele.

Kuhlomisa abalimi ngemakhono ebalimi

LoLuhlelo Lwekusita neKutfufukisa Balimi luhlose kwakha emakhono emimango nebantfu labebakadze bancisheke ematfuba phambilini, ikakhulu labo labazuze eKuhlelweni Kabusha Kwemhlaba. Lusita balimi labasakhasa, labalimela kutidlela bese batsengisa loko lokusalako, balimi labanemhlabatsi lomncane kanye nebalimi labakhulu labalimela kutsengisa etimakethe letinkhulu.

Umlawuli wemklamo

weluphiko lolubukene neKutfufukisa tekulima Shaheed Martin kuLitiko Letekulima laseNshonalanga Kapa utsite loluhlelo selusite balimi basimama.

“Sisita balimi kusukela ekucaleni noma-ke esinyatse-lweni sekucala. Loku kusho kutsi sibasita ngenchubo yekufaka sicelo sekutfole lusito lwemali futsi titsi tingavunywa leticelo, sibese-ke sibasita ngekuzezeka nekukhucita,” kwasho yena.

Uchaze watsi lelitiko libukana naloludzaba ngendlela lebanti lefaka ekhatsi konkhe lokufanele libuye futsi libanike tinsitakalo tekulima letiphelele, kufaka ekhatsi kusita ngesakhiwonchanti.

“Sinebahlatiyi betemnotfo noma-ke bosomnotfo futsi nabo ngalokunjalo batawenta kutsi balimi bakwati kufinyelele timakethe uma sebasimeme.” kwasho yena. **U**

Uma ngabe ungumlimi lomncane nobe lomkhulu ungashayela lenombolo yelucingo: 021 808 5111 kute utfole lwatiso lolubanti mayelana naLuhlelo Lwekusita neKutfufukisa Balimi.

Young female farmer leads in YAFF awards

Keamogetse Kgomanyane

Being born with a disability did not stop Landiswa Diniso from achieving her dream of being a farmer. In fact, it encouraged her to work harder.

The 28-year-old is the owner of Landiswa Diniso Livestock Enterprise in Burgersdorp in the northern part of the Eastern Cape.

She walked away with the Special Ministerial Award for a young entrepreneur living with a disability at the recently held 2018 Youth in Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (YAFF) awards.

Diniso was born with a disability in her left leg and has to wear a brace for support. However, she has not allowed

her disability to limit her.

As a young woman who grew up on a farm and later moved to a township in the Eastern Cape, Diniso said her journey into farming started over three years ago when her uncle gave her a calf.

She kept her calf in a grazing area and in 2015 the same animal which was now a cow had a calf. This inspired the farmer to continue in the farming business and she approached the Department of Rural Development and Agrarian Reform for support. She received animal feed and goats to start her business.

Today, the enterprise has grown to include a herd of 10 cattle, seven goats, eight pigs and a small patch where Diniso plants vegetables for the house-

hold and sells the surplus to the local community. This has become a means of livelihood for Diniso and her family.

She wishes to become a successful livestock farmer in the future and become an inspiration to the younger generation.

With the prize money of R50 000 she said it would help her start her goals. “The prize money will really assist my business. I believe farming is important because it creates job opportunities for unemployed youth,” said Diniso.

Speaking at the awards ceremony, the Minister for Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries, Senzeni Zokwana, said the nominees and recipients of the YAFF awards were proof that the youth is interested in the agriculture sector.



Landiswa Diniso working hard to grow her farming business.

I-NHI seyifike kutekunakekelwa ngetemphilo letincono

I-NDP itsi ekufezekiseni i-NHI, kudzingeka kutsi kulungiswe lizinga lelibi letinsita temphilo kanye netindleko tetinsita temphilo letibitwa tikhungo tetemphilo letitimele.



Indvuna yeTemphilo Dkt. Aaron Motsoaledi utsi Umtsetfosivivinyo wekuChibela Tindzaba teMshwalensi waVelonkhe weTemphilo (i-NHI) utawenta kancono lizinga letinsita tetemphilo eNingizimu Afrika. Motsoaledi bekakhuluma emhlanganweni webetindzaba losandza kubanjwa lapho beketfula khona Umtsetfosivivinyo wekuChitjelwa kwetindzaba te-NHI kanye neMtsetfosivivinyo wekuChibela tindzaba teTikimu teTkwelashwa.

LeMtsetfosivivinyo ivula indlela yekutsi babe banengi bantfu labatfolo tinsita tetemphilo ngekusebentisa i-NHI. Umtsetfosivivinyo luhlaka lwemtsetfo. Imtsetfosivivinyo leminyenti yentiwa litiko lahulumende ngekucondzi-swayindvuna lefanele. LoMtsetfosivivinyo ufanele kutsi ubese uvunywa yiKhabhine-thi ngembi kwekutsi wetfulwe ePhalamende.

Lokwetfulwa kwaleMtsetfosivivinyo lemibili kusho kutsi iNingizimu Afrika seyidvute ngesinyatselo sinye

ekutsini itfole tekunakekelwa kwebantfu ngelizinga lelihle letemphilo ngalokufananako lokusho kutsi-ke masinyane nje i-NHI itawuba ngumtsetfo.

I-NHI iyinchubo yekusita ngetimali letawenta siciniseko sekutsi tonkhe takhamuti taseNingizimu Afrika titfolo tinsita tetemphilo letibalulekile, ngekungakhatsali ngetimo tabo temsebenti kanye nekutsi bayakhona yini kufaka imali ngco kulesikhwama.

Motsoaledi utsite hulumente uyati kutsi kukhona

bantfu labakholelwa ekutsini kungakacalwa nje kutsi kukhulunywe nge-NHI, kunesidzingo sekutsi kucalwe ngekulungisa simo setinsita tetemphilo letintengantengako saseNingizimu Afrika.

Utsite hulumente uyatati letinkinga telizinga lelibi nekweswelakala kwemakhono kutekunakekelwa ngetemphilo tahulumende.

Mtsoaledi utsite Luhlelo Lwekutfutukisa Lwavelonkhe (i-NDP) yakucaphela loku nekutsi futsi ekufezekisweni kwale-NHI, kudzingeka kutsi kulungiswe lezinga lelibi letinsita tetemphilo kanye netindleko tetinsita tetemphilo letibitwa tikhungo tetemphilo letitimele.

Ngesikhatsi kusasebanjwe tinkhulumomphikiswano mayelana netichibelo tale-Mtsetfosivivinyo, lelitiko litawufezekisa lokungenani imiklamo lemine ye-NHI, lefaka ekhatsi tinsita tetemphilo etikolweni, tinsita tetemphilo talabagula ngengcondvo, tinsita tetemphilo tabomake labakhulelwe labanebumati-ma nekukhulelwa kwabo etibhedlela letinge-22 letitsintseke kakhulu kanye newesifo semdlavuta (*i-oncology*), ngekusita kakhulu iGauteng neKwaZulu-Natal, kodvwa-ke kube kungabekwa eceleni letinye tifundza.

Motsoaledi uphindze watsi tindleko letibitwa tikhungo

temphilo letitimele atifinyelelwa takhamuti taseNingizimu Afrika letinyenti. Sekubekwe loyo bekakadze aLijaji leLikhulu Sandile Ngcobo yiKhomishini yeTekuncintisana kutsi ente lucwaningo ngetindleko tetinsita tetemphilo letibitwa tikhungo tetemphilo letitimele.

“Letichibelo lesitetfulako tentelwe kuletsa lusito lodzingeka kakhulu kutigulane letititfolo tikuletinkhulu tinkinga tekubabete imali,” kwasho yena.

Motsoaledi utsite sichibelo sekucala saloMtsetfosivivinyo sitawucedza kukhokha ngekuhlanganyela noma-ke kutsi kube khona imali nawe loyikhiphako ekhikhini lakho.

Kukhokha ngekubambisana kusho kutsi sikimu sikhokha incenye yenkhokhelo yemali sibhedlela noma dokotela lotimele layikhokhisa sigulane. Lena lesele-ke imali ibese ifanela kutsi ikhokhwe ngulesigulane ngeyaso imali lephuma ikhikhini laso.

Ingabe Bewati?

Kutsi lelitiko licedzile noma belisesendleni yekucedza kwakha nekweniwa kancono kwemifolamphilo lenge-701 futsi lisebentise figidzigidzi letinge-R40 lilungiselela i-NHI.

Plans to drastically change TB treatment

THE INTRODUCTION of Bedaquiline has earned South Africa the top spot as the first country in the world to dispense this type of treatment.

Patients with Multi-drug Resistant Tuberculosis (MDR-TB) will now be able to receive life changing treatment as the Department of Health begins its roll-out of Bedaquiline.

According to the department's drug resistant TB director, Norbert Ndjeka Bedaquiline will replace the old regimen, which makes use of injections to administer MDR-TB treatment.

“This means that for the first time, an injection-free

regimen will be recommended for all patients with Rifampicin Resistant Tuberculosis in South Africa. Additionally, patients with MDR-TB will now also receive Bedaquiline as part of a more patient friendly short regimen, which is expected to improve adherence and ensure success,” he said.

The introduction of Bedaquiline has earned South Africa the top spot as the first country in the world to dispense this type of treatment.

The department says Be-

daquiline has been hailed for its effective treatment and short turnaround time.

“Treating patients with drug resistant TB was difficult with old medicines, which had many negative side effects and over long periods often up to 24 months.”

In addition, the treatment is revered for reducing the number of deaths and having fewer side effects in comparison to its injectable counterpart, which resulted in hearing loss for many MDR-TB patients.



The department began the roll-out of Bedaquiline across the country in July.

“We started the roll-out with facilities that are ready to implement. This will be done in a phase by phase approach. We will then assist

and capacitate those provinces that need assistance,” said Ndjeka.

It is anticipated that roll-out across the country will be concluded between the next three to six months.

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