

Party Paradise

Rustenburg – The Rustenburg SPCA (Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals) in collaboration with Rusties Lodge, invites the entire community – especially the young ones including nursery schools, aftercares etc, to the Party Paradise initiative. The Party Paradise fun will last from 16 January up to 14 April 2017, from Mondays to Fridays from 09h00 to 13h00.

The entry fee is very inexpensive, set

at R100 per group, but the organisers ask that the entry fee should include food, blankets or donations for the Rustenburg SPCA branch as they are in desperate need of financial assistance.

This is a great opportunity to have loads of fun! For more information contact Charmaine on 071-361 9223 or Tania on 082-557 6791 or pop a mail to rustieslodge@voda-mail.co.za.



Rapportryers Rustenburg se nuwe bloed

Rustenburg – Die Rapportryers Beweging Boekenhoutkors het onlangs twee nuwe lede ingestel tydens hulle eerste samekoms vir die nuwe jaar, gehou te Laerskool Rustenburg. JB McCallaghan en Andreas Hough word dus deel van die Rustenburg Korps en is bewys dat daar steeds 'n passie vir Afrikaans onder die jongelinge is. Die Rapportryers 'n organisasie wat hulself beywer vir die bevordering van Afrikaans deur gemeenskapsprojekte en bepaalde fondsinsamelings. Hulle ondersteun die Afri-

kaanse skole in Rustenburg op 'n jaarlikse grondslag en ondersteun minder bevoorregte Afrikaanssprekende kinders met innoverende projekte.

Van lekker Bybel vasvrae kompetisies, tot "ou-boet" projekte vir seuns sonder vader-figure, kospakkies vir die armes en besoeke aan ouetehuise, sorg die Rapportryersbeweging dat geeneen agtergeblewe hoef agter te bly nie.

Indien u self wil betrokke raak, kontak gerus vir David Fensham by 079-494 1190.



Baie geluk aan die nuwe lede van Rapportryers Rustenburg, Andreas Hough (links), en JB McCallaghan (regs). In die middel is Charl Ackerman van die Rapportryers Rustenburg.

Magnificent Seven off to China

Seven ORBIT TVET College students travelled to Beijing, China, on Thursday, 16 March 2017, on a 12 month internship programme which forms part of a collaboration between the Chinese Culture and International Exchange Centre and Manufacturing, Engineering and Related Services SETA (MerSETA).

The Chinese Culture and International Exchange Centre is a leading official Chinese Education Institution in South Africa, which focuses on educational collaborations between China and SA. The programme is aimed at bridging the skills gap and contributing positively towards the growth and development plan of the country.

Oarabile Marumula, Olerato Tshenye, Phemelo Selelo, Bokamoso Cwienyane, Piet Seloba, Boikhutso Makati and Buyelani Mgcinna- all NC (V) Level 4 Engineering graduates from ORBIT College Mankwe Campus in Mogwase, are among the 200 students who were selected from various TVET Colleges and Universities of Technologies, to take part in an 'all expenses paid' internship programme.

The Magnificent Seven proved that they are worthy of being part of the 'cream of the crop', after

making it into the top 200 from the 1748 applications received.

During their stay in China, they will be enrolled as students at Beijing Union University, for a period of six months, coupled with six months of manufacturing/work-based training at some of the top 500 Chinese companies. Upon completion of the 12 months, they will be awarded with a University Certificate of Achievement and a manufacturing Intern certificate.

The thrilled students have not been able to contain their excitement and disbelief at having been chosen out of thousands of entrants. One of the students, Olerato Chauke said, "We wholeheartedly appreciate the love and support we have received from ORBIT College, especially the staff from Mankwe Campus. We were not selected because we are smart, but because of the immense support and assistance the institution afforded us. They believed in us, and for that, we will not disappoint them."

The benefits of the internship programme include return flights, visa fees, accommodation, monthly stipends, university fees, daily transport to university & workplace, meals, workplace training fees,

medical cover, and accident/death benefits. ORBIT College Principal, Ms Maryna Marais says she is ecstatic for the students, and can only hope that they will use this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to the best of their ability. Ms Marais added that going to a country where the daily way of life,

the language and culture is different to ours will have its fair share of challenges, but that the students should always be reminded of the words of Ho Chi Minh: "Remember the storm is a good opportunity for the pine and the cypress to show their strengths and their stability".



The Magnificent Seven from ORBIT College, Mankwe Campus; from left; Piet Seloba, Phemelo Selelo, Boikhutso Makati, Dr Zhilei Lu (Director at Chinese Culture & International Education Exchange Centre), Ms Matseleng Motsoeneng (Project Coordinator), Olerato Tshenye, Bokamoso Cwienyane, Buyelani Mgcinna and Oarabile Marumula.

Weather Report North West Rustenburg

Friday 17 March 2017 29°C-17°C

Saturday 18 March 2017 31°C-17°C

Sunday 19 March 2017 30°C-16°C

Monday 20 March 2017 30°C-16°C

Tuesday 21 March 2017 29°C-15°C

At time of print

FINANCIAL INDICATORS

Crude Oil (OIL)	R 627.04
Gold Ounces (XAU)	R 15 841.59
Platinum Ounces (XPT)	R 12 358.17
Palladium Ounces (XPD)	R 9 769.59
United States Dollar (USD)	R 13.14
British Pound (GBP)	R 16.05
Euro (EUR)	R 13.96
Chinese Yen (CNY)	R 1.90
Namibian Dollar (NAD)	R 1.00
Lesotho Loti (LSL)	R 1.00

At time of print

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