



George Newsletter

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Dear valued friends, family and supporters
"All your children shall be taught by the Lord, and great shall be the peace of your children." – Isaiah 54:13

We at Life Community Services are thrilled to share with you the latest news on our ongoing efforts to improve the lives of needy children in George, South Africa.

We are excited to announce the new expansion and changes at LIFE.

Thanks to your generous contributions, we have been able to add new classrooms and facilities to accommodate the growing number of children who need access to education. With your continued support, we are able to provide quality education to those who would otherwise not have the opportunity. It is such an investment from your side that we cannot omit to thank you. The building, the books, the equipment and furniture. It all added up but, with the help of the Lord (and your obedience) we could raise the funds to almost cover all.

In order for the above to be successful a massive grounds work had to be negotiated. Paul, a retired Geologist and his wife Lu-Anne felt the call of the Lord, came to see us and tackled this, seemingly unsurmountable mountain with wonderful results. The whole landscape had to change from a marshland to solid land for the classrooms plus drainage. This took weeks of perseverance, donation of time and money but the results are amazing. Thank you Paul and Lu-Anne. Lu-anne got involved in ministry and the kids love her. She is a teacher.

In addition to the school expansion, we are also expanding our Happy Feet early learning center. This vital program provides young children with a safe and

nurturing environment to learn, grow and thrive. We have recently added new staff members and resources to ensure that these children receive the best possible start in life.



We are also happy to report that our Bible Study group will continue in the new term and has been received positively by the children. We believe that a strong spiritual foundation is crucial to the development and well-being of the children in our care, and we are excited to see the positive impact of this program.



As part of our ongoing efforts to improve the quality of life for the children we serve, we are developing our property to provide additional facilities and opportunities for the children who attend the school. This includes the our food gardens an athletics program in which we were highly competitive and a sport and music program. This initiative not only promotes healthy eating but also teaches the children valuable skills in all aspects of life.



It was a joy to see the results when we launched a hugely successful holiday club program in January before the schools reopened. This included children 10-12 years.

Borchards, (2 pics)

Rina or shine!



In addition to this program, we embarked on a youth empowerment program during the school holidays in January as well. This proved to be highly successful in reaching our targets and in working closely with 80 youth for 10 days. Life-skills, Word and Worship as well as practical art and craft activities were part of the program. It was a joy to take the young people to the Wild Life Ranch here in George where they gained great insights in to creation in closely observing wild animals.



With the fast changing world around us the need is huge and we want to approach you to contribute to the outreach ministry. For five years we have been praying for a spot in Borchards to minister. We can now purchase a house for R180,000 (\$10,500) and we are approaching you as our friends and donors to pray about the matter and to partner with us to make this a reality. We are on a short time-line and truly praying for a miracle.

Heart for a Child is a powerful vehicle for anybody to get involved and make a difference in a child's life for a life time. Our goal is to see 100 children fully sponsored for the year. Please visit our website, www.lifecommunity.co.za to sign up and impact a child's life today. Payments can be direct or on PayPal R350; \$ 31; £ 31 per month Other miracles was our back to school program. Check the website for more information.

We cannot emphasize enough how grateful we are for your continued support. Your generosity has enabled us to make a meaningful difference in the lives of orphaned and vulnerable children in our community. We would like to encourage you to continue supporting our ministry financially, so that we can continue providing these critical services and support to those who need it the most.

Thank you for being a part of our community and for making a positive impact in the lives of the children we serve. With Love and appreciation The LIFE TEAM

Thank you for blessing us with your contributions.

To contribute the BANKING DETAILS Are as follows:

SOUTH AFRICA:
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Acct. No. 1091183600
Branch code: 109114
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THE USA:
I R M /LIFE Community Services
PO Box 444
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PA 15656-0444

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THE UK:
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We have moved! Please stop by!

OUR NEW OFFICE LOCATION

18 Saint Johns Street, George, 6530.
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EXCITEMENT! We are moving to our new home!
Please drop in for COFFEE.
We will be operational from April 3rd, 2023.