

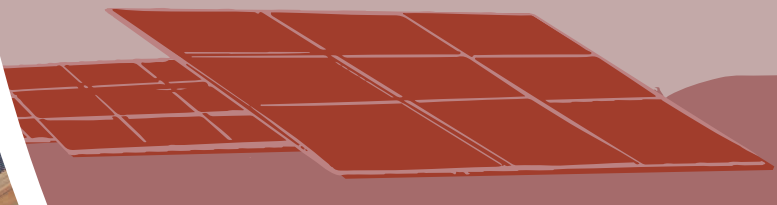


MATLA A BOKONE SOLAR

Formerly known as Droogfontein 2 Solar (RF) (Pty) Ltd



QUARTER 2 2022 NEWSLETTER



YOUNG WOMEN-IN BUSINESS EMPOWERMENT EXCEEDS TARGETS!

Launched in 2021 with the primary objective of assisting 100 young women from within the Sol Plaatje and Dikgatlong local municipalities with new business compliance start-up kits, this programme exceeded its initial target by 5%.

Following this success a second intake is being launched soon. Hence, we encourage young women aspirant entrepreneurs, who meet the criteria, to visit our website to register for the 2022 programme, which is set to launch during Q3 of this year.

- matlaabokonesolar.co.za/applications

"I'm excited to finally be venturing into this journey. I now have a compliant catering business, and I am looking forward to receiving health and safety inspectors at my small container." **Brumilda Jass, Owner: Something Sassy.**

"I am looking forward to bigger opportunities as I now have a registered, compliant business. I am mostly looking forward to applying for my CIDB Grades" **Evelyn September, Owner: Nurture Stellworks and Constructions.**



BACK 2 SCHOOL

1000 grade 1 learners have received school bags, as part of our Back-2-School initiative, aimed at boosting self-confidence and contributing to a happy start in 'big school'.

Receiving a "surprise" school bag from Matla A Bokone Solar is something these children will always remember -it may be a small item, but is an important part of a child's school experience and supports dignity.

We thank our key stakeholder, the Department of Education, for identifying and making us aware of this learner need.



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YOUTH SKILLS - CAREER GUIDANCE AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

The second phase of our Career Guidance and Leadership Development Programme was successfully implemented during this last quarter (Q2/2022), focused on Grade 9 learners, across our six beneficiary high schools.

Participating learners were engaged and assessed through a number of modules, designed to improve self-knowledge and encourage better life and future career choices. The modules covered, included: Knowing Yourself; Subject vs Career Choices and Journey Mapping.

Following these interactions and training intervention, it has been heartening to confirm that assessments showed that the programme has yielded significant change improvements, regarding new knowledge acquired.

Learners were further trained and assessed on modules pertaining to personal strengths, self-awareness, productivity vs consistency, hobbies, skills, planning skills, learnerships, and job shadowing.

Schools included in the valuable learner programme included: Thabane High School; Roodepan High School; Floors High School; Emmanuel High School, Vuyolwethu High School; and Emang Mmogo Comprehensive School.



ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME: HELLO NEW CYCLE

Our 2022/2023 Enterprise Development Programme will close out in the coming quarter. The programme will close out with a graduation ceremony in honour of the dedicated participants that completed their NQ4 Level 4 SETA Accredited Business Management Certificate. However, there is no need to despair because the new cycle of the 2022/2023 Enterprise Development Programme had begun to be initiated and planned during Q2/2022 and is scheduled to kick off during Q3/2022.

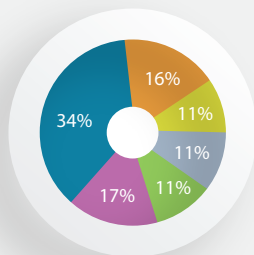


2022 UPCOMING COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Details of the next community engagements will be communicated on Matla A Bokone's online platforms.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SPEND QUARTER 2 2022

- Enterprise Development
- Hearts and Minds
- Poverty Spotlight
- Early Childhood Development
- Mobile Clinic
- Youth Skills Development



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