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SUPPORT parents in remote rural schools who, despite their difficult circumstances, have vowed to educate their children for a brighter future (iKamvelihle)

SCHOOL LEADERSHIP COMMUNITY CENTREDNESS





Parents who are members of Primary and Senior Secondary Schools Governing Bodies discussing and developing school improvement plans in a workshop in Cala that was facilitated by the Centre for the Community School of the Nelson Mandela University and the iKamvelihle Development Trust (iKDT)

> HELP invest in education and youth development, particularly in rural and underdeveloped areas of South Africa.

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HERE ARE PRACTICAL WAYS IN WHICH YOU CAN LEND A HAND:

- Connect and recommend the iKDT to a funding organisation, and/or
- Donate a once off amount or schedule a monthly payment, and/or

Specify in which of the following programme(s) should benefit from your donation:

- 1. Learner and Teacher support:
 - 1.1 Learning strategies and Careers;
 - 1.2 Matric study skills, Exam Preparation and e-Learning;
 - 1.3 STEM and Innovation related programmes;
 - 1.4 ECD: Literacy, Languages and Numeracy;
 - 1.5 Winter Learning School; Achievement Awards;
 - 1.6 Applications and student transition to Higher Education
- 2. School leadership, Community centeredness, Sustainability & Pyscho-Social support
- 3. Volunteers Plough-Back Model Development
- 4. Fieldwork and operations

The current beneficiaries from these iKDT programmes are approximately 7 000 per annum, mostly young children and in-school youth, including girls, unemployed graduates, teachers and community representatives.

STEM and Innovation related programmes

Learners and teachers in remote rural areas have unequal opportunities than their peers, including exposure in Science, Technology, Innovation, Language and Arts activities.





Ms Zimkhitha Silwana, the iKDT Local Operations Co-ordinator with Grade 12 rural students who were attending a science and innovation awareness programme for the first time through the support of the Nelson Mandela University Science Faculty.

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Listen to the voices of learners

Where do I begin to explain one of the best days of his life as a Grade 12 learner that is approaching a new life of University? I am sometimes nervous and worried about the future. This was a great day and it helped me a lot. The event helped me to understand who I am and what I would like to become.

(Sabelo Mayaphi, Grade 12 learner, 2018)



After the chemistry exhibition, we went to the rocket exhibition class.



I thought we were going to be given a lesson but this was different. We actually participated in building a mini rocket model and launched it. We were so excited. It was impressive and it flew high. After that exciting experience, we went to the Computer Science class. We were taught about Computer programming and we played a game called 'tanks' which was some sort of way to showcase what is done in Computer Science. All this was new to us. There is so much more to look forward for now. I hope days like these are made available to many other students as well

(Asisipho Luwaca, Grade 12 learner, 2018)

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Let us join hands with you as an individual or your organisation

in touching lives and contributing to meaningful change in our society

TAKE ACTION!!

GET INVOLVED AND DONATE:

Contact us and let us join hands with you as an individual or your organisation in touching lives and contributing to meaningful change in our society.

Account Name: iKamvelihle Development Trust (iKDT)

Bank: First National Bank - FNB

626 1233 4334 **Account No:**

Menlyn Square, Code: 252 445 **Branch Account Type:**

Type: Cheque

Reference: Your name and surname

The iKDT is a registered Non-Profit Organisation (190-071NPO) and Trust (IT0032886/2015). It adhere to sound governance principles and its finances are audited by an accredited audit firm.

If you donation qualifies in terms of S18A of the IncomeTax Act 58 of 1962 and you are registered as a SA taxpayer, you will be issued with a **S18A tax receipt certificate**.

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Interactive Career Expo, Learning strategies workshops (Twelve schools from Gr 9 - Gr 12)

DATE

30 January 2019 (Grade 11 and 12 from twelve schools)

31 January 2019 Grade 9 and 10 from twelve schools)

VENUE

Bathandwa Ndondo Senior Secondary School, Cala

Register as a Volunteer or Exhibitor send email: zimkhitha.silwana@ikdt.org.za or leadershipinafrica0015@gmail.com

