



## NOUPOORT NEWSLETTER

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### LOCAL PRIMARY SCHOOLS CELEBRATE GLOBAL WIND DAY

*To commemorate Global Wind Day, six top-performing learners from Ikhwezi Lokusa Primary School and Noupoort Combined School, visited Noupoort Wind Farm to experience first hand how clean, renewable energy is generated from the wind!*

This educational tour helped to raise awareness of the importance of clean power sources, and of course inspire our community's young minds about the importance of renewable energy.

The highlight of the day was the very interesting presentation by our senior plant technician, Msindisi Mtengwane. Speaking with enthusiasm, Msindisi expertly engaged the learners from the two visiting schools and took them on an unforgettable guided tour of the wind turbines, while explaining all about renewable energy generation.



*"This experience provides an exceptional platform to empower and educate our local youth about the significance of clean and sustainable energy sources. By involving these learners, the event creates a meaningful impact and encourages the exploration of renewable energy career pathways."*

**Sandisiwe Mntonintshi,**  
Noupoort Wind Farm,  
Economic Development  
Manager.

## LOCAL SPORTS FUNDING!

Well done to Noupoot's talented netball player, Miché Absolom (14), for being selected to represent the Northern Cape in the Winter Games in Benoni, as part of the U-15 Northern Cape Provincial School Team.

With our support, Miché received a full netball kit, as well as a monetary contribution towards her expenses during the games.

*"My school and community hold a very special place in my heart as it is where my entire netball journey began, which is why I am determined to go out there and give my absolute best."* - **Miché.**



## BELOVED COMMUNITY MEMBER TURNS 100 YEARS OLD!

*The Noupoot community came together to celebrate the 100th birthday of Sara Thomas, fondly known as Ouma Fytjie.*

Born on August 23, 1923, Ouma Fytjie's life has been one of selflessness and community building. She has helped raise numerous children, many of whom have gone on to achieve remarkable success in the fields of education and health.



*"Ouma Fytjie's remarkable journey through life has touched the hearts of all who know her. She has been an integral part of the our community, and her enduring spirit and contributions are celebrated with great enthusiasm,"*

**Sandisiwe Mntonintshi**, Economic Development Manager for Noupoot Wind Farm.