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LOCAL NEWS



***BREAKING
BOUNDARIES
SINCE '20***

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The third term was an eventful one for Local Motion. Every one of our students and volunteers broke boundaries as we continued with the afterschool programs we facilitate at the Local Motion Centre in Borchers, George. We kicked off with every student writing down their personal and spiritual goals for the term. While our existing students showed great spiritual and emotional growth, our numbers grew and we had a lovely group of new students join the family!

New and dedicated Hands.

We have brought in some new hands, Marco Sharp, to help out with the operations and strategic planning. He has also been instrumental in facilitating parts of our programs. He has been an answer to prayer. Additionally, our volunteers have been dedicated and impactful in and out of the classroom and have been a large reason for the growth in our program.

We had the privilege of various surfers facilitating the sessions this term. Thank you Sam, Matthew, Martyn and Anelma.

Our students studied hard this term and it showed in the wonderful improvements they achieved in the exams. Maths is becoming a favourite subject thanks to aunty Anel's contribution, thank you also to Matt and Michaela for assisting.

Matthew 9:38 “Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.”



Highlights



Our young entrepreneur, Slindokuhle, started up his own delicious muffin business! Unfortunately due to electricity issues it is currently on hold, but we are standing in faith that the municipality will sort out the issues in his zone soon.



While the boys went on a men's camp with Shofar, we had a standup-paddling girls day at Kaaimans river. Although it took some encouragement, all of the ladies overcame their fears and they were rewarded with an up close experience of the beautiful Kaaimans waterfall.



Charlot, our youth worker, had an opportunity to share a health and hygiene presentation with our students. The session was informative, and our students received some cosmetic goods.



Our students studying diligently for their midyear exam. We are very pleased with their results.



It was a huge privilege to host teams from CSALT and Fire & Fragrance, who came out to Local Motion, serving and investing in our students. We thank everyone that offered up their time, resources, skills, and energy to partner with us.



We also hosted a team from Mylo Coffee Co. It is a new partnership for us, engaging with a business that has been established to create opportunities to impact communities. Kyle, Niska, Jeremy and Sarah, all doctors, could learn about our program and the medical needs within our community. We look forward to what the future holds with this partnership.

1 Corinthians 13:4-7

Love suffers long and is kind; love does not envy; love does not parade itself, is not puffed up; does not behave rudely, does not seek its own, is not provoked, thinks no evil does not rejoice in iniquity, but rejoices in the truth; bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.”

Our needs.

The Local Motion program is currently operating at maximum capacity and as a result, the operating demands have increased. Any donations are helpful and welcomed. We would love to pursue long-term partnerships with individuals or businesses invested in the future of our youth. Below is an indication of our immediate needs, more details can be provided on request:

Financial Assistance

Food and clothing donations

Academic material (books, stationary etc)

Counselling support

Mentorship of students and Holiday Program assistance

We are looking to buy a first-ever LOCAL MOTION BUS.

We are in need of a BIGGER Local Motion centre to accommodate our growing numbers.

OUR DETAILS

The Directors Local Motion ZA Bank details:

Bank: Standard Bank

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The way forward and Greetings.

We are very excited to already have started with term 4 and our students are full of energy after their break. Our programs are planned, goals set and we are focused. With the new and dedicated hands, we have lots of ambition to continue in our approach, to expand and we hope to see more fruit nearing the end of the year. We honour God for His hand in all our doing, we thank you for your involvement and prayers, and we hope to see you all joining Local Motion where we break boundaries for our youth.

We choose to end with the most joyful news of term 3. Sabrina and James got engaged. It happened at Victoria Bay very unexpectedly yet not a surprise in hindsight. We as Local Motion are blessed to share in this Joy.

Joyful regards
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