



**BOKAMOSO  
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# QUARTER 2 2022 NEWSLETTER



## READING PROGRAMME

Seven youths have been selected from the Kanana and Kgakala communities to participate in a Reading Programme that will be introduced to schools during the third term of this year.

The programme, implemented by READ Educational Trust, aims to assist in reducing the gap that learners experience in school, especially as a result of Covid-19. Primary school learners in grade 4 will also be benefiting from this programme.

This forms part of our commitment to supporting education, which is prioritised as a key component of our Socio-Economic Development Programme.



## ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME



We hosted a graduation event with our implementing partners, Africa's Got Game, to celebrate the seven SMMEs who have progressed into year two of our Enterprise Development Programme. They were selected for this second phase, based on their attendance; response to communication; business monthly turnover and compliance.

We are pleased to have welcomed our key stakeholders who graced the event. Included were representatives from the local Matlosana Municipality, Dr KK District Municipality, Ward Councillors, Department of Economic Development, and the National Youth Development Agency (NYDA).

Furthermore, nine new SMMEs have been selected to participate in this programme, following an intense recruitment process. They will join the seven SMMEs currently in their second year of the programme, bringing the total to 16.

The new SMMEs were invited to attend an information session, during which the programme was explained.

"The purpose of our programme is to elevate and accelerate entrepreneurs and provide them with the tools and resources to build businesses that have a positive impact on their communities," stated **Claire Phutheagae, Community Operations Officer for Bokamoso Solar.**

## YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

Twenty youths from Kanana and Kgakala were selected as part of our Youth 4 Change Programme, to participate in a 12-month accredited course. The courses included: Business Administration; Leadership Development; and Mixed Farming.

Each course includes theoretical training, practical activities and assessments that form part of a Portfolio of Evidence that needs to be submitted for relevant SETA credits at the end of the year.

Implemented by Lead Academy, under Angels Resource Centres, the training was well received and participants at both centres engaged positively in the tasks. During the training weeks, participants are given homework and assignments to complete and hand in.

"Through this programme, I learned more about being a leader and how to interact with employees at work, as well as how to motivate, encourage, and inspire them. I learned about the transactional leadership style, which I will apply in my professional life." - **Aaron Lenah, one of the programme beneficiaries.**



## HEARTS AND MINDS PROGRAMME

Bokamoso Solar embarked on a Winter Drive Programme, within the Kgakala Community, with the aim of providing food parcels and a blanket for winter to 40 households of child-headed homes and the elderly.

This forms part of our flagship Hearts and Minds project, which has a core focus on children and the elderly in our communities.

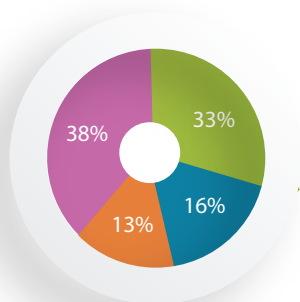


## 2022 UPCOMING COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Details of the next community engagements will be communicated on Bokamoso Solar's online platforms.

## QUARTERLY SPEND BREAKDOWN (Q2 2022)

- Education
- Welfare
- Enterprise Development
- Health



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