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CARE & GROW

Creating Brighter Futures Through Kaap Agri's Bursary Programme

The 2022 academic year is off to an exciting start for one of Kaap Agri's bursary holders, Lelethu Sodlulashe. The Grade 12 Swartland High School learner was recently appointed Head Girl of her school.

"Lelethu has been an outstanding recipient of our bursary programme since 2018 when she was in Grade 8. We're so proud of how she manages an excellent balance between outstanding academic results and her sporting and cultural pursuits which include netball, hockey, athletics, choir singing and public speaking. We've come to



know Lelethu as a determined, resilient individual and know that she will make a success of her new role as Head Girl of her school," says Kaap Agri's Senior Manager: Legal & Sustainability, Satish Bhoola.

Lelethu says she's excited to start this new chapter and she's ready to take on her new role. "It was an emotional moment when I first received the news, but I've worked hard and I'm confident that I will make a success of it. I feel truly honoured to be named Head Girl of my school and look forward to continuing my journey with Kaap Agri."



Spreading The Festive Cheer

The festive season is a time of giving and our Agrimark branches made sure they spread joy and care in communities, bringing smiles to friends and family – even the fur-family.

Several Agrimark branches embodied our CARE values during the past festive season by donating food hampers, toys, stationery, cleaning and personal care products, as well as pet food to those in need.

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“Without a doubt, 2021 was a challenging year and so many families and support organisations continue to struggle with economic hardships, food insecurity and ongoing uncertainty. Whilst Christmas and the December holidays are a wonderful time for many of us, it can be very tough for those unable to support themselves and their families. Thanks to the strong relationships we’ve established in the various communities that we operate in, we are able to make a real impact through corporate social activities and meaningful donations as part of our ongoing commitment to ensure all our stakeholders are better off because of our operations,” says Tasneem Sulaiman-Bray, Kaap Agri’s Corporate Affairs Director.



Agrimark Citrusdal treated residents of Heuwelrus Old Age Home to a Christmas braai.



The staff at Agrimark Kirkwood brought joy to 60 children in the local community, treating them to a Christmas lunch, presents and puppet show.



Agrimark Mechanisation Bredasdorp donated pet food to the value of R2,000 to the Animal Anti-Cruelty League.





Thanks to a donation from Agrimark Mechanisation Ceres, the personnel of Maudie Kriel Home could freshen up the nursing home for the new year. The branch donated cleaning materials and toiletries to the value of R2,000.



Huis van Heerde in Moorreesburg is ready for the new year because the children's home received a donation of stationery and groceries worth R4,000 from Agrimark Mechanisation Malmesbury and Moorreesburg.



The staff at Agrimark Vredendal made Christmas even more special for the children at the Vredendal Disability Centre by donating 35 presents to the organisation.



The staff at Agrimark Mechanisation Paarl spread the holiday cheer at Norsa Community Care in Wellington.



It was a Christmas to remember for the children in Eendekuil. The local Agrimark and Agrimark Grain branches donated gift bags filled with toys and treats.



Agrimark Mechanisation Porterville treated the Women's Agricultural Association to food parcels filled with non-perishable items and toiletries.



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We Want to Hear from You

Has your branch or department been involved in any community based corporate social investment (CSI) projects lately? We'd love to hear all about it. Please send us your good news stories and images to sonia.capes@kaapagri.co.za



Ons Hoor Graag van Jou!

Was jou tak of departement onlangs by 'n gemeenskapsprojek betrokke? Ons wil graag daarvan hoor. Stuur asseblief jou inspirasiestories en foto's na sonia.capes@kaapagri.co.za