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Wake up! News

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Montessori Schools in Holland supporting Wake up!

Last month was a busy one in The Netherlands, as two Montessori schools organised a fundraiser on behalf of our centre. The Montessori Primary School Wassenaar held a Spring Festival whereby children from the upper primary prepared games and food for the lower primary classes. Lower primary children sold their artwork and also parents generously contributed items for sale. Volunteers from the Stichting Wake up! in The Netherlands came to present lessons on Namibia. In all €2131.35 was raised.



Montessori Wassenaar handing over a cheque to the Stichting Wake up

From the Editor

Dear Readers,
 Here in Namibia winter is approaching and the first term holiday is near. High time we share some of the highlights of the first term with you. Enjoy!



Spring Festival Wassenaar

On the 3rd of April the Haags Montessori Lyceum organised a so-called Challenge Day on behalf of Wake up! with sport, music, games, fun and food and did raise another €1000.

A BIG THANK YOU to both schools for such great support!



The Challenge Day in full swing

We love books!

The International Women's Association of Namibia donated a pile of Early Readers. Thank you, we love books!



Celebrating Independence

Namibia celebrated its 20th Anniversary on the 21st of March, a good opportunity to show and tell. Some of our children were proud to show others their traditional dress.



Interschool Sports' Day

In March we joined two other pre-schools in a sports' day hosted by one of them on a local sports' field. It was a good experience much enjoyed by the children. It also gave us some ideas on how to promote athletics at our school.



Volunteers

Volunteers add spice and new ideas to our work, much appreciated by children and teachers.

If you are interested in volunteering with us, either as a teacher or doing a short project in arts, music or helping to develop our playground and garden, do let us know!

First Aid Course

Three of our teachers followed a first aid course in January, before the first term started. First aid is a vital skill when working with young children and knowing what to do helps you to keep your head cool when minutes count.



Drama Classes

This year we have the privilege of getting a drama teacher from the College of the Arts to work with the children. They are working towards a performance during the third term of this year. Watch this space!

