



Wake up! Early Education Centre
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Wake up! News

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New classrooms!

We are delighted to share the news that the Harry Lierens Foundation from The Netherlands and the Lions Club Windhoek Alte Feste have joined hands and agreed to each finance 50% of a new block of two classrooms. Building starts this month and will be finished by December. This means in January we can double the number of children we are giving a headstart in education! In preparation for building a local construction company has helped us by dumping truckloads of soil to level the erf and has put in pipes to channel the rainwater. Furthermore they have donated two old containers which we will put to good use. To be continued!



From the Editor

Dear Readers,
After a short term holiday we are back again at school for the last term of the year. We hope to set up a small vegetable garden this term and work on the playground. Further lots of planning to do for our extension. Keep you posted!

Dutch Support € € € € € € € € € € € € € € € € €

Stichting Wake up! Windhoek coordinated a whole series of fundraisers:

- 'De Zeehonk' Primary School raised €1300 with a Fun Event
- Theatre Group ZEEPAANZEE donated the proceeds of the 'Boerekos' which preceded their Farmers' Drama: €2200
- The Solidarity Fund KGK Amsterdam donated €800 for a rainwater harvesting tank for the vegetable garden to be established.
- A Volleyball Tournament on behalf of Wake up! raised over €1000!
- The J.F. Kennedy Montessori school in The Hague raised €1750 with a Fun day.

All these bits and pieces help us to keep up the work we are doing!

Positive Parenting

Lifeline Namibia is offering our parents a Positive Parenting Course. The sessions are designed to reinforce positive parenting behaviour and give parents ideas how to support the development of their children.



Pre-school Athletics

Last month Wake up! organised a Pre-school Athletics Funday for about 200 children from 7 centres in Otjomuise. Quite a challenge! The local constituency provided youth volunteers, Wake up! staff and parents gave their best and many spectators came to support their athletes.



Our website is getting a facelift. You can still visit www.wakeupdaycarenamibia.com but you will soon be directed to our new site. Check it out!