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2ND ROYAL FESTIVE CELEBRATION

The festive season will never be the same again for orphans and the poor in people of Nongoma as the Royal Festive Celebration makes its come back for the second time this year.

Last year thousands of people gathered at Khangelamankengane Royal Palace to join in the festive party. The party was the first of its kind to be hosted by Zulu King Goodwill Zwelithini and Her Royal Highness Queen Mantfombi of Khangelamankengane. This years' celebration will be done in partnership with the Provincial Department of Health. Toys and food parcels will be handed out to more than 500 households to help bring smiles to many children and make the festive season extra special. Provincial Health MEC, Mrs. Peggy Nkonyeni is one of the guests to attend this celebration.

Details of the event are as follows:

DATE: 29 DECEMBER 2005

VENUE: KHANGELAMANKENGANE ROYAL PALACE

TIME: 10H00

TRANSPORT FOR JOURNALIST WILL LEAVE OUTSIDE THE DURBAN PLAYHOUSE AT 7H00 ON THURSDAY.

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