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“33 YEARS OF UNBROKEN SERVICE”



MR NP DLADLA AND HIS WIFE DURING HIS FAREWELL FUNCTION



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The 22nd of November 2017 marked a sad occasion for Richmond TB Hospital as we **bid a** farewell to our honourable CEO Mr. NP DLADLA.

Mr Dladla gained many crucial years of experience within government as he worked for the department of Health for 33 years consecutively, of which his last 8 years he spent here as the CEO at Richmond TB Hospital. It was a sad but memorable day of celebration with lots of fun and excitement had by all members of staff. Mr Dladla was thanked for his guidance and leadership by all and his sense of humour and spirit ubuntu will be missed.

Richmond hospital would like to thank the Dladla family and CEO's for attending this special occasion, and to our internal staff members, let us continue working hard as taught by our honourable CEO to strive towards a better tomorrow.

Sithi kuwe baba Mgabadeli unwele olude futhi sikufisela ukuphumula okuhle.



Mr. NP Dladla CEO and his family



Mrs Naidoo CEO East boom CHC, Mr. NP Dladla, Ms Maphanga Northdale hospital CEO and Nursing Manager Don McKenzie



Nursing manager and the staff attending nation nutrition week at Richmond hospital .

TOPIC: RETHINK YOUR DRINK - CHOSE WATER:

Richmond TB Hospital's Chief Dietician (Mrs C Martinuzzi) prepared a very informative presentation for all staff members during the month of October 2017. Mrs. C Martinuzzi's aim of NNW 2017 was first to encourage staff members to make water their beverage of choice, secondly, to show us the link between the regular consumption of sugary drinks and health risks and lastly, to help staff to identify sugar drinks and determine how much sugar they contain.

This day was a huge success; the presentation was carried over 2 sessions to cater for all staff within the institution. Over 60 staff members participated and had many questions answered regarding this topic.



Above are two groups performing 'how to wear a Sari competition'

On the 27th of September 2017, Richmond celebrated heritage day. On this day Richmond hospital focused on the Indian culture and it's rich history, which makes up part of the South African Population.

During the celebration of heritage day staff were encouraged to wear Indian traditional attire and bring and share different cultural food. This day was extremely exciting and memorable with an abundance of participation in various activities planned such as cultural dancing.

We would like to thank all staff who participated as it was a huge success (over 120 participants) and especially to our dedicated team who lead us in this remarkable event: Vinessa , Reevana and Waheeda. Lastly a big thank you to the events committee.

PICTURES OF HERITAGE DAY 2017



The Social Work Department organized and co-ordinated the Hospitals Mandela Day Event. Hospital staff contributed cash which were used to purchase, snacks, cool drinks, a meal, stationery and toys for the 18 children at Sikawoti Children's Home in Thornville.

This is a facility for children with Disabilities. Staff spent time observing, interacting and playing with the children. Staff comprised of medical manager, social workers, nursing staff, dietician and administrative staff.

Hopefully this 67 minutes initiative of social responsibility will motivate staff to be philanthropic with other such deserving care facilities in the future. The staff at the facility are dedicated and committed. The Nkabinde family were very grateful for the support and visit by Richmond Hospital.



PICTURES OF MANDELA DAY 2017



Hospital staff , Sikawoti employees and Sovuta clients



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