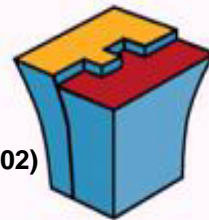




THE FUTURE FACTORY



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“Without a sense of caring, there can be no sense of community”

OCTOBER 2006 UPDATE

Once again this has been another busy month for The Future Factory. The primary school sports program has expanded, with two new schools signing up. Preparation is in full swing for many events that will be happening in the next month, including an international dance festival at Muhammedeyah Primary, Christmas parties, and a day with the “I Know” HIV/AIDS group in Mitchells Plain. This month's international volunteers on the program have been Rasmus from Denmark, Mari from Norway, Ellyse from Australia, Mary and Dee from Ireland, and Carina, Katina, Becce, Friederike, Rene, Steffi and Flora from Germany.



HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMS

This month has been busy with programs in high schools around Cape Town. As part of a grade ten certification program, learners are given an eight hour sports course in a selected sport, mainly soccer and netball. The learners are taught the basic rules of the sport, theory, practical and how to umpire. At the end of the day, they are awarded with a certificate to go towards their school graduation. Over 1500 students have now completed this program.

PRIMARY SCHOOL PROGRAMS SCHOOL PROFILE – AL AZHAR EDUCARE



Al Azhar is located in Bridgetown and caters for grade 0 through to Grade 3.

The Future Factory runs programs in the school two days a week, so each child has a regular physical education period, focusing mainly on ball skills. The school is one of our volunteer orientation schools, and its



coach is Anne Siroky. The sports program operates with very little, as the sports fields consist of sand and a parking lot, and the school has no equipment for the children to use.

LEARNERS FROM AL AZHAR



THANKYOU

A huge thankyou must go to Bokomo, for providing five cases of Weetbix for the children at the crèche in Ottery. Thankyou very much!



HELP NEEDED!!

OTTERY CHRISTMAS PARTY

In early December, The Future Factory will be holding its annual Christmas party in the Ottery community. It is a huge event and gets bigger every year. This year we are expecting over 600 children to attend. We would like to be able to provide each child with a meal, as well as a present to take home. Sponsorship is urgently needed, either with donations of goods or money to go towards buying food.



SCHOOL FEES

The time of year has again come where sponsors are needed for children's school fees. For R350, a child's fees can be paid for the year. This is a huge help for families of the children who can't afford to pay the fees. Details of the children can be provided to the sponsors.



**THANKYOU TO WOOLWORTHS
FOR THEIR CONTINUED
SUPPORT IN PROVIDING US
WITH SHORT DATED FOOD TO
USE IN OUR PROGRAMS.**



THE FUTURE FACTORY PROGRAMS

School Sports Academy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Morning programs now operating in over 20 schools in the Western Cape • Afternoon development programs at Michael Oak Waldorf School • Netball development program at St Cyprians • Extra murals in all schools • One Wizards program per school per year • High School Grade Ten sports development program
Indigenous Games	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teaching a wide variety of South African indigenous games • Bookings made for schools, adults, corporates and special events • Trained facilitators in all games
Holiday Programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Future Factory holds the government contract for all holiday beach programs in the Western Cape • Facilitators teach many activities to thousands of children over the holiday periods, with the aim of teaching new skills, while keeping them occupied and away from crime, gangs and drugs
Community Projects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ottery after school program • Delft community volleyball development project (teens) • Delft community sports development (under 12's) • Rock Challenge 2005 • The Future Factory/Good Hope FM Ottery Christmas Party • Cape Town International Food Festival • Tulbagh youth leadership weekend • CYT and Novalis Institute programs
Motivational Speaking	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For many organizations, including school groups, corporates and the South African Police Force
HIV/AIDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promoting awareness • Providing assistance to children and their families affected by the disease
Children with Physical Disabilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing care for children and families • Special events • Annual Christmas party
International Volunteer Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bringing volunteers from Europe, North America and Australia to put their skills to use in South Africa • Partnership with South African Student Travel Services (SASTS) • Partnership with Waterford Institute of Technology (Ireland) • New independent volunteer recruiting program for 2006
Teambuilding and Motivation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student workshops developing skills in trust, problem solving, communication and boosting self esteem • Teacher workshops • Workshops at special events
Feeding Programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing meals for hundreds of people each week as part of feeding programs in the Ottery community, Rooikappie Creche, schools and all Future Factory programs