CASA NEWS

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Casa Caritas is a Home that provides love, care and stimulation to people with both intellectual and physical disabilities, irrespective of race or culture

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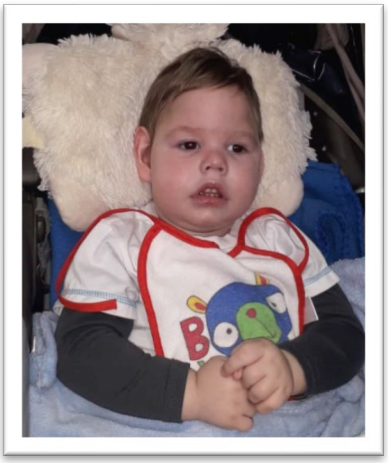


In Memoriam

We are heart-broken about the passing away of our youngest resident, AJ de Jager, on 30 October 2019. He was almost two years old.

Our thoughts and prayers are with his parents, Adele and André, his twin brother, Max, and his older brother, Iwan.

AJ crept into the hearts of Sara, his Casa Caritas care worker, and every other staff member and visitor who met him.

We miss him terribly.

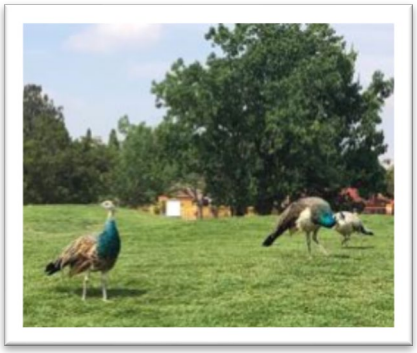
Casa Caritas Golf Day

The golf day on 1 November was a great success. We would like to thank Leon Grobbelaar and Lynette Loubser who organised this once again. They managed to raise R194 070,47 for Casa Caritas. You are superstars!

Mark Naidoo, Coen Pretorius, Rykie Pretorius

André Botes, Franco Botes, Henry Smal, Jana Smal

Leon Grobbelaar, Hennie Neethling, Stan Jewaskiewits



Werner Kruger continues to excel

Johan and Adri Kruger's son, Werner, continues to excel in his rugby career. He played 100 Super Rugby matches for the Bulls and he was capped four times by the Springboks before he moved to Llanelli in Wales in 2016. Adri and Johan were privileged to be there to celebrate the event of Werner running out for the Scarlets for the 100th time, having missed only 4 games in the last 3 years. Well done, Werner!

Below from left Johan, Nathan, Werner, Andrea, AJ and Adri Kruger.

Werner thanks his Creator on the field.

Danie and Mariaan did it again

Board member Danie Kruger and his wife Mariaan welcomed their new baby, Mieke-Anne Behaté, on 22 November 2019. She weighed in at 3,1 Kg. Mom and baby are both doing fine.

Welcome back Jayden

Jayden du Toit returned to Casa Caritas after a few months at home. Welcome!

Thank you

Kruinsig Primary School's grade 4 group collected groceries and toiletries during the last school term of 2019. Thank you very much! Below: The group meets Devon Moss and Danny Coetzee.

Above: Armand, Leyla, Stephanie, Sebastian and Cameron

The **Bronberg Region** of the **South African Caravan Association** made a financial donation to Casa Caritas. Thank you very much!

Metro Minds visited Casa Caritas with a donation and gifts for the staff. They offer a range of training solutions. Thanks, we appreciate you!

Arrow Chemicals donated chemicals to the value of R3 000,00 to Casa Caritas. It included 125 L washing softener, 50 L bleach, 75 L dishwashing detergent, 100 L shower gel, 50 L pine gel, 100 Kg washing powder and 200 hair nets.

Thank you, we appreciate that very much.

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Life at Casa Caritas

Tiaan Diederiks decided to go back to sleep one morning after getting up – he may look uncomfortable on the chair he chose in the playroom, but he slept really well!

We really enjoyed Bok-Mania this month!

Another successful inspection

The Department of Health did their last audit of Casa Caritas for 2019. They were very satisfied with the Home and full of compliments for the renovations.

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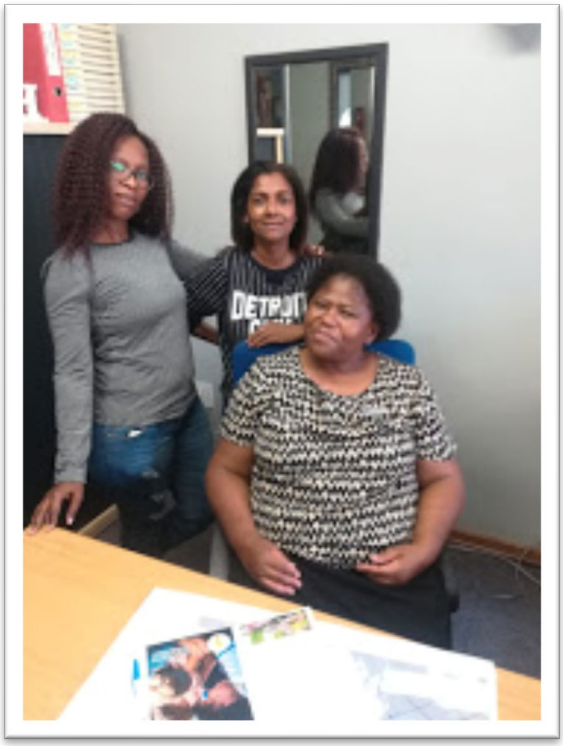

November birthday

Chris-Jan van Rensburg celebrated his 32nd birthday on 5 November 2019