

# CASA NEWS

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

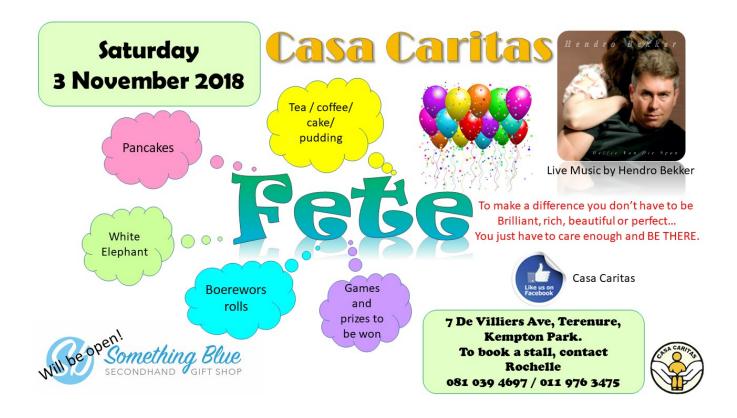


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With only one week left there are a few urgent requests to help us make a huge success of the event:

- A **jumping castle** (Please contact Rochelle urgently at the office)
- White elephants (any items in your home that you don't use anymore but could be of use to someone else).
- People to help working at the fête (Please contact Daleen Booyse at the office)
- Ingredients: Sugar, cinnamon, tinned fruit
- Cake stall: Cakes, puddings
- · Camping chairs and umbrellas for your own use



## From a grandmother's heart



Tiaan's granny, Elsie, wrote a heartfelt note to Adri and all the staff to express her gratitude for the hard work and everything they mean to the children. She blessed them with God's protection, guidance and love.

## Thank you

The **Klipwerf dance** on 28 September 2018 was a great success. Thank you to Robbie Robbertze for helping us secure such a beautiful and suitable venue.



Danny Coetzee's mom, Derry Pickle from Australia, ordered a wheelbarrow full of drinks which was delivered for the event – thank you very much!





Thank you very much to Adri from Juco Sandblasting for the engravement of the wine bottles every year.







The Casa Caritas golf day achieved amazing success, raising the amount of R220 000,00! We are deeply grateful for everyone's support. Lynette and Bronwyn (below) are ready for the day in their Casa Caritas T-shirts. Thank you for all your hard work every year with this event!







Interwaste's directors visited Casa Caritas on 23 October 2018. They donated R30 000,00 and they were very pleased with the progress of our Home. Thank you very much for your loyal and generous support!

Left: Leon Grobbelaar, Rob Lumb, Hans van der Merwe (Casa Caritas Chairman), Rajas Pillay, Hennie Schoeman, Kate Stubbs en Alan Willcocks (Interwaste Chief Executive Officer).





The Freemasons of Scotland's **Lodge Ophirton** in Boksburg paid us a visit on 22 October 2018. Left: Allan Doman (Master of the Lodge) hands a financial donation to Rochelle Bekker (Casa Caritas Operations Manager).

Thank you very much for your support!

### Welcome to our new resident

**Lizizi Ndima's** mother, Nzwabeni, describes him as the strongest and friendliest, loveliest boy, who enjoys good company. Because of his smile and personality some people call him charmer boy. He is full of life and mostly a peace keeper. He is an easy boy to fall in love with.

Welcome to Casa Caritas, Lizizi. We hope you will adapt well and that you will be very happy with us.



#### Life at Casa Caritas

There are still a few places vacant and parents/guardians of children with handicaps are invited to apply.

The criteria are: children younger than 14 years who are both physically and mentally handicapped. Bedridden applicants up to 18 years of age may be considered.

Contact details for the Home appear on page 1.



**Ilonka, Busi** and **Tiaan** relaxing and sharing hugs for a moment.



#### **Christmas Tree**

The annual Christmas Tree function for residents and their families will take place at the Home on 2 December 2018. Please reserve the date. More details will be shared in the November newsletter.



The shelves we are needing are for the storeroom where we stock the shop donations. Claus and Olga Coetzee donated R2 000,00 towards the installation of shelves and they are challenging other parents to do the same. Additional shelves will streamline the shop's operation a lot – currently the stock are stacked in boxes and black bags.

Our shop is doing well. We are receiving regular donations and our stock levels are good. A few volunteers have been helping us with stocking the shelves on sales days (Tuesdays 09:00-14:00 and Thursdays 12:00-14:00). Thank you very much to Marzanne's mom, Christa Grobbelaar, who helps us regularly. We are also grateful to people from the community for their help on sales days: Annetjie Krige, Letichia Dagnin en Evangeliene Bekker. Johan van Dyk and Annetjie Dagnin came to help us unpack stock on a Saturday. Thank you very much!

## October birthdays

Five residents are celebrating their birthdays this month. Happy birthday!

Amanda Nel (38) 8 October 2018



Ruan Reyneke (32) 13 October 2018



Sammy Chauke (22) 22 October 2018



Cornel Claasen (34) 14 October 2018



Aimee Bagley (15) 24 October 2018



