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Media release

As a continuation of the youth month commemoration, all the school learners of Phuleng primary school in Kroonstad will be showered with school shoes by the MEC for Agriculture and Rural Development—Oupa Khoabane on June 21 at 09h00.

Furthermore, in efforts to ensure that the living conditions of the young people, especially in rural areas are improved, the MEC will extend a helping hand by donating school uniform to all Vierhoek primary school (Welkom farm school) learners on the same day, at 13h00.

This initiative seeks to inspire those who are less fortunate especially in this cold season because his ambitious goal is to uplift and bring change in people's lives.

"I will never pause to hammer on critical issues that will benefit youth of today, especially in rural areas because it is crucial to encourage and motivate young leaders of tomorrow to engage on issues that will brighten their future; that is the reason why, as government, we always encourage our young generation not to focus on unplanned pregnancy, alcohol and drug abuse but to commit more on education, respecting teachers and elders, and join government informative programs to equip their skills," said MEC.

This interactive programs serves as an opportunity to sharpen our plans and outreach programmes to advance of living conditions of the poor.

Media is invited to attend.

Details of the programme are as follows:

Date: 21 June 2016

Venues: Phuleng primary school (Kroonstad)

Time: 09h00

AND

Later on the same day at 13h00 will be Vierhoek primary school (Welkom farm)

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