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Boodskap van die Uitvoerende Burgemeester Raadslid A. Kleinbooi

Cllr. A. Kleinbooi



Die feesseisoen is op hande en dit is daardie tyd van die jaar wanneer families en vriende die feesviering van die seisoen kom vier. Kersfees beteken verskillende dinge vir mekaar, maar na 'n jaar gevul met baie uitdagings, kan die naderende Kerstyd soos 'n welkome tyd voel met 'n hernieude sin vir betekenis. Ons het baie waardevolle lesse geleer wat ons vorentoe sal neem na die Nuwe Jaar.

Ons wil 'n beroep op motoriste, voetgangers en gemeenskapslede doen om hierdie jaar veilig op die paaie te wees, baie padsterftes het voorgekom en baie lewens is verlore - ons gebede gaan uit na daardie families en vriende. Laat ons almal verantwoordelikheid neem om die verkeersreëls te gehoorsaam sodat ons lewendig kan aankom. Ons doen 'n beroep op u om u voertuie te laat nagaan voordat u lang reise aanpak. Deur die jaar het ons hoë vlakke van kriminele aktiwiteite waargeneem, maar veral gedurende die feesseisoen is daar 'n toename omdat die meeste mense nie tuis sal wees nie. Ons doen 'n beroep op ons gemeenskappe om waaksaam te wees en enige verdagte aktiwiteite by die Polisie en Plaaslike Wetstoepassing aan te meld. Ons moet wys dat ons vir mekaar omgee deur die eiendom van ons medemens te pas.

In die gees van Kersfees, hoop ek dat elkeen van ons 'n geleentheid sal hê om te rus, te reflekteer en aandag te gee aan wat die belangrikste in die lewe is.

Namens die Laingsburg Munisipale Raad en Munisipale Amptenare wens ek almal 'n Geseënde Kersfees en 'n gelukkige en veilige Nuwejaar toe!



Mag die feesgety gevul wees met Liefde, Geluk en Vreugde. Mag Jesus ook die Middelpunt wees in hierdie fees seisoen

Geseënde Kersfees

MNR J BOOYSEN
MUNISIPALE

Matjiesfontein

Nuwe rioolwerke projek voltooi in Matjiesfontein wat die droëput stelsel vervang. Hierdie projek dra by tot die bevordering van 'n gesonde omgewing..



Dapper Muis en Care Bears wens almal 'n veilige Feestyd toe. Ons as dagsorg sluit Donderdag, 13 Desember 2023 en heropen weer 08 Januarie 2024. Indien u steeds kleuters wil registreer vir bywoning by die fasiliteite kan u die Bergsig saal of Matjiesfontein Sportsaal besoek op 08 Januarie 2024



Upgrading of Existing Gravel Roads in Matjiesfontein

We are delighted to share news of significant progress in the improvement of our town's infrastructure. Laingsburg Municipality has been actively engaged in the construction of a paved road in Matjiesfontein, a vital initiative aimed at enhancing accessibility and connectivity within our community. Previously, this area of our town was served by two single-lane gravel access roads, which, although functional, posed limitations in terms of efficiency and convenience. To address this, the municipality embarked on a project to upgrade these roads, starting with Phase 1, which is now in practical completion.

We are proud to announce that this project has been a source of employment for our community. A total of 26 local labourers were employed during the construction phase of the paved road.

Laingsburg Greening and Cleaning Projects

Greening of Laingsburg

We are excited to share the latest endeavors undertaken by Laingsburg Municipality in our ongoing commitment to creating a greener and more sustainable environment for all. Over the past months, significant efforts have been made to enhance our municipality through the creation of green spaces, particularly through tree planting initiatives in Bergsig, Acacia Park, Goldnerville, Matjiesfontein and town.

These included both indigenous and fruit planted in both public spaces and households (homes). Planting trees in Laingsburg will address food security, environmental sustainability and greening, strengthens community bonds, prevent flooding and also beautification of Laingsburg.

Wykskomitees
Wykskomitee Vergaderings vind maandeliks plaas waar openbare gemeenskaps probleme ter tafel gelê word en daarna verwys word na die Raad vir bespreking en moontlike oplossing. U word tog vriendelik vesoek om die gemeenskapsvergaderings soos per Wyksraadslid kwartaalliks by te woon om sodoende terugvoering te kry oor die geïdentifiseerde behoeftes.

*** VULLIS VERWYDERING ***

Besigheids vullis word nie op 25 Desember 2023 en 1 Januarie 2024 verwyder nie maar wel op 27 Desember 2023 en 3 Januarie 2024

***HUIS VULLIS ***

Göldnerville en Bergsig sal soos normaal verwyder word op 26 Desember 2023

*** RESES ***

Die Munisipale Raad is in reses vanaf die 05 Desember 2023 en sal terugkeer op 15 Januarie 2024

SLUITING VAN MUNISIPALE KANTOOR

Die Munisipale Kantoor sal gesluit wees vanaf 22 Desember 2023 om 14:00 tot 27 Desember 2023.



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Stand Up Laingsburg Community and Fight Illegal
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Christmas Market

In a heart-warming celebration of holiday cheer, the Tourism Christmas Market held on the 15th of December 2023 exceeded all expectations, transforming the tourism premises into a festive hub of joy and commerce. The event, featuring a variety of food stalls, crafts, and more, not only attracted a substantial number of visitors but also received overwhelming support from locals, resulting in a significant boost in sales for participating vendors.

The air was filled with the scent of delicious treats wafting from food stalls, tempting passers-by with an array of foodie delights. Adding an extra layer of joy, the organizers thoughtfully incorporated entertainment into the festivities. Attendees were treated to the rhythmic beats of rieldans, a traditional dance that brought a sense of cultural richness to the event. A puppet show added a whimsical touch, captivating both young and old with its enchanting storytelling.

Craft enthusiasts were treated to a treasure trove of unique and handmade items at the various stalls. Local artisans showcased their talents, presenting an assortment of beautifully crafted goods, including ornaments, decorations, and one-of-a-kind gifts. The emphasis on handmade products added a personal touch to the market, creating a sense of authenticity and charm that resonated with visitors.

One of the most delightful surprises of the day was the tremendous support from the local community. Residents not only attended the event in large numbers but also actively encouraged and endorsed the market, leading to a significant increase in sales for the participating vendors. The sense of community spirit was palpable, creating a harmonious atmosphere that echoed the true spirit of the holiday season.

As the sun set on the 15th of December 2023, the Tourism Christmas Market left an indelible mark on both visitors and locals alike. It showcased the transformative impact of a well-executed community event, proving that the magic of Christmas is not just confined to the holiday season but can be found in the warmth and support of a community coming together to celebrate the spirit of giving and joy.

Service Delivery

The Roggeveld Wind Farm initiative involves the provision of a TLB (Tractor Loader Backhoe) to enhance and elevate service delivery in Laingsburg.





Institute of Municipal Engineering of Southern Africa (IMESA) Excellence Awards

We are thrilled to share exciting news about Laingsburg Municipality's recent accomplishment at the Institution of Municipal Engineering of Southern Africa (IMESA) Excellence Awards. These awards recognize outstanding achievements in municipal infrastructure, showcasing projects that exemplify the best in civil engineering and how these advancements significantly impact and improve the lives of local communities.

Projects open for entries were in the following 3 categories: Engineering Excellence In Structures & Civils, Community Upliftment & Job Creation and Environment & Climate Change

It brings us great honour to announce that Laingsburg Municipality secured the 3rd position in the Environment & Climate Change category. This particular category celebrates initiatives related to environmental rehabilitation, renewable energy, drought solutions, coastal measures for rising sea levels, pollution control, as well as educational and technical initiatives aimed at environmental sustainability. Laingsburg's submission focused on the innovative "Laingsburg Green and Clean Projects."

The IMESA Excellence Awards ceremony took place on October 24, 2023, at the Boardwalk Hotel in Gqeberha. We invite you to witness the brilliance of the Laingsburg Green and Clean Projects by viewing the project video available at this link: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PNTZMLbwPRg> This recognition is a testament to our commitment to environmental stewardship and our efforts in addressing climate change challenges while striving for sustainable development within our municipality. We extend our gratitude to all who contributed to this remarkable achievement, including the dedicated individuals, organizations, and partners involved in making this project a success. The acknowledgment at the IMESA Excellence Awards inspires us to continue our pursuit of excellence and innovation in municipal projects, aiming to create a greener, cleaner, and more sustainable environment for all residents of Laingsburg.





Construction of New Wastewater Treatment Works in Matjiesfontein

Laingsburg Municipality is in the process of construction of the Matjiesfontein Wastewater Treatment Works (WWTW). Matjiesfontein is currently using an Ampac SAM Modular package plant, which has the capacity to treat 52.5kl/day of domestic sewage which is not sufficient for all residential household. Laingsburg Municipality's remains committed to prioritising investments in infrastructure to give service to the residents. The project is at practical completion. A total of 7 local were employed in the construction of the Matjiesfontein WWTW. We are thrilled to announce that the project is nearing its completion stage. This marks a significant milestone in our efforts to enhance the quality and efficiency of our wastewater treatment processes. The upgraded facility will ensure that all residents have access to reliable and improved wastewater treatment services, contributing to a cleaner and healthier environment for our community.

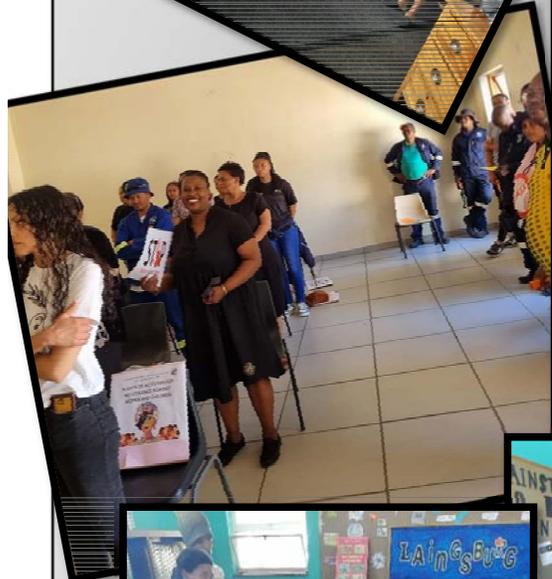




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Skoonmaak Kennisgewing

Neem asseblief kennis dat daar minder reën voorspel word, en 'n volledige skoonmaak sal gedoen word indien nodig, sal die toegangspunte in die verskillende areas op 'n gereelde basis skoongemaak word. Ons evalueer huidige situasies en hoe om dienslewering te reguleer. Die weervoorspellings vir die volgende paar dae, insluitend die beurtkragskedule, word gemonitor.

Beurtkrag en Water

Die Laingsburg Munisipaliteit gebruik pompe om ondergrondse water vir menslike gebruik te pomp; hierdie pompe het elektrisiteit nodig om te werk en daarom pomp die munisipaliteit tydens beurtkrag nie voldoende hoeveelhede water nie en slegs pompe van kragopwekker-gesteunde boorgate.

Die water vir huishoudelike gebruik is genoegsaam en sal so bly mits die beurtkrag bo fase 4, langer as 3dae geskeduleer word, dan vra ons dat die gemeenskap water spaarsamig moet gebruik weens die impak wat die beurtkrag op die beskikbaarheid van water sal hê.

Gebruik asseblief water spaarsamig!

Thusong Diens Sentrum

Die diens setrum beskik oor hernubare energie en sal water verkope wel kan plaas vind gedurende beurtkrag. Inwoners word aan geraai om die dienste te gebruik .

Nood Nommers

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| Munisipale Verkeer | - | 073 148 7665 |
| Brandweer & Rampbestuur | - | 073 148 7665 |
| Water Werke | - | 073 171 5896 |
| Elektrisiteit | - | 073 171 5896 |
| SAPD | - | 10111 |
| EMS Ambulans | - | 10177 |
| | - | 023 551 1420 |
| Klagtes | - | 023 551 1019 |
| Childline | - | 0800 055 555 |
| Kindersorg | - | 023 551 1694 |
| Hospitaal | - | 023 814 2017 |

Belangrike Datums

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| Versoeningsdag | : 16 Desember 2023 |
| Kersdag | : 25 Desember 2023 |
| Welwillendheids Dag | : 26 Desember 2023 |
| Nuwe Jaarsdag | : 01 Januarie 2024 |

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Kersfees en Nuwejaar is partytjie tyd en die drankies is beskikbaar, wees asb verantwoordelik en een glasië kan lei tot verslawing.

Alkohol & Dwelms

Vernietig lewens! Kies 'n skoon en vry lewe!

Vir hulp skakel Shireen by (023) 551 1899



LAINGSBURG
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Indien u 'n advertensie in die koerant wil plaas kan u met ons gesels en 'n goeie prysie kom onderhandel!!

Munisipale Kommunikasie Kantoor
Arthur & Madré



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