

August 2013 Newsletter



Greetings friends and family!

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August has been a very busy month for everyone involved in the home, and can all honestly say that God has stretched and tested us this month. More than ever. This always makes one understand better what it means to rely on Him and walk in faith as we carry out his vision for the lives of these children.

Babies, babies, babies

We had a new addition to our family, a new little boy, who was born on the same day as our twins, so we feel like we have triplets in the house! We currently have FIVE beautiful babes in the home.

Somerset College outreach

As part of their outreach for this semester, Somerset College Prep grade 3's blessed us with decorated boxes filled with Baby clothes, food, formula, bottles etc.

A **BIG THANK YOU** to the grade 3's and their teachers for all their effort and generosity. A big thank you also to Anna and her family for donating this exciting addition to the premises we receive from everyone at the school has been such a blessing.

Assembling the Jungle Gym



The end product



Prayer and Praise

- Keep Luke in prayer, one of the twins. He has been in hospital since the start of the month for tests and scans.
- Praise for our amazing management team, staff and volunteers
- Praise for Gods constant provision
- Prayer for Gods guidance and wisdom
- Keep our Saturday Fundraiser in prayer

Fundraiser time

Though it may seem far less glamorous than getting to play with children, participating in our fundraisers is one of the key ways you can make a real difference in their lives. We need funds to run the home, which provides these children with the love and physical care they need every day. We are having a "clothes swap" fundraiser this **Saturday, 7 September 2013 from 13:00- 16:30 at the Somerset West Baptist Church.**

Bring your unwanted, good quality clothes, and swap them for someone else. Proceeds of participating in this event go to Nthando Home.



Our VOLUNTEERS are vital

Thank you to everyone who came to our volunteer tea and planning day. Our volunteers play a critical role at the home, providing relief to our house mom, especially in emergency situations. We could not do what we do without your support.

Remember, if you did come to the planning tea please ensure you get **police clearance** so that we can use your services at the Home.



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It's a new month, let's spread the word!

If you would like to adopt us as your local charity, why not join our **100 100's Campaign**.

Share with your friends and let's spread the word about Nthando Home of Safety

Stories of Grace

These are the testimonies of our children who have passed through the House. Please note that for protection, their names have been changed

Our rough-and-tumble boy

People are always surprised to hear that Nthando Home of Safety cares for vulnerable white children too. Young Kyle, at age 5, was one of the oldest children the Home has taken in. He had suffered severe abuse from his family and was eventually taken from them and placed in our safe home. In Kyle's case, social welfare unsuccessfully attempted to reconcile with his family members on several occasions. This playful little chap has since been placed in foster care with one of our kind-hearted volunteers after living at Nthando for six months. Kyle continues to undergo therapy, as does his family.

If you are a regular Woolies shopper, don't forget to add us as your

Myschool beneficiary. Every cent spent makes a difference to us.

It's simple, just click on the link: <http://www.myschool.co.za/>

*Thank You for your constant support,
from all of us at Nthando Home Family,
God bless*



100 100s

What is 100 100s?
If one person takes it on themselves to donate a monthly R100 to Nthando, and we can find 100 people willing to join that person in giving, we can raise R10000 to run our home of safety each month

What is Nthando?
Nthando is a Home of Safety based in Somerset West caring for abused and abandoned children (0-5yrs)

Bank Details:
Bank: Nedbank
Account Number: 1060276356
Branch Code: 106012
Reference: 100's & your name

How can I help?
Be one of our 100 100s Champions, donate R100 each month to Nthando, and ask your friends, family and colleagues to do the same

Let's join together to see what Love can do
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