



IKHAYA LABANTU

Caring for frail & disabled people



Passing of the baton

After being at the helm of Ikhaya Labantu for so many years, Mambona is handing the baton over to others to continue the work of caring for the most frail and vulnerable people in Langa. The Board has re-committed itself to the vision and work of Ikhaya Labantu.

*With warm regards,
Board of Ikhaya Labantu*

The (renewed) Board...



...on the day of confirming the (renewed) Constitution of Ikhaya Labantu on 04 Sept 2021.

*Front: Mambona and Sr Winnie Nonkonyana
Back: Mick Plüddemann, Lumkile Nkanyuza, Lungile Maqegu, Fiona Ngumbela (Chairperson)*

Every second Saturday...

...members and friends of the Langa Life Group of Jubilee Community Church gather at Ikhaya Labantu



to care for the residents and support the carers. We cook a hot meal, play games with the residents, hold an exercise class, attend to basic medical needs or provide physiotherapy. We build friendships and relationships, and in multiple ways simply try to convey to the people that they are not alone, that they are loved, made in the image of God and deeply precious to him.

Residents' corner



William's smile at receiving some new clothes. He has been living at Ikhaya Labantu since 2019. When he uses the pedal exerciser, and is asked, William, where are you riding to?, his answer is, "I'm going home!"

Nonceba's testimony

"God has been so good to us. Ikhaya Labantu is a place of hope, peace and joy. When I came here to this place, things started to change in my life. I was broken, rejected and disappointed. I was even bitter and traumatised. Jesus made a way in me. The same as the residents of Ikhaya Labantu. We are families coming from different backgrounds and the pain is one. God has adopted us and restored us with peace. Perseverance and obedience are the best medicine for us. We are holding on to the cross. Jesus is the one that gives us strength. In September it will be one year since I came to live here and be part of the family of Ikhaya Labantu. Let us hold our hands together and win the battles and struggles of our lives. We are more than conquerors. If God is for us who can be against us. Come and join us at Ikhaya Labantu. We need each other; you cannot do anything on your own."



Carers' corner



Thandiwe has been a carer at Ikhaya Labantu since Feb.2021, having started off as a student carer in 2020. She lives in Khayelitsha.

SARS & Section 18A

Ikhaya Labantu has been registered as a PBO with SARS since January 2016. Over the last few years there have been some administrative lapses. We are working hard to re-attain full compliance with SARS, and are confident this will be achieved before the end of the year. We will thus be able to issue Section 18A tax certificates for the tax year ending Feb. 2022, thereby ensuring that your donations to Ikhaya Labantu are tax deductible.

If you would like a Section 18A certificate, please ensure that your donation is not anonymous, and contact us with all your details. Thank you!

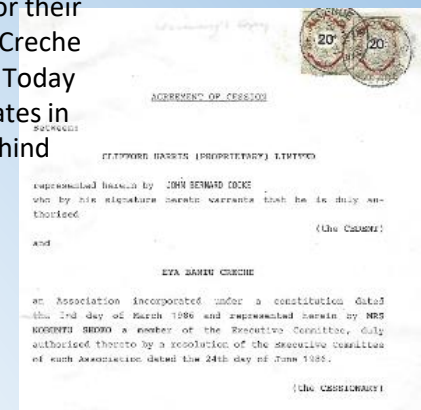
Could you commit to....?

- ...a once-off financial contribution to cover a current immediate need, like replenishment of gas for the kitchen, or to keep the lights on for the last part of the month, or to replace the broken chairs in the dining room, or to cover the shortfall of nappies for the next 2 weeks?
- ...a regular financial contribution to support our work through better pay for the carers and staff, more nourishing food for the residents, upkeep of the buildings, and various other ongoing needs?

Every donation is greatly needed and will be much appreciated. Thank you!

Snippet from the archives

It was in 1986 that Nobuntu (Mambona) first took occupation of the buildings that house Ikhaya Labantu today. Through an agreement of cession with Clifford Harris construction company - who had been using the buildings for their workers - Eyabantu Creche found its first home. Today the creche still operates in separate building behind Ikhaya Labantu.



Thank you for your prayers, care and support.

Ikhaya Labantu Homeless Shelter

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