



SANASE

*South African National Association
for Specialised Education*

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Dear Colleague

Welcome to Term 3 of the school year 2015. We trust that you all had a period of well-deserved rest and that you are prepared for all the exciting opportunities that this new school term may bring.

Please note that an electronic copy of this Newsletter is available on the SANASE Website @ www.sanase.org.

1. CURRICULUM WORKSHOP

SANASE hosted a very successful Curriculum Workshop at Carpe Diem School in George on 18 & 19 June 2015. The workshop provided a valuable opportunity to the National Department of Education to update provinces on the latest developments regarding the Skills Qualification and Learning Programmes for Special Schools in the country. The Workshop was attended by 403 delegates from all 9 (nine) provinces in South Africa. Feedback received from the delegates attending the workshop was very positive and many schools perceive this Skills and Vocational CAPS as a step in the right direction. The rationale for such a Skills & Vocational Learning Programme could be regarded as the culmination of years of dedicated work done by the SANASE Interprovincial Curriculum Committee (IPCC). Members of the National Curriculum Task Team under the leadership of Dr Moses Simelane and Ms Marie Schoeman formed part of the Workshop Programme. The presenters, all masters of their respective fields of expertise, competently shared invaluable knowledge with all members present. On publication for public comments all Special Schools will be invited to provide SANASE with input on the Skill & Vocational Learning Programme. SANASE will collate the information received from all schools into one discussion document which will be forwarded to the DBE. Please be advised that electronic versions of all presentations can be accessed on "Dropbox" using the following link <https://www.dropbox.com/login>.

It certainly was a heart-warming experience to have been part of this momentous event in the history of Special Education of the country. It always remains a privilege and an honour to be regarded as a member of the special education fraternity.

An excerpt from the local newspaper "George Herald".

George Herald
Donderdag 25 Junie, 2015

Progress on special needs curriculum

■ **Myron Rabinowitz**

During a workshop at Carpe Diem School on 18 and 19 June Dr Moses Simelane, the director of Inclusive Education at the Department of Basic Education, had some good news for the 400 delegates from 170 special needs schools. He said his department is in the final stages of developing a General Education and Training Certificate qualification and learning programme for pupils with intellectual disabilities. "This process is long overdue and has taken many years to get off the ground."

Andre Nel, chairman of the interprovincial curriculum committee of the South African Association of Special Education (SANASE), told the workshop that this conference is a milestone for pupils with special education needs. "The department has reached the halfway mark in compiling the curriculum for pupils that are in-

tellectually challenged and today we are assessing the progress that has been made. Your input will be taken into consideration."

The SANASE is a legal entity that supports institutions dealing with pupils with special needs. It enables the pupils to develop their potential towards responsible, meaningful and independent adulthood through the appropriate and relevant education and training systems.

Nel, who was the former headmaster of Randeor School in Mondeor, Gauteng, for almost 20 years before retiring at the end of 2014, said until now there has not been a curriculum and qualification specifically for these pupils. "The exciting part of the curriculum is that we envisage including skills vocational learning programmes that offer the pupils different career pathways such as plumbing and hairdressing that can contribute to alleviating the acute skills shortage in the country."



Karools Hauptfleisch (left), headmaster of Carpe Diem School, facilitators Andre Nel (SANASE) and Dr Moses Simelane (Department of Basic Education) and Trevor Ellis, headmaster of Van Kervel School, at the workshop assessing the development of a curriculum for schools catering for pupils with learning disabilities. Photo: Myron Rabinowitz

2. SANASE CONFERENCE 20 – 22 August 2015

Gauteng Province is honoured to host the 2015 SANASE Conference. The Local Organising Committee (LOC) endeavours to organise a Conference of high standards and would therefore like to thank all schools who registered for the Conference. Your attendance of the Conference will make a meaningful difference in the education of learners with specialised needs.

2.1 Conference Programme

A final Conference Programme will be forwarded to all delegates who have registered for the Conference.

2.2 Transport

The Premier Hotel provides a free shuttle service from the ***O.R Tambo Airport to the hotel and back***. It however is imperative that delegates complete the transport schedule and **fax it to the Premier Hotel by no later than 11 August 2015**. The contact details of the Premier Hotel have been included on the shuttle service booking form.

Please be advised that delegates who made alternative accommodation arrangements will have to organise their own means of transport for the duration of the Conference.

2.3 Election procedure 2015

SANASE National Elections will form part of the AGM. In order to ensure a fair election process all delegates will be expected to conform to the set standards for the election process. Members are therefore referred to the new SANASE Constitution, sections **No. 12** (ELECTIONS) in its entirety and **No. 9.2** (Elections & Term of Office).

- Every school registered with SANASE and attending the AGM will have **only two votes**. In the event of more than two members from a school attending the AGM, **only two** members must be mandated to exercise their votes on behalf of the school they are representing.
- Nomination forms will be included in the Conference resource pack.
- At registration each school will receive two tokens which later during the voting process could be exchanged for two ballot papers stamped with an original SANASE stamp.

2.4 Conduct Guidelines to be adhered to during the Annual General Meeting

Delegates attending the Conference are kindly requested to familiarise themselves with the following guidelines pertaining to conduct during the AGM:

- Come to the meeting with a positive attitude
- Be prompt in arriving to the meeting and returning from breaks.
- All matters raised must be directed to the person chairing the meeting. (Talk one at a time, waiting to be recognised by the chairperson)
- Limit side conversations.
- Respect time
- Be patient when listening to others and do not interrupt them.
- Value the input/views of others.
- Address any concerns about discussions or the meeting with the Chairperson. The Chairperson is tasked with the responsibility of bringing the meeting to order.

HAVE A GOOD TIME AND ENJOY EACH OTHER!

3. MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATES

The NEC would like to extend a warm word of welcome to all those schools that have joined SANASE in 2015. They, NEC members, would at the same time like to thank all those schools who have renewed their membership with SANASE. As a token of appreciation and loyalty shown towards its members, all member schools of SANASE will receive a framed copy of their membership certificate for 2015. These framed membership certificates will be handed out at the National Conference in August.

**PLEASE SHARE THE CONTENT OF THIS NEWSLETTER WITH COLLEAGUES FROM
SPECIAL SCHOOLS AND/OR FULL SERVICE SCHOOLS**

If you need any further information, please do not hesitate to contact the Administrator as per the contact details below.

Looking forward to meeting you in Gauteng on 20 August 2015!

Kind regards

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SANASE MEMBERSHIP PAID FOR 2015 (1 Jul 2014 to 31 July 2015)

*Schools indicated with * are schools with 50 - 100 learners*

*Schools indicated with ** are schools with less than 50 learners or Full Service Schools*

KZN

EASTERN CAPE	Payment Date	Browns School	07.09.2015
Arcadia	11.09.2015	Daniel Mzamo	31.07.2015
Amasango	23/04/2015	Ekukhanyeni	24.07.2015
Bayville	31.10.2014	Ekuthuthukeni	01.10.2015
Cape Recife	17.09.2015	Ethembeni	08.12.2014
Efata	02.12.2014	Ethel Mthiyane	14/04/2015
Ikwezi Lokusa	12.06.2015	Fulton	28.11.2014
J.J.Serfontein	27.10.2014	Inanda Spc Sch	04/03/2015
Kuyasa	27.01.2015	Inkanyezi	21.10.2014
Luthando Luvuyo	05.06.2015	Khulongolwazi	09.09.2015
Merryvale	03.02.2015	Kwa Vulindlebe	23.12.2014
Nolitha	09.09.2015	Mason Lincoln	07.09.2015
Nompumalanga	14.07.2015	Methodist Church	24.10.2014
Parkland	21.05.2015	Open Gate	01.06.2015
Protea **	28.11.2014	Pro Nobis	29.05.2015
Reubin Birin	17.10.2014	Reunion	25.05.2015
St Patrick's Sch	17/12/2014	St Martin De Porres	25.06.2015
Sigcau	31.07.2015	Stanger Training Centre	31.10.2014
Sive	25.07.2015	Sunfield Home **	16.10.2014
Sunshine	26.06.2015	The Kenmont	22.10.2014
Tsolo	23.07.2015	Tongaat	30.01.2015
Westview	21.01.2014	Vuleka	30.01.2015
		Vumanisabelo	13/03/2015
		West Park	01.06.2015
		YWCA	24.06.2015
		Zululand Remedial	16.10.2014

FREE STATE

Amari	28.05.2015
Böhmer	04.12.2014
Boitumelong	26.06.2015
Bophelong	04.05.2015
Fakkel	05.11.2014
Jimmie Roos	30.10.2014
Johan Slabbert	08.09.2015
Lettie Fouché	08.09.2015
Maluti Hoogland	07.05.2015
Pholoho	04.12.2014
Rosenhof *	30.09.2015
Thuso E Tla Tsoa Kae	04.02.2015

GAUTENG

Adelaide Tambo	16.05.2015
Bethesda	04.02.2015
Con Amore	19.11.2014
Coronation Training Centre	
Dominican	04.09.2015
Dr George Mukhari	
Hospital School	27.01.2015
Doug Whitehead	11.09.2015
Eureka School	21.05.2015
Felicitas	24.11.2014
Filadelfia	29.01.2015
Forest Town	12.11.2014
Frances Vorwerg	12/03/2015
Futura	02.12.2014
Goudveld Snr School	10.09.2015

Isipho Sethu	05.06.2015
Itumeleng LSEN	14.05.2015
Kalefong Middle Hospital *	12.12.2014
Kempton Panorama Sch	17/04/2015
Kwa Thema	11.09.2015
Magalies Spec School	11.11.2014
Matshediso School	23/03/2015
Medicos	22.05.2015
Mezodo Sch	11/03/2015
Nokuthula	24.06.2015
Nuwe Hoop	28.10.2014
Pro Practicum	14.09.2015
Randburg Clinic Sch	18.05.2015
Randeor School	12.02.2015
Rotara	07.11.2014
School of Achievement	10.09.2015
Sibonile	13.11.2014
Sizanani	11.06.2015
St Vincent	10.06.2015
Takalani	19.11.2014
Thaba Vuyo	29.09.2015
The Gateway	11.11.2014
The Hamlet	23.01.2015
Thembinkosi	27.11.2014
Transoranje	08.12.2014
Transvalia	30.01.2015
Tshegofatsong (Vaalrivier)	30.04.2015
Unica *	08.12.2014
Via Nova	02.12.2014
West Rand	11.11.2014
Winnie M.Mandela	28.05.2015
Zimelani	23.01.2015
Sizwile School	16/03/2015

NORTH WEST

Christiana School	21.10.2014
Daeraad *	05.11.2014
Development Institute for the Deaf & Blind	23.09.2014
DP Moloto	23.02.2015
Iteko Special School	17.02.2015
Janie Schneider	04.09.2015
Keurhof	07.11.2014
Kutlwang	19.11.2014
Leruthware	19.06.2015
Lillian Lehetla	09.12.2015
L M Mokoena	18.12.2014
Mahlakalo Special School	19.12.2014

Mmwekwa-Maseding	16/03/2015
Neo Mathabe	29.05.2015
Obed More	14/03/2015
Reatlegile Spec Sch	10/03/2015
Rekgonne Bapo	23.01.2015
Resomaretse	11.02.2015
Retlametswe	29.07.2015
Rorisang	24.06.2015
Temogo	31.01.2015
Temoso	14/04/2015

LIMPOPO

Asiphumelele *	10.12.2014
Benedict & Hope	10.12.2014
Bosele	12.12.2014
Botlokwa	24.11.2014
Fulufhelo	26.06.2015
Grace and Hope	17.02.2015
Helene Franz	05.12.2014
Ipelegeng	23.01.2015
Jane Furse	05.12.2014
Lebone **	15.12.2014
Letaba Special School	25.02.2015
Mahlasedi	08.12.2014
Matobule	17.12.2014
Mhinga	28.11.2014
Mmamakwa Spec School	20.02.2015
New Horizon Sch	06/03/2015
Pfunanani	08.09.2015
Ratanang	20.11.2014
Rethuseng **	18.11.2014
Rehlahleng	04.03.2015
Revoni School	04/05/2015
Sedibeng Combined *	20.01.2015
Siloe	24.11.2014
Susan Strijdom	04.06.2015
Tshilidzini Spec Sch	07.09.2015
Tshilwavhasiko	08.09.2015
Tsoga O Itirele School	11.02.2015
Yingisani	24/04/2015

MPUMALANGA

Basizeni	22.12.2014
Estralita Sch	10.09.2015
Masinakana	10.02.2015
Osizweni *	12.12.2014
Pelonolo	04.06.2015
Platorand	11.12.2014

Silindokuhle	04.06.2015
Thanduxolo	19.02.2015
Wolvenkop *	31.12.2014

WESTERN CAPE

Athlone School	18.09.2015
Alta du Toit	08.09.2015
Chere Botha Skool	22.10.2014
Eden Spec Sch	11.09.2015
Glenbridge Spc Sch	27/03/2015
Jan Kriel	15.09.2015
Lathi-Tha	05.05.2015
Lentegeur	30/03/2015
Molenbeek	16.10.2014

Ocean View Sch	03.12.2014
Ottery Youth Care **	12.01.2015
Paarl Skool	17.09.2015
Riebeeck Valley	21.09.2015
Tembaletu	10.11.2014
Vera School	23.09.2015
Weskusskool	09.12.2014

NORTHERN CAPE

OTHER

NC Bubu	21.10.2014
Sibiya	11.12.2015

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SHUTTLE SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS CONFERENCE 2015

1. SCHOOL PARTICULARS

NAME OF SCHOOL	
POSTAL ADDRESS	
POSTAL CODE	
PROVINCE	
TEL & CELL PHONE NO	
FAX NO	
E-MAIL ADDRESS	

2. HOTEL SHUTTLE SERVICE: PLEASE INDICATE YOUR TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS

NAME OF DELEGATE	AIRLINE	DATE & TIME OF ARRIVAL	DATE & TIME OF DEPARTURE
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			

Please note that the Vehicles are clearly marked with: "Premier Hotel O R Tambo" logos.

Domestic Arrivals – as you exit the terminal turn right and walk towards the "International Arrivals Terminal "Continue to the nearest pedestrian crossing. A sign "Public Transport" will be visible. Continue over the pedestrian crossing into the car Hire Foyer. Follow through the foyer until you exit into the "Shuttle pick-up Point"

PLEASE FAX OR E-MAIL THIS FORM TO LEANDRI KORFF AT PREMIER HOTEL O.R TAMBO AIRPORT
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We are looking forward to receiving you at the SANASE Conference in the "City of Gold"!