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Limpopo Government Celebrates International Children's Day

The Limpopo Provincial Government will this year celebrate the International Children's Day at Tshilidzini Special School, Shayandima within the Thulamela Municipality, Vhembe District on the 03rd November 2018. National Children's Day will be held under the theme ***"My Responsibility as a child in Nation Building: Creating a Caring Society"***.

The first Saturday of November has been declared as National Children's Day in South Africa. The aim of this day is to highlight the progress that is being made in the promotion and realisation of children's rights. Government has made a commitment to observe and honour this day in recognition of the children as the future leaders.

The main objectives of celebrating National Children's Day are:

- To create awareness and educate masses about the plight of children and ways of dealing with them.

- To ensure that children are not exploited and abused.
- To educate the public not to abuse give a practical meaning to pronouncements on children's rights as enunciated by the President and the Premier.

The National Children's Day celebration is targeting 1000 children. In celebrating this day, different institutions are invited to provide information about services they render to children. Departments such as Home Affairs, Health, Social Development, SASSA, SAPS and Education will be in attendance.

Details of the National Children's Day Celebration are as follows:

Date: 3th November 2018

Time: 08h00

Venue: Tshilidzini Special School, Shayandima
Thulamela Local Municipality, Vhembe District

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