

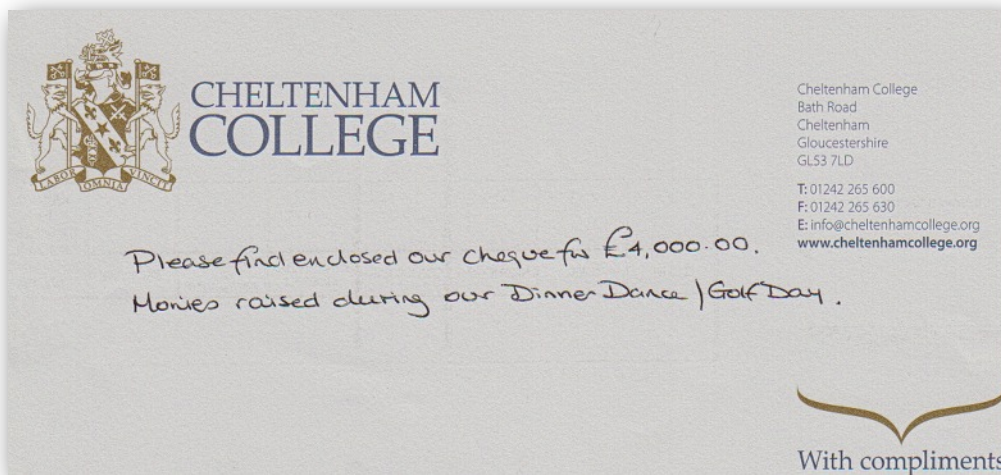


Newsletter

LANGA TOWNSHIP PRE-SCHOOL TRUST UK

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Cheltenham College Fund Raising



As reported in the last newsletter a cheque for £4,000 has now been received and will support building development. During the August College rugby trip to Cape Town a visit was made to Dalukhanyo Pre-School, to be reported later.

Dinner at the Red Lion



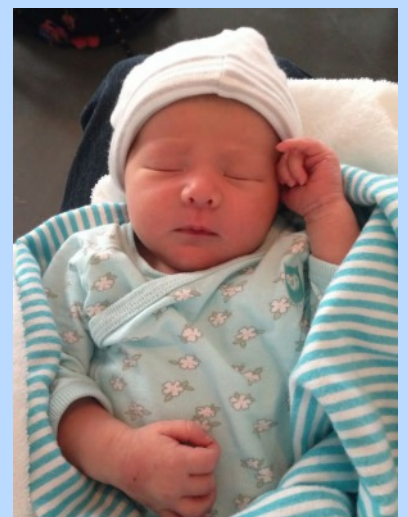
Sixteen happy people following their subscription dinner at the Red Lion, Hemel Hempstead. The occasion, including a raffle and other donations, after expenses, made a contribution of £211 to the Langa Township Pre-School Trust funds.

News from Cape Town

Louise has sold Baobab Travel to Liesel, and returns to her environmental work. Liesel has merged Uluntu into Baobab, which retains its Fair Trade status and its involvement with the Dalukhanyo Pre-School as a social responsibility project.

Liesel is now a mother, Ana Marie Mayne being born on 30th July.

Louise and Liesel have made it possible for LTPT to make its contribution to Langa Township and we wish Louise well and are grateful that Liesel will continue with our work



Liesel's newborn daughter, Ana Marie

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Good morning Gordon

Thank you very much for this report and congratulations on a productive year for the LTPT group. We note the very good work you are doing to help at Dalukhanyo and now another crèche has been added. May the work of the Trust grow from strength to strength for the benefit of the children of Langa and surrounding communities.

Best wishes

"Thank You" email



The End of a Four Month Trial

Last April, our nine year old computer died on us. It took weeks for a new computer to be sorted out. The data could not be downloaded from the old hard drive without special reconstruction work on a test-rig.

At last, early in September we were able to install the new computer as shown here with Jeff Wallis in our study performing the final commissioning of the equipment .

"Thank You" from Dalukhanyo Administrator

When we three Trustees and the Patron, Bob Parsons, visited the Pre-School last February, Yolisa presented us with a lovely appreciation, in her folder of thoughts, facts and photos. Parts of this folder are shown below. Thank you also to all the friends of LTPT who are making possible our continuing contribution to the children and staff.



Christmas Card 2014

Our 2014 card is a design by Jeff Wallis based on a photo by See-Saw-Do during a pre-schools decoration initiative (see Newsletter 8). The seasonal greetings inside are in English, Afrikaans and Xhosa. The card size is A6, with envelopes to match. These are now in stock. The cost is 40p for a single card and £1.60 for a pack of 5. We will re-order if necessary. If interested, please send in your order but you don't need to pay until you receive the cards.



Latest spend

We have purchased fleeces and nappies for the youngest children in Dalukhanyo Pre-School and also first aid supplies. Shortly we will pay for the weekly delivery of vegetables for the next six months for the 240 children at the two Langa Pre-Schools supported by LTPT.

Financial Outcome 2013-14

The August audit confirmed as follows:

Income £11,676

Expenditure £5,525

Surplus £6150

Bank balance £7,431

Forthcoming Events

12th December: Christmas party at St Paul's Church Hall, Hemel Hempstead, 7.00pm onwards. This follows last year's highly successful evening. 'One Night Stand' will play for us again, there will be a 3 course meal with a glass of wine. Tickets £15 each.

22nd January: Subscription Dinner at Alberto's, when we will be joined by the Mayor and Mayoress of Dacorum; 3 course Italian meal, £25 per person.

13th March: international jazz star, Tina May, will sing and support LTPT at the Old Town Hall, Hemel Hempstead, 7.30pm onwards - tickets £14, concessions £12.

Please let us know asap which of these events you may wish to attend.

Recent events

Forty golfers enjoyed glorious weather on 14th July at Whipsnade Park Golf club and £1,500 was raised for LTPT.

Our Reception on 25th July was attended by sixteen people, who saw a short slide display, shared a glass of wine and heard and discussed a talk on 'Apartheid and the Faith Groups.'



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