



MEDIA INVITE
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MATATIELE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY EMBRACE CULTURAL DIVERSITY DURING HERITAGE MONTH

Matatiele Local Municipality in collaboration with Alfred Nzo District Municipality and Mehlooding Community Trust will on the 22nd to 23rd of September commemorate the 2023 Heritage and Tourism Month at Ditichereng in Ward 14 under the theme, *“Celebrating our cultural diversity in a democratic South Africa”*.

Annually, the month of September marks Heritage month by showcasing the nation’s diverse culture and heritage. During this month South Africans celebrate many diverse cultures and rich heritage which incorporates other neighbouring countries.

The event which started in 2010 and continues to attract tourists from Lesotho, Cape Town and Durban will entail a visit to Mariazell Mission, rock art at Malekhalonyane and storytelling about Chief Moshoeshoe at Makhulong Chalet in Ward 13. The second day will involve horse racing, indigenous games, traditional dance and music, scholarship award and various addresses including Matatiele Local Municipality Mayor, Cllr. Sonwabile Mngelena.

Members of the Media are invited to cover the event which is scheduled to take place as follows:

Date : 22 - 23 September 2023
Time : 10H00
Venue : Ditichereng, Ward 14, Matatiele

-Ends –

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