

AfriSam: "Education a priority for us"

LICHTENBURG - The leading black-controlled construction materials group AfriSam has made another generous donation towards education in the North West Province.

As part of the Company's corporate social responsibility commitment, AfriSam made substantial renovations to a early childhood development centre, the Boitshepo Day Care Centre in the Tlhabologang-township, Coligny. Responding to the needs of the local

community, AfriSam undertook in August to renovate the Boitshepo Day Care Centre.

Construction started in August and as part of the upgrade all the classrooms received new ceilings, a fresh coat of paint, new curtains, writing boards, carpets and stationary - everything that is needed for optimal early childhood development.

AfriSam also constructed ablution facilities, developed a playing area complete with Jungly Gym, swing and Seesaw.

The official handover of the school to the community took place on Friday 29 October in an event which included stakeholders such as the Mayor of the Ditsobotla Municipality, the Regional Director of Education and the MEC and Deputy Minister of Human Settlements.

"AfriSam is a conscientious and responsible manufacturer and we are intensely aware of the role we can play in social and community development," said Reinhardt Swart, General Manager of the AfriSam Dudfield plant. "One of the focus areas of our corporate social responsibility programme is education, which has always remained a priority in terms of the percentage of funding that it receives, event in the pre-school phase".



HAPPY CHILDREN from the Boitshepo Day Care Centre in Coligny.