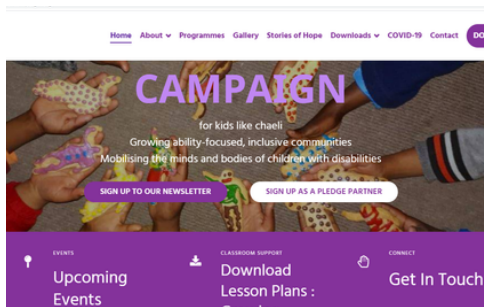


THE CHAELI CAMPAIGN NEWS

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE LIFE OF THE CHAELI CAMPAIGN

As the country moves to Level 2 Lockdown we have seen some changes at The Chaeli Campaign. Our staff have returned to the office and our community workers will soon start with regular visits to their clients in the community. Have a look at what else we have been up to this month...



A BRAND NEW LOOK FOR OUR WEBSITE

If you haven't visited our new website then you are in for a treat!

Our **DOWNLOADS** section includes some really helpful resources for teachers, carers, facilitators and parents alike, as well as videos from past episodes of **CONVERSATIONS WITH CHAELI**. (See details below for the upcoming episode).

We are excited to relaunch our "Stories of Hope" section where we will be sharing the incredible journey's of individuals who have been involved with The Chaeli Campaign over the past 16 years.

Visitors to our website will also be able to stay up to date with upcoming events.

Head on over to www.chaelicampaign.org and see for yourself.



BECOME A PLEDGE PARTNER IN OUR 3000IN30 CAMPAIGN

Did you know that approximately 15% of the population is living with a disability or impairment? That is approximately 1 billion people. In South Africa alone there are approximately 3 million people with disabilities.

At The Chaeli Campaign we have worked hard over the past 16 years to make a positive impact in the lives of children living with disabilities, as well as in their communities.

This past year we have reached over 9000 beneficiaries, 204 schools, 134 organisations, 1095 people with disabilities and 182 communities.

We need your assistance to be able to continue making a difference by signing up as a Pledge Partner in our 3000 in 30 Campaign.

Visit www.3000in30.com to sign up.



FRESH PRODUCE FOR OUR COMMUNITIES

On 20 August Rosemary, Debbie and our community worker, Bukiwe, handed over food parcels to families in Masiphumelele. Each of the families have a family member living with a disability.

The food parcels includes oranges, potatoes, butternut, onions and cabbage.

Since the start of lockdown we have been able to provide fresh produce and non-perishable items to 26 families in Masiphumelele, 24 ECD Centres in Philippi and to Hazel's soup kitchen in Lavender Hill.

Thank you to everyone who has supported our #FeedingFamilies initiative. Find out below how you can support.

SPOTLIGHT ON...

Chris Kleynhans joined the Chaeli Cottage Pay-it-Forward Ambassador programme when he was 11 years old. Now 17, he is a mentor to younger Pay-it-Forward Ambassadors. In 2015 Chris registered his own NPO, Swim for Change, which hosts swimathons to raise funds and awareness for Mental Health.

We are so incredibly proud of Chris and his achievements to date. He is a Silver Presidents award recipient, a 2019/2020 Kids Rights International Peace Prize nominee and a 2020 Global Teen Leader (part of the We Are Family Foundation's Three Dot Dash program).

Swim For Change has partnered with SACAP to create mental health workshops which are presented to schools, as well as with Read to Rise and donates literacy kits to schools in Cape Town.

Chris has been working closely with the Commissioner for Children to implement mental health policies in South African schools and to monitor the implementation of the 2020 - 2030 National Youth Policy.

Keep it up Chris. You are doing amazing things and you are making a huge impact in your community and in the world!

HOW TO SUPPORT THE CHAELI CAMPAIGN...

We are so grateful for the support we have received over the past 16 years. With your assistance we are able to continue making a difference in the lives of children and people with disabilities.

Your support through online giving will ensure that we can continue serving the communities we work with.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

VIRTUAL PARENT BOOSTER SESSIONS

TOPIC: Dealing with loss - Exploring how parents deal with loss, as it relates to having a child with a disability and how to recover from painful experiences.

DATE: Saturday, 26 September at 10h00 and Tuesday, 29 September at 14h00

Email kirsten@chaelicampaign.org for login details.

CONVERSATIONS WITH CHAELI

Five years ago Chaeli became the first female quadraplegic to summit Mount Kilimanjaro. This month she will be reuniting with Team Awesome as they journey back to their adventure of a lifetime.

DATE: Saturday, 19 September
TIME: 16h00 SAST / 10h00 EST

Email chaeli@chaelicampaign.co.za to register.

ART & POETRY COMPETITION



THEME:
What does
FREEDOM mean
to you?

Entries close on
25 September
2020

VIRTUAL QUIZ NIGHTS

Join us for our monthly virtual quiz night.

For only R120 per team you are guaranteed a fun evening with family and friends.

Email events@chaelicampaign.co.za to be added to the quiz night database.