

# TWILIGHT CHILDREN NEWSLETTER

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## Mandela Day

Mandela Day has come and gone bringing with it the usual flurry of much needed gifts and goodies. Even though this year was not as good as other years-possibly because the day fell on a weekend-The spirit of giving still lingers and that is the legacy that Tata left us with. Lets Narture it!

However-all is not lost-it is still "Mandela Month" if you missed your chance on the day- still come and do your 67 minutes. Your input is still valuable, lets help the less fortunate.

## IT Centre - Partnerships & Initiatives

We have this wonderful fully equipped facility for which we seek partnerships. Even though we are utilising this facility-truth be told-We can certainly do more with it. There is an opportunity for greater capacity utilisation and community development- Come work with us to touch many lives-Lets make a difference.



Partnerships  
Opportunities  
also available in  
Pottery & Bead  
Work.



## CHILD AND YOUTH CARE CENTRE - SECTOR CRISIS

Our sector is facing a grave crisis with many threatened by closure as a result of the implementation of the Children's Act and the supporting funding models.

Drastic cuts have been made in funding and many shelters and Centres may not see past September 2015. We need urgent-urgent support to continue operations-while we engage stakeholders on lasting solutions.

It is a very challenging time. A lot of the children in our care no longer qualify for funding and we are forced to send them "Home" only for them to return to the streets immediately.

We have set a "ticking time bomb". The number of children living on the streets is set to explode again. At this rate the capacity to absorb children living on the streets will be lost forever. -

## Help Prevent This! Support our Cause !

## "Save our Children's Shelters"

Please view our Google + Pages:  
<https://plus.google.com/u/0/b/101265657653350817733/+TwilightChildrenJohannesburg/posts>

& our special appeal video on Youtube Link:  
<https://youtu.be/TUdC3qLNh2c>

For more Details Please visit or website: [www.twilightchildren.co.za](http://www.twilightchildren.co.za)

For our wish-list please follow this link:

<http://www.twilightchildren.co.za/downloads/wishlists.html>