

Langeberg's Top Agri workers honoured at awards ceremony

Raymond Weels, a worker at Graham Beck Wines was crowned the winner of the recent Prestige Agri Awards. He was also the winner in the Technical Operator Category.



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Agri Worker of the Year 2016

Another competitive Western Cape Prestige Agri Awards was held this year, the most coveted prize going to Raymond Weels of Graham Beck Wines.

A special characteristic of the top winner is that he has been entering his products into this competition since its inception in Langeberg in 2008.

When Willem Mouries, master of ceremonies at this year's awards ceremony announced this year's champion Agri Worker in the Langeberg region, the crowd went ecstatic.

This was the ninth time this competition, held at the Callie de Wet Hall in Robertson on Thursday 1 September, was held in the Langeberg region.

The 2016 event was hosted this year by the Department of Agriculture, supermarket chain Shoprite, the Langeberg Municipality, Breerivier, together with the Winelands Rural Development Association hosted the 2016 Prestige Agri Awards.

It had a record number of 85 nominees from 22 farms in the Langeberg municipal area.

Weels was met by a roar of applause and a standing ovation from the 270-strong audience as he made his way to the stage to collect his award. He was hailed especially by local farm owners and other dignitaries. They were happy had finally happened for him, that a long-awaited moment had been realised in a beautiful fashion.

A technical operator at Graham Beck Wines, having worked there since 2004, Weels explained he is overjoyed to have finally reaped the rewards of his hard work and dedication.

"For me, my main goal was to be an overall winner of this competition," he said. "I believed in myself and never gave up. Thank you all for this massive opportunity and the award. It means so much to me."

Asked about the characteristics required to be a regional winner, he responded:

"You need to be humble, stick to your goals, create action plans, believe in yourself and have faith in the fact that with God by your side, anything is possible."

Weels concluded by mentioning that everyone who participated in the competition is a winner, regardless of whether they won a prize or not.

The Agriworkers competed in a wide range of categories this year and the winners are: General Worker (Rosemene Kleynhans – Graham Beck Wines); Irrigation Specialist (Kevin Deelman - Lucerne); Tractor Driver (Willie Fortuin – De Wetshof Estate); Animal Production (Fumanekile Mpiko – Highlands Stud); Technical Operator (Raymond Weels – Graham Beck Wines); Administration Personnel (Linda Willemse – Mooiuitsig); Social Development (Elsabe Guma - Excelsior); Foreman (Fakier Neethling – Highlands Stud); Junior Management (Mintoor Booysen – Windkraal) and Middle Management (Faiz Neethling – Riverside – Van Loveren).

The award to the Agri-Worker who showed the Best Potential went to Dawid Karelse of Weltevrede Estate (pictured left). The Best Performing Farm went to Highlands Stud. The Montagu School of Dancing and the Robertson Harmonic Youth Band entertained the guests with spectacular performances.

Executive Mayor of Langeberg Henry Hansen spoke of his own background as a former farmworker. He related how, despite coming from very humble beginnings, he had dreamt of one day becoming the first citizen of Langeberg, and realised it. Jansen made it clear to the participants they can achieve their desired dreams if they worked hard, set goals and believed in themselves.



Agriwerker van die jaar 2016

Nog 'n mededingende Wes-Kaap Prestige Agritoekennings is vanjaar gehou, met die gesogte prys wat gegaan het aan Raymond Weels van Graham Beck Wyne.

'n Spesiale eienskap van die topwenner is dat hy reeds sedert die begin van die kompetisie in die Langeberg, in 2008, elke jaar deelneem.

Toe Willem Mouries, seremoniemeester by vanjaar se Toekenningseremonie vanjaar se kampioen Agriwerker in die Langeberg-streek aankondig, het die gehoor in ekstase geraak.

Die seremonie is by die Callie de Wet-saal in Robertson gehou op Donderdag 1 September. Hierdie is die negende keer dat die kompetisie in die Langeberg-streek gehou is.

Vir vanjaar se kompetisie is 85 mense genomineer van 22 verskillende plase in die Langeberg munisipale gebied. Die seremonie is deur 270 gaste bygewoon.

Toe Weels opgestap het verhoog toe om sy prys in ontvangs te neem, het alle deelnemers, plaaslike plaas-eienaars en ander eregaste opgestaan en luid vir hom hande geklap. Uiteindelik het dit vir hom gebeur. Dit was die langverwagte oomblik waarvoor Weels al vir verskeie jare gewerk het en hy het dit op 'n besondere manier waargemaak en 'n staande toejuiging van die gehoor ontvang.

Die departement van landbou, saam met Shoprite, Langeberg-munisipaliteit en die Breërivier Wynland Landelike Ontwikkelingsvereniging was die gashere van die 2016 Prestige Agritoekennings.

Weels is tans 'n tegniese operateur en werk reeds sedert 2004 by Graham Beck Wyne. Hy sê hy is heeltemal oorweldig deur die feit dat hy uiteindelik die vrugte gepluk het van sy harde werk en toewyding.

"My hoofdoel was om die algehele wenner van die kompetisie te wees. Ek het in myself geglo en nooit opgegee nie. Dankie aan almal vir hierdie groot

geleentheid en vir die toekenning. Dit beteken baie vir my," het hy gesê.

Toe hy gevra word wat die nodige eienskappe is om 'n streekswenner te wees, het hy gesê: "Jy moet nederig wees, by jou doelwitte hou, aksieplanne in werking stel, in jouself glo en die geloof hê dat met God aan jou kant, enigiets moontlik is."

Weels het ook genoem dat almal wat aan die kompetisie deelgeneem het 'n wenner is, of hulle 'n prys gewen het of nie.

Die Agriwerkers het vanjaar in 'n wye reeks kategorieë deelgeneem en die wenner is as volg: Algemene werker (Rosemene Kleynhans – Graham Beck Wyne); Besproeiingspesialis (Kevin Deelman - Lucerne); Trekkerdrywer (Willie Fortuin – De Wetshof Landgoed); Diereproduksie (Fumanekile Mpiko – Highlands Stoet); Tegniese operateur (Raymond Weels – Graham Beck Wyne); Administrasiepersoneel (Linda Willemse – Mooiuitsig); Sosiale ontwikkeling (Elsabe Guma - Excelsior); Voorman (Fakier Neethling – Highlands Stoet); Junior bestuur (Mintoor Booysen – Windkraal) en Middelbestuur (Faiz Neethling – Riverside – Van Loveren).

Die toekenning vir die Agriwerker wat die meeste potensiaal getoon het is gewen deur Dawid Karelse van Weltevrede Landgoed (foto links). Die beste presterende plaas is Highlands Stoet. Die gaste is trakteer op besondere opvoerings deur die Montagu Dansskool (bo) en die Robertson Harmoniese Jeugorkes.

Die uitvoerende burgemeester van die Langeberg-munisipaliteit, raadslid Henry Jansen, het oor sy agtergrond as 'n vorige plaaswerker gesels. Ofskoon hy 'n nederige agtergrond het, het hy 'n droom gehad om eendag die eerste burger van die Langeberg te word en hy het dit reggekry, het hy verduidelik. Jansen het dit aan die deelnemers duidelik gemaak dat hulle ook hulle drome kan bewaarheid deur harde werk, die daarstel van doelwitte en deur in hulself te glo.



Umsebenzi wezoLimo kaNyaka ka2016

Olunye ukhuphiswano lweNtshona Koloni Lwezinga Eliphezulu lweMbasa zezoLimo lubanjwe kulonyaka, elona bhaso linjongwe ngamehlo abomvu liye ku-Raymond Weels wakwaGraham Beck Wines.

Uphawu olukhethekileyo lothe waphumelela emagqabini lelo lokuba walungena olukhuphiswano ukususela okoko lwaqalisayo eLangeberg ngo2008.

Xa uWillem Mouries, nobengumphathi-theko waloMsitho wokunikezelwa kweMbasa evakalisa intshantsheli yalo nyaka enguMsebenzi wezoLimo kule ngqila yaseLangeberg, eso sihlwele siye sagcwala luvuyo.

Lomsitho ububanjelwe kwiHolo i-Callie de Wet eRobertson ngoLwesine umhla woku-1 Septemba 2016. Eli lityeli lesithoba lomsitho ubanjelwa kule ngqila yaseLangeberg.

Umsitho ka2016 wona uyewabalasela ngokuba kubhaliswe abatyunjwa abangama-85 abaphuma kwiifama ezingama-22 ezahlukeneyo kulenginqi kaMasipala waseLangeberg. Lomsitho ubuzinyaswe ziindwendwe ezingama-270.

Ngexesha uWeels esiyokukhwela eqongeni kuba eyokwamkela imbasa yakhe, bonke abo bebethath' inxaxheba, abanini zifama basekuhlaleni kunye nezinye iindwalutho zaphakama zimqwabela izandla ngamandla. Ekugqibeleni ide yenzeka nakuye. Lona ngumzuzu ebekukade ewulindlele uWeels nawusebenzele iminyaka, kwaye wabuqonda ubuhle bawo xakanye esosihlwele besilapho simnika intlonipho sisima ngenyawo simqwabela izandla.

Icandelo: lezoLimo, kunye noShoprite, noMasipala waseLangeberg, kunye neQumru Lokuphuhliso lifama Zewayini zasemaPhandleni lase-Breerivier, ngabo abasingathe Lomsitho ka-2016 Wezinga Eliphezulu Lweembasa kwezoLimo.

UWeels, nekungoku ungumsebenzi wobugcisa, usebenzele abakwaGraham Beck ukususela ngo-2004. Ucacise ukuba uyivuyele kakhulu into yokuba ekugqibeleni avune umvuzo wokusebenza kwakhe nzima kwanokuzinikezela.

"Kum, eyona njonga ibiphambili ibukukuba ndibe ngophumelele ngaphezu kwabo bonke kolu khuphiswano. Ndiyakholelwa kwisiqu sam kwaye andizange ndinikezele. Ndiyanibulela nonke ngelithuba likhulu kangaka kwanangale mbasa. Ithe tha lukhulu kum," utshilo.

Xa ebebuzwa ngeempawu ezidingekayo ukuze ubani abenokuphumelela kwi-zinga lengqila uphendule wathi: Kufuneka uthobekwe, unamathele kwiinjongo zakho, uzenzele izigcwangciso ozakusebenza ngazo, ukholelwe kuwe, ubenokholo kwinyaniso yokuba uThixo engakuwe, nantoni na ingenzeka".

UWeels uqukumbele ngokuchaza okokuba wonke ubani ebethathe inxaxheba kolukhuphiswano ungophumeleleyo, ekungakhathaliseki nokuba ulifumene ibhaso okanye akulifumenanga.

Abasebenzi bezoLimo bakhuphisene kwintlobontlobo zamahlelo awohlukeneyo kulo unyaka kwaye abophumeleleyo ngaba balandelayo: Umsebenzi Jikelele (nguRosemene Kleynhans – wakwaGraham Beck Wines), Ingcutshe Yemibhobho yo-

kunkcenkcetshela ehamba phantsi Komhlaba (nguKevin Deelman - wakwaLucerne), Umqhubi Wetelele (nguWillie Fortuin – wakwaDe Wetshof Estate), Umvelisi Wezilwanyana (nguFumanekile Mpiko – wakwaHighlands Stud), Osebenza Ngobugcisa (nguRaymond Weels - wakwaGraham Beck Wines), uMlawuli wabaSebenzi (nguLinda Willemse - wakwaMooiuitsig), uMphuhlisi woLuntu (nguElsabe Guma - wakwaExcelsior), Umphathi wabaSebenzi (nguFakier Neethling – wakwaHighlands Stud), uMlawuli Omncinane (nguMintoor Booysen - wakwaWindkraal) kunye noMlawuli Ophakathi (nguFaiz Neethling – wakwaRiverside – Van Loveren).

Imbasa yoMsebenzi wezoLimo Obonakalise Isakhono Esihle liye kuDawid Karelse ophuma kwabakwaWeltevrede Estate. Laze eleFama Eqhuba Kakuhle laye kwaHighlands Stud.

Isikolo saseMontagu sabadanisi kwakunye neQela Labaculi loLutsha laseRobertson bonwabise ezondwendwe ngento engumbono omangalisayo.

USodolophu weSigqeba kuMasipala waseLangeberg, uCeba uHenry Jansen, uthethe ngemvelaphi yakhe leyokuba wayengumsebenzi wasefama. Ucacise ukuba, noxanje esuka kwisigqala esasiphantsi, wayenephupha lokuba ngenye imini abengummi wokuqala waseLangeberg kwaye lonto wayiphumelela. UHansen uyenze yacaca gca kwabathathi nxaxheba into yokuba bangawafezekisa amaphupha abawangwenelayo ukuba basebenza nzima, bazibekela iinjongo futhi bayakholelwe kwiziqu zabo.

Langeberg-munisipaliteit vier Boomplantweek

Ashbury Library nearly complete

***Almost 10 000 people can look forward to benefiting from the invaluable services that will be provided by the Ashbury Library (in Montagu), as this project enters its final phase of construction.**

An amount of R6,1 million was allocated by the Provincial Library Services for the implementation of this project. The construction is taking place on the corner of Eike and Wilge Avenues.

According to Christa Joubert, Librarian at Langeberg Municipality, erecting a library in Ashbury became a necessity when the need for information and literacy was self-evident at other two nearby libraries.

Joubert mentioned that literacy is a big challenge affecting the lives of several people within the region. "The purpose of any library is to empower people to be able to become meaningful citizens in a developing country," Joubert pointed out. "Children will be able to walk to the library for information, projects, story books and educational activities.

"Reading is fundamental to function in today's society. In lots of day-to-day activities that many people take for granted, reading is required. Without this vital skill it becomes a source of frustration, anger and fear."

The library will be equipped with the following:

- Computers with Internet connectivity
- Photocopy facilities
- Fiction and non-fictional books in three different languages
- Magazines and newspapers
- CDs
- DVDs
- Educational programs for children
- Computer training



- Study facilities
- Help with school projects

Children and young adults will now have access to computers to familiarise themselves with the basic MS Office suites. This will help with job searches, typing of CVs and applying for jobs. Students will be able to search for valuable information on their projects

and school children can do their assigned projects. Patrons will be able to use social media for recreational purposes and to stay connected with friends and family.

Joubert says any person is limited in what they can accomplish without a good reading ability and comprehension skills. "People feel isolated when they are illiterate. Understanding the meaning of words is

crucial for developing a good self-image," she said.

Reading is important for children because words, both spoken and written, are the building blocks of life. What you become in the future will depend on the words you currently associate yourself with.

The project is expected to be completed by 18 November 2016.

Ashbury-biblioteek amper voltooi

Sowat 10 000 mense kan daarna uitsien om voordeel te trek uit die waardevolle dienste wat deur die Ashbury-biblioteek, wat nou sy finale fase van konstruksie betree, sal bied.

'n Bedrag van R6,1 miljoen is deur die provinsiale biblioteekdienste toegeken vir die implementering van dié projek. Die konstruksie vind op die hoek van Eike- en Wilgelaan plaas.

Volgens Christa Joubert, bibliotekaris by die Langeberg-munisipaliteit, was die bou van 'n biblioteek in Ashbury noodsaaklik ná die behoefte aan inligting en geletterdheid duidelik geword het by twee nabygeleë biblioteke.

Joubert noem dat geletterdheid 'n groot uitdaging is wat die lewens van talle mense in die streek raak. "Die doel van enige biblioteek is om mense te bemagtig om betekenisvolle inwoners van 'n ontwikkelende land te word. Kinders sal na die biblioteek kan stap vir inligting, projekte, storieboeke en opvoedkundige aktiwiteite.

"Om te lees is fundamenteel om in vandag se same-

lewing te funksioneer. In baie dag-tot-dag aktiwiteite wat baie mense as vanselfsprekend aanvaar, is dit nodig om te lees. Sonder hierdie noodsaaklike vaardigheid word dit 'n bron van frustrasie, woede en vrees," sê Joubert.

Die biblioteek sal toegerus word met die volgende:

- Rekenaars met internet-verbinding
- Fotokopieringfasiliteite
- Fiksie- en nie-fiksieboeke in drie verskillende tale.
- Tydskrifte en koerante
- CD's
- DVD's
- Opvoedkundige programme vir kinders
- Rekenaaropleiding
- Studiefasiliteite



Ithala-leencwadi laseAshbury Sekukufutshane Ligqitywe

Phantse babeli-10 000 abantu abanokujonga phambili kwinzuzo yeenkonzo yexabiso ezakubonelelwa lithala-leencwadi laseAshbury (eMontagu), nanjengokuba leprojeki ingena kwi-sigaba sokugqibela sokwakhiwa.

Isixa-mali esingangama-R6.1 ezigidi yabelwe li-Sebe lePhondo leeNkonzo zamaThala-eencwadi ukuze kwenziwe leprojeki.

Ukwakhiwa kuqhubeka kwikona yendlela i-Eike kunye neWilge.

Ngokutsho kukaChrista Joubert, umsebenzi weThala-leencwadi(uNcncwadi) kuMasipala was-eLangeberg, ukwakha ithwala-leencwadi eAshbury kube yinto edingekayo xa imfuneko yolwazi kunye nokubhala yayibonakala kumanye amathala-eencwadi amabini akufutshane.

UJoubert uchaze ukuba ukubhala ngumcelimngeni omkhulu nochaphazela iimpilo yesininzi sabantu kule ngqila.

"Iinjongo zalo naliphi na ithala-leencwadi kuku-xhobisa abantu ukuze babenakho ukuba ngabemi abalulutho kwilizwe eliphuhlayo.

Abantwana bazakukwazi ukuza kwithala-leencwadi bezele ukufuna ulwazi, ukwenza iiprojekti, iincwadi zamabali kunye nezinye izinto ezin-gemfundo.

"Ukufunda sisisekelo sokuba ukwazi ukusebenza noluntu lwanamhlanje. Kwizinto ezininzi ezenzeka imihla ngemihla nabathi abantu bangazithatheli ngqalelo, ukufunda kuba yinto efunekayo. Ngaphandle kwesisakhono sibaluleke kangaka xa ungenaso kungabangela unxungaphale, udandatheke kunye ubenoloyiko," utshilo uJoubert.

Elithala-leencwadi lizaxhoba ngezi zinto ziland-

delayo:

- likhompuyutha ezingena kwintanethi.
- Oomatshini bokwenza iikopi
- Iincwadi zeentsomi kunye nezamabali enyani ngeelwimi ezi-3 ezahlukeneyo
- Iimagazini namaphephandaba
- iCD
- iDVD
- Iinkqubo zokufundisa kwabantwana
- Computer Training/Uqeqeshelo lwekhompuyutha

■ Iindawo zokufundela

■ Uncedo kwiiprojekti zesikolo

Abantwana kunye nabadala abasebatsha ngoku bazakwazi ukusebenzisa iikhompuyutha ukuze babenakho ukuziqhelanisa nezozinto zisisisekelo zokusebenza e-Ofisini. Oku kuzakubanceda ekufuneni umsebenzi, ukuzenzela i-CV kunye nokufaka izicelo zokufuna imisebenzi. Abafundi bakutsho bakwazi ukuzifunela nolwazi olubalulekileyo ngeeprojekti abazenzayo nabantwana besikolo bazokwazi ukwenza ezabo iiprojekti zesikolo. Abantu abangabaxhumi lethala-leencwadi bazokwazi ukusebenzisa amacwecwe okuqhangamshelana noluntu ngeenjongo zokuzonwabisa ukuze bahlale benxulumene nezihlobo kunye neentsapho zabo.

Nawuphi na umntu ulinganiselwe, wongezelele njalo uJoubert, kwinto anokuyiphumelela ngaphandle kwezakhono zokwazi ukufunda ngokufanelekileyo kunye nokuqonda. "Abantu baye bazive ngokungathi bachwethelwa ecaleni xa bengafundanga. Ukuqonda intsingiselo yamagama kubaluleke kakhulu ekuphuhliseni umntu onguye," utshilo uJoubert.

Ukufunda kubalulekile kakhulu ebantwaneni ngoba amagama, athethwayo nalawo abhalwayo, azisiseko zokwakha ubomi. Into oyakubayiyo ebomini ixhomekeke kumagama ozinxulumanisa kunye nawo ngoku.

Le projekti kulindeleke igqitywe ngomhla we-18 Novemba 2016.



SPEAK UP!

What are the needs in your community?

Take part in your community's development

IDP Integrated Development Plan for 2017 to 2021

is a 5 year plan to improve & develop the community of Langeberg Municipality.

Langeberg municipality is in the process of drafting the 4th generation IDP.

This will be the 5 year plan which will provide guidance on how the municipality will be of service to the community.

We would like to encourage the community to actively participate in the affairs of the municipality, by providing us with valuable inputs concerning the needs in your community.

Submit your inputs:

on the infrastructure and services needed in your area.
(Specify the location & possible solution that you may have in mind.)

BEFORE 30 NOVEMBER 2016

How to submit your inputs:

- Email:** idp@langeberg.gov.za
- Write a letter:** and place it in the dedicated IDP box at your nearest Langeberg municipal office
- Message us on Social Media:**
Facebook: Langeberg Municipality
Twitter: Langeberg_Muni
- Langeberg Municipal website:** <http://www.langeberg.gov.za/complaintsqueries>
- Reply to any Municipal SMS** (R1.50 per sms)
- Speak to your ward committee representative or ward councillor** to submit your inputs on your behalf: ↓

PRAAT MET ONS!

Wat is die behoefte in jou gemeenskap?

Raak deel van jou gemeenskap se ontwikkeling

GOP Geïntegreerde Ontwikkelings Plan vir 2017 tot 2021

is a 5 jaar plan om die gemeenskap van Langeberg Munisipaliteit te ontwikkel & verbeter.

Langeberg munisipaliteit is in die proses om die 4de generasie GOP op te stel.

Dit is 'n 5 jaar plan wat leiding gee hoe die munisipaliteit van diens aan die gemeenskap sal wees.

Ons wil graag die gemeenskap aanmoedig om deel te neem in die sake van die munisipaliteit, deur ons te laat weet wat die behoeftes in jou gemeenskap is.

Stuur jou insette aan ons:

Watter infrastruktuur en dienste word in jou area benodig?
(Spesifiseer die plek en moontlike oplossing wat jy in gedagte het.)

VOOR 30 NOVEMBER 2016

Hoe kan jy jou insette indien?

- Epos:** idp@langeberg.gov.za
- Skryf 'n brief:** en plaas dit in die gemerkte "GOP" boks by jou naaste Langeberg munisipale kantoor
- Stuur 'n boodskap op sosiale media:**
Facebook: Langeberg Municipality
Twitter: Langeberg_Muni
- Langeberg Munisipale webblad:** <http://www.langeberg.gov.za/complaintsqueries>
- Antwoord op 'n Munisipale SMS** (R1.50 per sms)
- Praat met jou raadslid** om jou kommentaar onder die Munisipaliteit se aandag te bring: ↓

Speak to your Ward Councillor:

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Praat met jou Wyksraadslid:

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Voice your needs at your community meetings / Bespreek jou behoeftes by jou gemeenskapsvergadering

NOTICE

In accordance with the approved Process Plan, the municipality plans to embark on a Public Participation Process (analysis phase), which entails several community engagements in the form of IDP meetings with communities who reside in the 12 wards of our jurisdiction. The Langeberg Municipality encourages participatory democracy and invites all members of the public to attend our Community meetings and Sector meeting (all sectors).

KENNISGEWING

Die munisipaliteit beoog om, ooreenkomstig die goedgekeurde Prosesplan, met 'n gemeenskapsdeelname-proses (analise fase) te begin, wat verskeie vergaderings (in die vorm van GOP vergaderings) met gemeenskappe woonagtig in die 12 wyke, onder ons jurisdiksie, sal inhou. Die Langeberg Munisipaliteit moedig deelnemende demokrasie aan en nooi alle lede van die publiek uit om ons Gemeenskapsvergadering en Sektorvergadering (alle sektore) by te woon.

ISAZISO

Ngokuvisisana neSingwangciso esiphunyeziweyo, umasipala uceba ukusungula iphulo loThatho-Nxaxheba loLuntu (isigaba sokuhlalutya), eliphathelene nokuhlangana nabahlali kwiintlanganiso zeIDP kwiwadi zoli-12 ezikulo mmandla wethu. UMasipala waseLangeberg ukhuthaza uthatho-nxaxheba lolawulo-lwesininzi ngokuthi ameme onke amalungu oluntu ukuba azimase iintlanganiso zethu zoLuntu kunye neentlanganiso zemibutho eyahlukahlukeneyo ngokwamahlelo ayo.

Date / Datum	Ward / Wyk	Town / Dorp	Time / Tyd	Venue / Plek
3 Oct / Okt	4	Bonnievale	19:00	Happy Valley Community Hall / Gemeenskapsaal
4 Oct / Okt	2	Robertson/Nkqubela	18:00	Nkqubela Community Hall / Gemeenskapsaal
5 Oct / Okt	6	Robertson	19:00	Madeba Hall / Saal
6 Oct / Okt	3	Robertson	19:00	Civic Hall / Saal
10 Oct / Okt	5	McGregor	19:00	McGregor Community Hall / Saal
11 Oct / Okt	11	Ashton	19:00	Ashton Town Hall / Saal
12 Oct / Okt	7	Montagu	19:00	Wilhelm Thys Hall / Saal
13 Oct / Okt	10	Ashton	17:00	Rholihlahla Community Hall / Gemeenskapsaal
17 Oct / Okt	12	Montagu	19:00	Kabouterland Community Centre / Gemeenskapsentrum
18 Oct / Okt	8	Bonnievale	19:00	Chris v Zyl Hall / Saal
19 Oct / Okt	9	Ashton	19:00	Barnard Community Hall / Gemeenskapsaal
20 Oct / Okt	1	Robertson	19:00	Robertson Town Hall / Stadsaal
SECTOR MEETING				
22 Oct / Okt	All Sectors	10:00 – 13:00		Robertson Town Hall / Stadsaal

NOMINATE AND VOTE FOR YOUR NEW WARD COMMITTEE MEMBER

Do you know a good ‘go-to’ person that can inform you about municipal matters?

On 03 August 2016 South Africans voted in the National Local Government elections to elect their respective ward Councillors. After the inauguration of the new ward councillors, a process to elect new ward committee members will begin.

There are 12 wards in the Langeberg area. Each ward will have a committee consisting of a maximum of 10 members.

A ward committee member is a non-political person who plays an important role within the community. His/Her purpose is to serve as a bridge between you and the Municipality. This person works closely with the ward councillor to identify issues and

concerns in your ward.

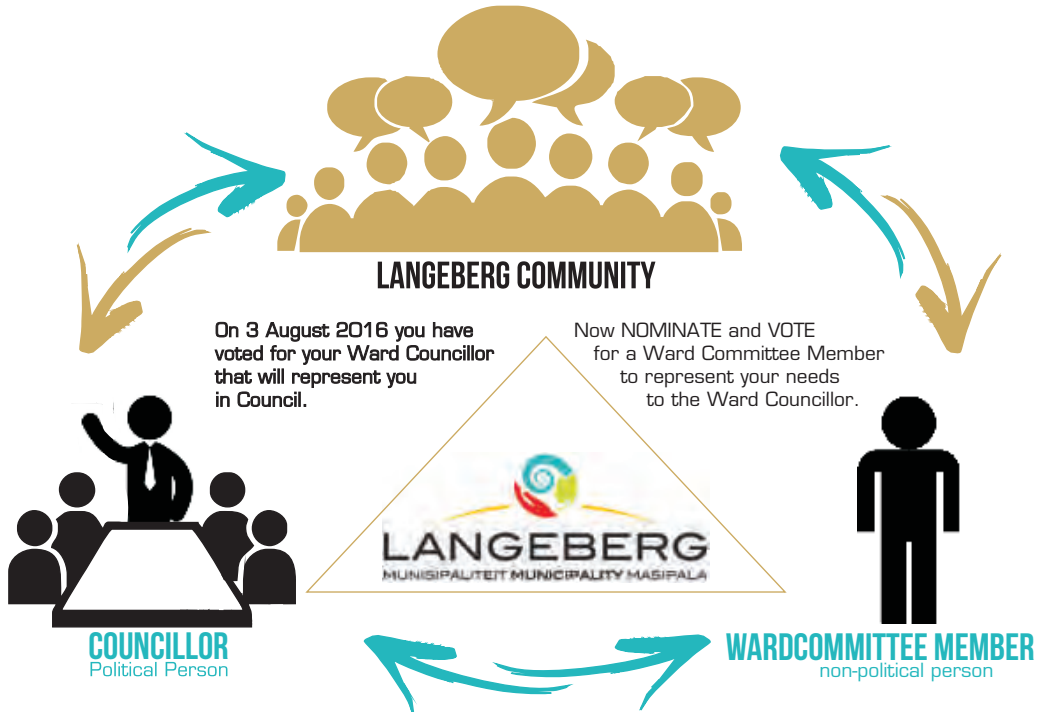
A ward committee member strengthens community participation by making sure that you, the community member, is informed about municipal matters. And that you have your say in the planning, projects and decision-making which the council or municipality undertakes.

This person can be anyone that lives close to you, and should be someone you can rely on to represent your views. They often form part of a community organisation, religious group, sports club, education institution, or interest group.

What does a ward committee member do?

- Promote community participation: Your ward member must inform you and make you part of municipal decision-making processes. For example, the IDP process, the Budget, Council Projects, etc.
- Identify and initiate projects that improve the living conditions in your block.
- Monitor performance of the Municipality.
- Assist with awareness processes / programs.
- Are involved in community affairs.

Community Participation



On 3 August 2016 you have voted for your Ward Councillor that will represent you in Council.

Now NOMINATE and VOTE for a Ward Committee Member to represent your needs to the Ward Councillor.

COUNCILLOR
Political Person

WARD COMMITTEE MEMBER
non-political person

Nomination Forms

will be available at:

- Municipal offices
- Municipal libraries
- Information sessions

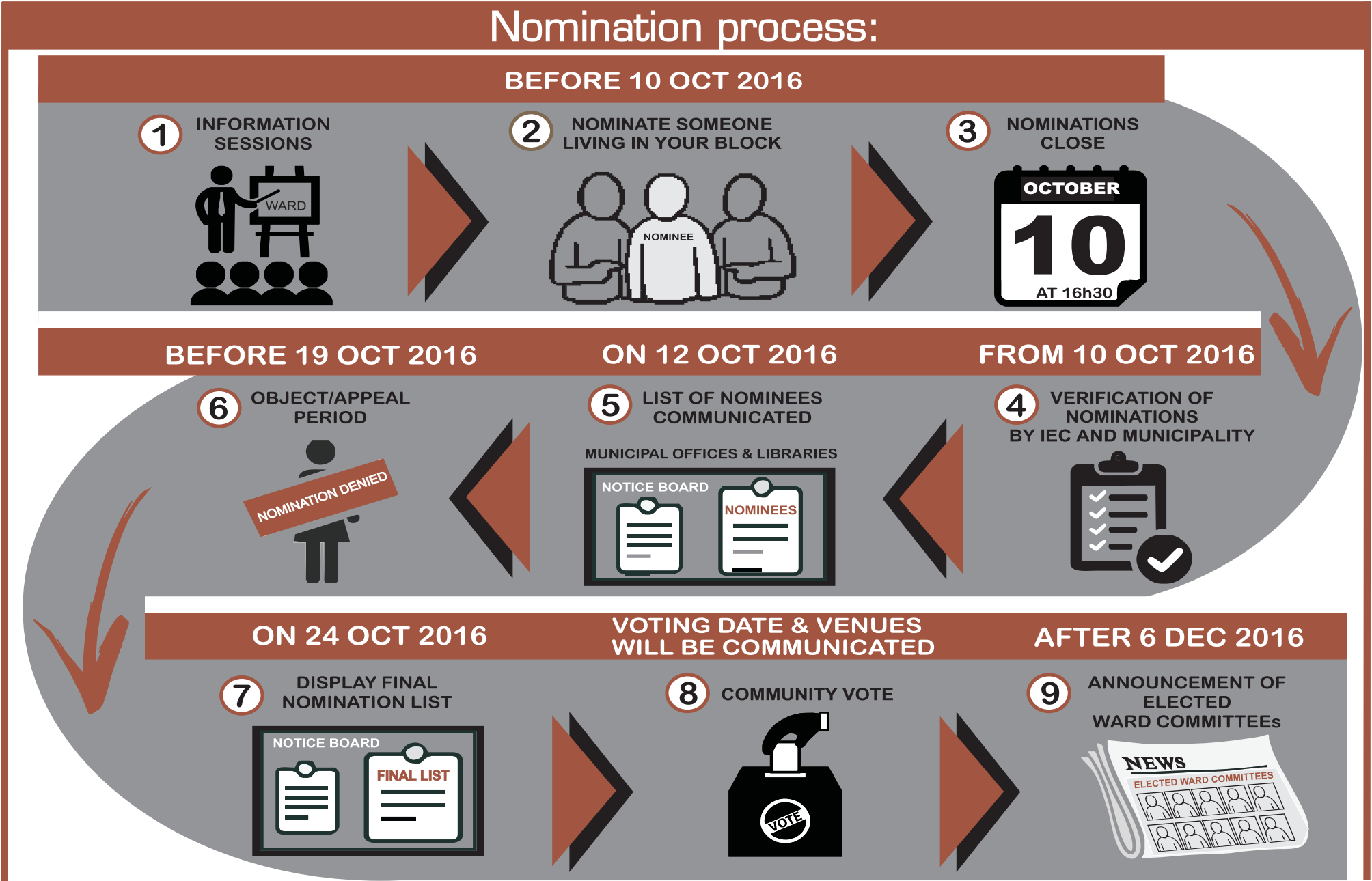


Completed nominations must be submitted to the Community Liaison Workers at any Langeberg Municipal Office during official hours, in the marked containers - "WARD COMMITTEES".

Only one nomination per person can be made. Nomination forms must be completed in full and signed by the nominator and the nominee.

Ward Committee Member Nomination criteria

- ✓ Must be 18 years or older
- ✓ Must be a registered voter
- ✓ Must live in your block (A ward is divided into geographical blocks)
- ✓ Municipal account should not be in arrears for longer than 3 months
- ✓ Not be in service of the state
- ✓ A person should not be elected if sentenced to imprisonment, without the option of a fine, for twelve months or more
- ✓ Not be an employee of the Langeberg municipality
- ✓ Persons of unsound mind (declared by a competent court) cannot be elected
- ✓ Representation should reflect gender equality
- ✓ Only one nomination per person can be made



NOMINEER EN STEM VIR JOU NUWE WYKSKOMITEELID

Ken jy 'n persoon wat jou graag sal wil inlig oor munisipale sake?

Op 3 Augustus 2016 het Suid-Afrikaners gestem in die Nasionale verkiesing vir hul onderskeie Wyksraadslede. Na afloop van die inhuldiging van die nuwe wyksraadslede, sal 'n proses nou begin om nuwe wykskomiteelede te kies. Daar is 12 wyke in die Langeberg area. Elke wyk sal bestaande uit 'n komitee van maksimum van 10 lede. 'N wykskomiteelid is 'n nie-politieke persoon wat 'n belangrike rol in die gemeenskap speel. Sy / Haar doel is om te dien as 'n brug tussen jou en die Munisipaliteit. Hierdie persoon werk dan saam met die wyksraadslid om kwessies en bekommernisse in jou

wyk te identifiseer. 'N wykskomiteelid versterk gemeenskapsdeelname deur seker te maak dat jy, as die lid van die gemeenskap, ingelig is oor munisipale sake. En dat jy jou mening kan lig in die beplanning, projekte en besluitneming proses wat die raad of munisipaliteit onderneem. Hierdie persoon sal iemand wees wat naby jou woon, en moet iemand wees wat jy kan vertrou om jou mening te verteenwoordig. Hulle vorm dikwels deel van 'n gemeenskapsorganisasie, godsdienstige groep, sportklub, onderwysinrigting, of belangegroep.

Wat doen 'n wyk komiteelid?

- Bevorder publieke deelname : Jou lid moet jou inlig en deelmaak van Munisipale besluitnemingsprosesse. Byvoorbeeld: die GOP-proses, die Begroting, Raadsprojekte, ens.
- Identifiseer en inisieer projekte wat lewensomstandighede verbeter
- Moniteer prestasie van die Munisipaliteit.
- Behulpsaam met bewusmakingsprogramme.
- Is betrokke in gemeenskapaangeleenthede.

Gemeenskapsdeelname



Op 3 Augustus 2016 het jy gestem vir jou wyksraadslid wat jou sal verteenwoordig in die Raad.

Nou NOMINEER en STEM jy vir 'n Wykskomiteelid wat jou behoeftes by die wyksraadslid sal verteenwoordig.

RAADSLID
Politieke Persoon

WYKSKOMITEELID
Nie-Politieke Persoon

LANGEBERG
MUNISIPALITEIT MUNICIPALITY

Nominasievorms sal beskikbaar wees by:

- Munisipale kantore
- Munisipale biblioteke
- Inligtingssessies

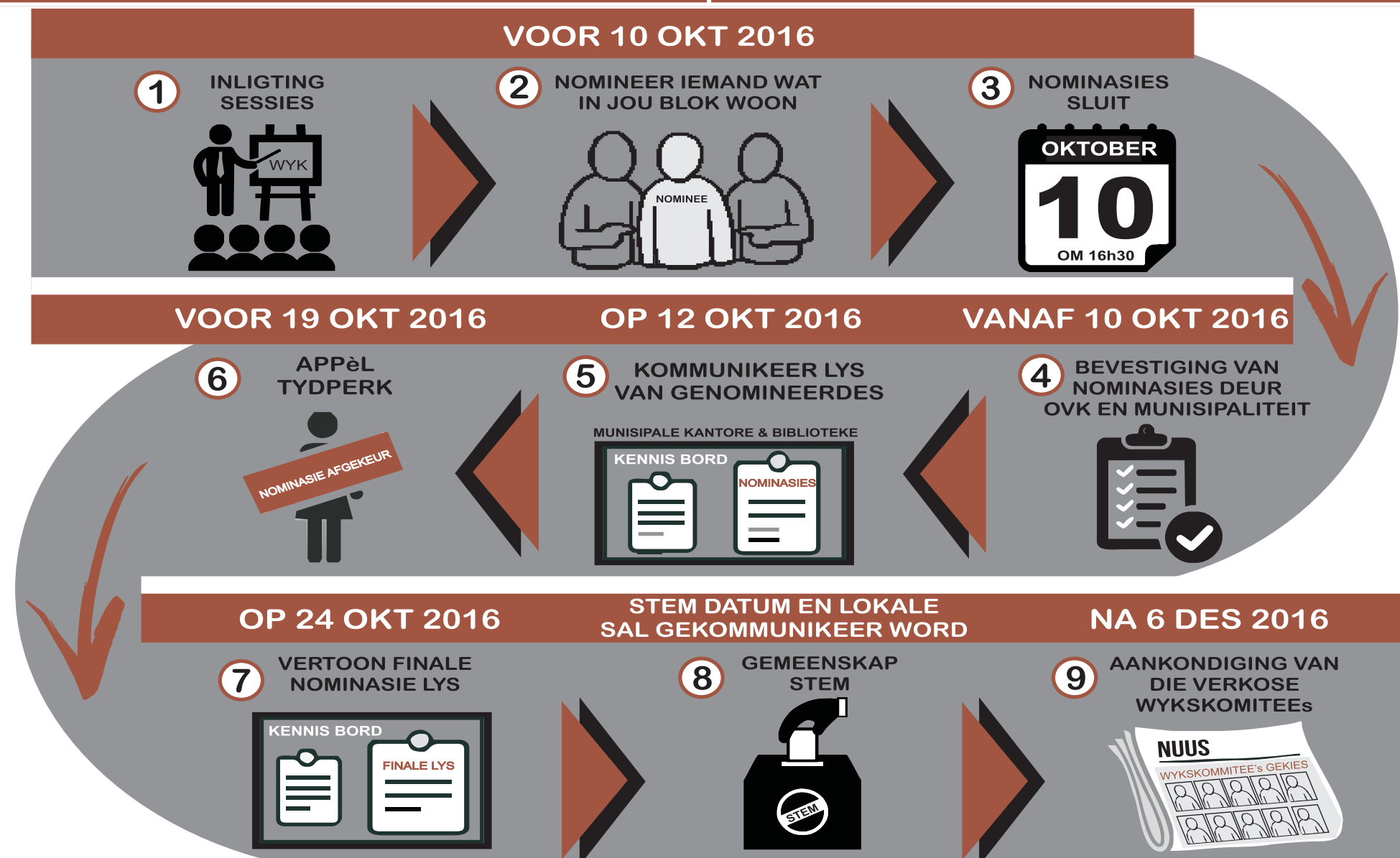
Ingevalde nominasies moet by die Gemeenskapskaking Werkers by enige Langeberg Munisipale kantoor ingedien word gedurende amptelike ure, in die gemerkte houer - "WYKSKOMITEES". Slegs een nominasie per persoon kan gemaak word. Nominasievorms moet volledig ingevul en onderteken word deur die nomineerder en die genomineerde kandidaat.



Wykskomiteelid Nominasie kriteria

- ✓ Moet 18 jaar of ouer wees
- ✓ Moet 'n geregistreerde kieser wees
- ✓ Moet woon in jou blok ('n wyk bestaan uit geografiese blokke)
- ✓ Munisipale rekening mag nie agterstallig wees vir langer as 3 maande nie
- ✓ Nie in diens van die staat wees nie
- ✓ 'N persoon mag nie gekies word wat al gevonnissen was tot gevangenisstraf sonder die opsie van 'n boete, vir twaalf of meer maande nie
- ✓ Nie 'n werknemer van die Langeberg Munisipaliteit wees nie
- ✓ Persone wat geestelik versteurd is (deur 'n bevoegde hof verklaar) kan nie verkies word
- ✓ Verteenwoordiging moet geslagsgelykheid reflekteer
- ✓ Slegs een nominasie per persoon kan gemaak word

Nominasieproses:



VOOR 10 OKT 2016

- 1 INLIGTING SESSIES**
WYK
- 2 NOMINEER IEMAND WAT IN JOU BLOK WOON**
NOMINEE
- 3 NOMINASIES SLUIT**
OKTOBER 10 OM 16h30

VOOR 19 OKT 2016

- 6 APPèL TYDPERK**
NOMINASIE AFGEKEUR

OP 12 OKT 2016

- 5 KOMMUNIQUEER LYS VAN GENOMINEERDES**
MUNISIPALE KANTORE & BIBLIOTEKE
KENNIS BORD NOMINASIES

VANAF 10 OKT 2016

- 4 BEVESTIGING VAN NOMINASIES DEUR OVK EN MUNISIPALITEIT**

OP 24 OKT 2016

- 7 VERTOON FINALE NOMINASIE LYS**
KENNIS BORD FINALE LYS

STEM DATUM EN LOKALE SAL GEKOMMUNIQUEER WORD

- 8 GEMEENSAP STEM**

NA 6 DES 2016

- 9 AANKONDIGING VAN DIE VERKOSE WYKSKOMITEES**
NUUS WYKSKOMITEE's GEKIES

Results of water analysis

ANALYSES	ASHTON Sample no.: 16618 Date Sample: 2016/08/04 Date Analysed: 2016/08/05	BONNIEVALE Sample no.: 16608 Date Sample: 2016/08/04 Date Analysed: 2016/08/05	McGREGOR Sample no.: 16603 Date Sample: 2016/08/04 Date Analysed: 2016/08/05	MONTAGU Sample no.: 16612 Date Sample: 2016/08/04 Date Analysed: 2016/08/05	ROBERTSON Sample no.: 16597 Date Sample: 2016/08/04 Date Analysed: 2016/08/05	SANS 241-1 2011
pH (at 25 °C)	6,75	6,79	6,96	6,83	6,94	≥ 5 - • 9,7 Operational
Conductivity (mS/m) (at 25 °C)	33,5	25,5	13,5	32,5	7,5	≤ 170 Aesthetic
Turbidity (NTU)	11,7	1,7	1,6	0,71	2,3	≤ 5 Aesthetic ≤ 1 Operational
Langelier Saturation Index (at 25 °C)	-2,5	-2,5	-2,9	-2,4	-3,0	N/A
Ryznar Index	-6,8	-6,8	-7,0	-6,8	-6,9	N/A
Colour (mg/l as Pt)	<4	<4	<4	<4	<4	≤15 Aesthetic
CaCO ₃ Precipitation Potential (mg/l)	-14,2	-12,0	-11,7	-13,6	-11,4	N/A
Total Alkalinity (mg/l as CaCO ₃)	14,7	12,8	14,2	16,8	12,4	N/A
Total Hardness (mg/l as CaCO ₃)	64,0	52,3	16,3	62,9	11,5	N/A
Calcium (mg/l as Ca)	11,0	10,6	2,9	11,2	2,3	N/A
Magnesium (mg/l as Mg)	8,9	6,3	2,2	8,5	1,4	N/A
Aluminium (ug/l asAl)	1 935	319	502	140	1 093	≤ 300 Operational
Iron (ug/l asFe)	305	66	50	<24	95	≤ 300 Aesthetic ≤ 2 000 Chronic <0,05Health
Free Chlorine (mg/l)	0,98	0,1	<0,05	1,6	0,14	≤ 5,0 Chronic Health
E.coli (count per 100ml)	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	Not Detected Acute Health -1
Total Coliform Bacteria (count per 100ml)	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1	≤ 10 Operational
Calcium Hardness (mg/l as CaCO ₃)	27,5	26,5	7,3	28,0	5,8	N/A
Magnesium Hardness (mg/l as CaCO ₃)	36,5	25,8	9,0	34,9	5,7	N/A
Heterotrophic Plate Count (count per ml)	34	37	<1	<1	<1	≤ 1 000 Operational



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Het jy al by ons aangesluit?
IsiXhosa IsiJoini Us?

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Queries or suggestions?
 Do you have any suggestions on how we can improve our communication with you? Or do you perhaps have queries about any of our articles?
 Please contact Melissa Jones at mjones@langeberg.gov.za or visit us at the Municipal Building, Main Road 28, Ashton, 6715.

Navrae of voorstelle?
 Het u dalk enige voorstelle oor hoe ons ons kommunikasie met u kan verbeter? Of het u dalk navrae omtrent enige van ons artikels?
 Kontak Melissa Jones by mjones@langeberg.gov.za of besoek ons gerus by die Munisipale gebou, Hoofweg 28, Ashton, 6715.

Imibuzo okanye ingcebiso?
 Ingaba unazo kusini na ingcebiso malunga nendlela esinokuphucula ngalo unxibelelwano kunye nawe?
 Okanye, ingaba unemibuzo ethile malunga nelineye lamanqaku ethu?
 Nceda ke uqhagamshelane no-Melissa Jones, ku-mjones@langeberg.gov.za okanye umtyelele kwisakhiwo sakwaMasipala esise-28 Main Road, Ashton, 6715.

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It is important that treated water complies with the strict South African National Standards (SANS). Analysis reports are done monthly at the purification plants by an external service provider, the SANS-accredited AL Abbot and Associates. The latest available report, compiled in August, breaks down the five towns' treated water results and shows the water to be safe according to the SANS 241 standards, as indicated in this SANS Certificate of Analysis report.

Dit is belangrik dat die behandelde water voldoen aan die streng Suid-Afrikaanse Nasionale Standaard (SANS). Ontledingsverslae word op 'n maandelikse basis by hierdie suiweringsaanlegte deur 'n eksterne diensverskaffer, die SANS-geakkrediteerde A.L. Abbot and Associates, gedoen. Die mees onlangse verslag, saamgestel in Augustus, gee 'n uiteensetting van die vyf dorpe se behandelde water en dui aan dat die water veilig is volgens die SANS 241-standaard, soos in die tabel hierbo.

Ingingqi yaseLangeberg inamaziko amahlanu okucoca amanzi aselwayo kunye namanye amahlanu okucoca awelindle. Kubalulekile ukuba oku kucocwa kwamanzi kwenziwe ngokwemigqaliselo enqinqwe ngabakwaSouth National Standards (SANS). Iingxelo zokuhlolwa kwamanzi zenziwa rhoqo ngenyanga kulo maziko okucocwa kwamanzi, lusenziwa leqela langaphandle elinikezela ngalo nkonzo, lakwa- A.L. Abbot and Associates neliphunyeziweyo lakwa-SANS. Iingxelo yamva-nje equlunqwe nguMasipala waseLangeberg ngo-u-Agasti icazulula iziphumo zokucocwa kwamanzi kwidolophu zontlanu, ikwaphawula neziphumo zokukhuseleka kwamanzi ngokwamanqanaba ka-SANS 241 nanjengoko kubonakalisiwe kwesi sigcangca sengxelo yokuhlolwa singezantsi neyenziwe ngabakwa-SANS.

Turn it off:



Turn off taps while brushing your teeth, soaping clothes and doing the dishes



Fix leaking taps:



Fixing leaking taps doesn't take much, but it can save a significant amount of water

Take a bucket bath:



Using a bucket instead of a shower to wash yourself can reduce your water consumption by 80%

