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Qwa-Qwa school steals the show at Baswa Le Meetse competitions

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Tabola Primary School in Qwa-Qwa walked away as heroes at the Baswa le Meetse (BLM) District competitions held in Makabelane Technical School. Baswa le Meetse, is aimed at learners in intermediate phase. Learners showcase their skills in water and sanitation with focus on water conservation health and hygiene, good practice using arts as a medium to convey the message.

Learners from Tabola Primary School in Qwa-Qwa could not contain their excitement as they jumped, screamed and punched in the air with tears of joy in their eyes. After the announcement that their school came on top in Music and Poster categories.

"These were tears of joy and appreciation of hard work and dedication I and learners showed and sacrificed their time working tirelessly. Since the school participate in the competitions like these, we hope to make a difference in significantly reducing water wastage in QwaQwa," said Mr Samson Makae" the winning educator.

Other schools who performed above their expectations were Teboho Primary School who scooped position one in drama followed by Letsha Le Maduke Primary School in Poetry. Winners booked themselves tickets to represent Thabo Mofutsanyane District at the upcoming Provincial Baswa le Meetse Competitions to be held in Bloemfontein.

Winners at Provincial Baswa le Meetse Competitions will represent Free State Province at the national level and will walk away with R10 000 (position one), position two, R8 000, position three R6 000 in all categories. Winners at National level will get R20 000 for position one, R15 000 for position two and R10 000 for position three.

The competitions aims to encourage young people to pursue careers in the water and sanitation sector to bridge the skills shortages that is currently being experienced.

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