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DWS to host the 2016 Aqua Enduro Event

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The Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS) will be hosting the Aqua Enduro Competition from 28 March to 2 April 2016.

This event is into its eighth year and is getting stronger. Aqua Enduro is a Department of Water and Sanitation initiative to innovatively address the skills shortage in the scientific and engineering disciplines within the water sector at grass roots level.

The competition is open to Grade 11 learners doing Mathematics and Physical Science, with the objective of enticing them to consider pursuing careers in the South African water sector. Fifty four (54) learners are brought together to participate in the competition, wherein 20 deserving learners are awarded scholarships to study careers of their choice in the Engineering or Scientific fields.

During the entire week, learners will participate in a number of activities where the team and individual learners are assessed by a panel of judges.

All media are invited.

Details of the event are as follows:

- Venue: Roodeplaat Training Centre, Pretoria
- Monday 28 March - Saturday, 2 April 2016
- Time: on 28th: 14h00; times for the rest of the programme will be availed as per the programme dates following.

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