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SCIENCE PROJECT KICKSTARTS MPUMALANGA WATER MONTH

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The Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS) as the custodian of water resources in the country and sector leader is mandated to co-ordinate and lead the National Water Month awareness campaign. The Department celebrates the National Water Week on an annual basis in March to highlight the importance of water in life. The National Water Month is celebrated under the theme “**Water for people, water by people**”. The primary aim of this campaign is to raise awareness among the South African citizenry of the role water plays in social and economic development of communities.

The Department of Water and Sanitation (DWS) in partnership with water sector stakeholders will as part of the National Water Month kickstart the Mpumalanga water month activities with a science project at the University of Mpumalanga, Mbombela Campus.

Media are invited as follows:

Date: 12 March 2016
Venue: University of Mpumalanga, Mbombela
Time: 09h00

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