



## Blouberg Local Municipality

### MEDIA ALERT

**MONDAY, 25 MARCH 2019**

#### **BLOUBERG HOST A SUCCESSFUL MAYORS CUP**

The 2019 Mayors Cup happened to be one of the most successful tournament ever held in Blouberg. The tournament which was held from the 21-23 March 2019, at Sekiding Stadium attracted more than 5000 spectators. The tournament which was postponed from December 2018 managed to attracts various teams from all 22 Wards. The purpose of this Annual Tournament is to keep young people away from substance and drug abuse, to raise awareness on healthy living, to expose and identify talent and to give Blouberg Community a unique way of entertainment. This year 32 teams participated in the games. Soccer and Netball were the sporting quotes featured.

His Worship Mayor Cllr Maseka Pheedi encouraged young people to engage in various sporting activities in order to live healthy lifestyles. He further indicated that not all people will work in the public sectors or private sectors. "Some of you are unable to succeed in life because you are focusing on something else, when ignoring the given talents that you have, sport might be where your abilities are" said the Mayor. The Mayor thanked the community for supporting the games and committed that the games will move from the current status next year to include other sporting games.

The winners for this year's games for Soccer are: Position 01: Joe Academy Football Club from Ward 18, position 02: Black Stone Football Club from Ward 6. In regard to Netball, position 01 was scooped by Mighty Chiefs Netball Club from Ward 12, while position 2 was scooped by Jaguar Netball Club from Ward 6. The Mayor, Clls Maseka Pheedi congratulated all teams that participated, specifically the winners. He also congratulated Ward 6 for managing to scoop position 2 in both Netball and Soccer.

Joe Academy Football Club went home with R20 000 cash prize, Soccer Jersey Kit, Floating Trophy, Gold Medals, Certificate and Balls, position 2 went home with R10 000 cash prize, Soccer Jersey Kit, Trophy, Silver Medals, Certificates and Balls, position 3 received R2500 cash prize, Soccer Jersey kit, Bronze Medals and Balls. When coming to ladies Clubs, Mighty Chiefs Netball Club scooped R6 000, Netball Kit, Floating Trophy, Gold Medals, Certificate and Balls. Position 2, scooped R4 000 cash prize, Netball Kid, Trophy, Silver Medals, Certificate and balls.

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