

Volunteer opportunities at MGD Partners



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Middelvlei Farm

The Project

At the farm, several projects are offered to increase various life skills of the learners.

- Learners can visit the animal shelters
- Learners can be assisted in academics in both English and Afrikaans
- Learners can join classes in creative work
- Learners can receive the training required for basic computer skills
- Learners can join music classes
- Learners are given health classes on oral hygiene, eating healthy, and healthy lifestyles

Focus Area

Children, Education, Animals, Computer, Music, Health

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

Below Papegaaiberg

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Bergzicht Training

The Project

Bergzicht Training is dedicated to inspiring and empowering disadvantaged people with little or no formal education by equipping them with the necessary skills that they need to uplift themselves from impoverished circumstances. Our focus ensures that our learners complete their courses with essential skills in one of the following subject areas: Home Management, Educare, Frail Care and Catercare. 91% of learners have found permanent employment through our in-house placement bureau.

Focus Area

Adults, Employment, Training, Skills Development

Services Needed

- Assistance with website and social media updates

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

7 Crozier Road
7600 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

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Jeugitreik (Youth Outreach)

The Project

The Programme's main aim is to deliver services to street children and their families in and around Stellenbosch and to get children reintegrated into society. The child's actual place of residence is not a criterion for admittance, since children journey from areas outside the municipal area, usually to the centre of town. Several services are offered:

- Drop-in shelter
- Early intervention
- Outreach Work
- Prevention and awareness of the street child phenomenon
- Crisis services: Overnight crisis facility
- Residential Care for Street Children (long term rehabilitation)

Focus Area

Youth, Children, Skills development, Substance Abuse

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

Bell House
C/o Bird & Bell Street
Stellenbosch
7600

Contact Information

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Azaleahof: Residential Units and Service Centre

The Project

Care for older persons: Residential Frail Care Centre, Residential self-care units, and community-based care for the elderly. Primary and secondary services are delivered to the elderly to allow them to live independently in the community as long as possible. Several services are offered:

- Personal Care:
 - o Meals on wheels: Food prepared at Azaleahof and distributed to clients at their homes, as take aways, or at Azaleahof
 - o Domestic help service to elderly at their private homes
 - o Physical/medical care: Hair and foot care, blood pressure measurement
 - o Outings, talks and newsletters
 - o Gym and exercise programmes for elderly
- Frail Care: residential facilities and special nursing care
- Residential Units: residential facilities for elderly not requiring frail care

Focus Area

Older Persons, Frail Care, Disabled persons

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

11 Van Riebeeck Street
Stellenbosch
7600

Contact Information

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Animal Welfare Society Stellenbosch (AWSS)

The Project

The Animal Welfare Society Stellenbosch (AWSS) is a non-profit organisation with the aim to serve the community of Stellenbosch and greater Stellenbosch by taking care of the community's unwanted, mistreated and neglected pets. We also advocate and promote the sterilisation of cats and dogs to curb unwanted breeding in an already overpopulated pet community. We sterilise, dip, vaccinate, deworm and treat illnesses of animals in our low-income communities and provide a safe haven for homeless or surrendered animals until we're able to place them in good, loving homes. At any given time, we house an average of 150 animals.

Focus Area

Animals

Services Needed

- General kennel chores
- Walking dogs

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

Devon Valley Road
7600 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

Contact: Reception
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Call every day 10:00-15:00



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Football Development Programme

The Project

One of the key aims of the Stellenbosch University Football Development Programme is to increase the number of local talented football players who meet the academic requirements to study and ultimately play football for Stellenbosch University.

The programme reaches a variety of local communities with the majority of individuals coming from Cloetesville, Ida's Valley and Kayamandi.

We are looking for volunteers who are passionate about human development and would like to partner with us in assisting and improving the academic profile of male football players between the ages of 16-18 (Grade 10, 11, 12).

Focus Area

Key subject areas include mathematics, biology and science.

Youth, Tutoring

Services Needed

Tutoring, responsibilities as follows:

- Meet and tutor the individual or small group on a weekly basis as per the schedule.
- Assist the learner in their subject problem areas.
- Inspire, empower and equip the learner with tools that will assist them in preparation for the final exams.

Time Frame

The short term academic support programme will begin on the 1st of September and will end on the 15th of November 2014.

Location

Small classroom venues are available at the SU Football Centre located next to Goldfields residence.

Contact

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Greater Stellenbosch Development Trust

The Project

The organisation's aim is to bridge the divide between the Kayamandi Township and Stellenbosch. The idea is that through social development services, uplifting and networking the two communities will grow towards each other. Several services are offered:

- Excursions to plays, amphitheaters to bring arts to the community and increase the art and music appreciation of community members.
- Musical training and lessons to cultivate music skills and increase music appreciation of community members.
- Courses in beading, weaving, pottery to develop skills and create self-employment opportunities.
- Daycare and pre-primary school services for children from disadvantaged homes.

Focus Area

Community, Children, Culture, Education

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

118A Masithandane Street
Kayamandi
7599 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

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Hesketh King Treatment Centre

The Project

The provision of a 12-week residential treatment programme for adult and adolescent chemically addicted males. The programme is faith-based and comprises individual and group therapy, primary medical care, pastoral counselling, occupational therapy, psychiatric and psychological services. The service has the following aims: 1) To provide a faith based treatment programme 2) To enable the addict to sustain sobriety and a recovered lifestyle. Several services are offered:

- Substance Abuse Residential Treatment: Adults
- Substance Abuse Residential Treatment: Adolescents

Focus Area

Substance Abuse, Health, Poverty Alleviation, Social Services

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

C/o Old Paarl & Klipheuveld Road
Muldersvlei
Stellenbosch Magisterial District
7607

Contact Information

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Horizon House

The Project

The organisation provides holistic care of intellectually disabled adults (18 years and older), including residential facilities and employment opportunities. They provide balanced nutrition, sleeping quarters, basic health care, recreational services such as sport and church, and therapist services.

Furthermore, skills are developed in the restoration of furniture, weaving, and other art and craft productions. With these skills, clients perform piece work for companies in protective workshops.

Focus Area

Health, Disabled persons, Skills development

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

1 Patrys Street
7600 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

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Kayamandi Women & Children's Development Project

The Project

Kayamandi Women and Children Development Project started in 2007 and it was launched in 2009 with assistance and close relation with South African Police Services and Community safety.

Objectives:

- To empower women and children of Kayamandi with life skills for their personal development and wellbeing.
- To provide a safe environment for women and children who are affected by abuse.
- To render counselling services to the victims of abuse as well as the community in general.

Several services are offered:

- We provide counselling and temporary shelter (safe house for maximum three months and we also extend depending on individual cases) for those who are not ready to go back to their homes.
- Provide life skills to women and children.
- We also do referrals to other service provider as per case.
- We provide soup on Saturday for homeless people & under privileged people in our community.

Focus Area

Skills development, Youth

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

Municipality Admin Building 1 – Old Board room Block
Masithandane Street
Kayamandi
Stellenbosch
7600

Contact Information

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Kuyasa Horizon Empowerment

The Project

The aim of the organisation is to empower the new generation of Christian Leaders through holistic development of the community. The following services are offered:

- Academic tutoring after school in Science, Mathematics, English, Life skills, and Art & Leadership.
- Art classes to encourage children in the community to express themselves.
- Theology training for pastors to help them in making a difference.
- Classes in basic and specialized computer training.
- Sport programmes and activities in soccer, netball, basketball, volleyball, dancing, gyming, floorball, running, and cricket.

Focus Area

Community, Children, Culture, Education

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

P.O. Box 661
7599 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

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Stellenbosch Night Shelter for Adults

The Project

The organisation provides the basic needs of homeless persons in Stellenbosch. They try to rehabilitate homeless persons and reunite them with their families. Community workers try to develop the skills of residents and they assist in job creation. Basic medical and social care is provided.

Soup and bread is served every night, as well as breakfast in the morning. During the day, residents leave the shelter.

Focus Area

Adults, Shelter, Homeless persons, Food Security

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

3 Tennant Street
Tennantville
7600 Stellenbosch

Conflict Information

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Website: www.stellenbosch.co.za/nightshelter



Straatlig

The Project

The organisation provides help and care to homeless and addicted persons by offering the following:

- Bible studies
- Music groups
- Distributing coffee and bread
- Visits to church
- Personal rehabilitation talks

Focus Area

Adults, Homeless persons, Substance Abuse, Food Security

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

39 Ryneveld Street
7600 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

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Website: www.straatlig.org



At Heart

The Project

At Heart is an organisation that provides HIV/AIDS counselling and testing services. They also engage in several ongoing community projects that focus on HIV/AIDS awareness, peer leader training and community mobilization. Several services are offered:

- Psycho-Socio Support & Empowerment of People living with HIV/AIDS
- HIV Counselling and HIV Testing
- Prevention of Mother to Child Transmission
- TB Screening and Testing
- Condom distribution
- Support groups

Focus Area

HIV/AIDS, Health

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

Various sites in and around Stellenbosch.

Contact Information

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Holy Cross Children and Youth Centre

The Project

The Holy Cross Children and Youth Centre provides a home to 115 young children with caring, feeding, clothing, housing and educating those children who have been orphaned, neglected, and/or abandoned. They offer family reunification and reintegration programmes and transitional living programmes to assist young people in their transition from institutional care to independent living in the community so that they can contribute positively to society, attain self-sufficiency, form positive and responsible family and social relationships and engage with community activities.

Focus Area

Homeless Persons, Youth, Children

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

De La Rey Road
7499 Parrow

Contact Information

Contact: Cheryl Ziervogel
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Ikhaya Trust Kayamandi

The Project

The Ikhaya Trust Centre is a well-designed, architectural building that is used as a hub of education which allows for transfer of knowledge between all age groups by careful and exciting cross programming. Peer learning and intergenerational learning is encouraged by classrooms that scale down to the height of tiny toddler, but these child spaces live comfortably and safely next to an eating space and amphitheatre where different age groups can come together. The Trust focuses on sustainable projects, which include educational programmes for children, cultural and artistic developments and support for micro-businesses and entrepreneurial skills.

Focus Area

Education, Community, Youth

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

118A Masithandane Street
7600 Kayamandi, Stellenbosch

Contact Information

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Jesse Keet

The Project

Jessie Keet Pre-Primary & Creche is a Nursery School in Stellenbosch, Cape Winelands, Western Cape

Focus Area

Children, Education, Care

Services Needed

- Assistance with 5 different age group classes
- Kitchen assistance

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

70 Kahler Street
7600 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

Contact: Felicity Thomas
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Legacy Centre Kayamandi

The Project

The Kayamandi Legacy centre is a multifunctional community centre that deals with childhood development, skills development, health care, and food security in the Kayamandi Township. All the activities are clustered around five broad projects:

- A health centre that provides care to HIV/AIDS patients
- A skill development program that aims to train the unemployed and low-skilled residents
- An after-school enrichment program that focuses on health, sport, culture, arts, life skills, and literacy to mobilize learners to become leaders in Kayamandi
- A vegetable garden that functions as both a source of food and as a learning ground to develop skills in maintaining your own garden and make a living
- A healthcare education centre

Focus Area

Community, Food Security, Skills Development, Health

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

Long Street
Kayamandi, Stellenbosch

Contact Information

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Leliebloem House

The Project

The Leliebloem House serves as a residential child and youth care centre for 84 children from troubled families and backgrounds. The centre offers the least restrictive environment for children who are placed via the children's courts. Even though residential care is the core business of Leliebloem, they work intensively within these children's communities and families to improve the circumstances from which they were removed. The centre offers Adolescent Development programmes, Family Reunification programmes, academic support, and psychological support.

Focus Area

Children, Youth, Displaced Persons

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

Korne Close
7780 Crawford

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Nagskuiling/Night Shelter

The Project

Nagskuiling is an organisation that provides shelter and residential services to the poorest, sickest, and oldest homeless persons in Stellenbosch. Meals are given in the evening, after which the residents get a bed for the night. They work towards regaining the independence and taking responsibilities of their residents and stimulate the finding of a new permanent home. Social workers provide therapist services to assist the homeless in regaining control over their lives.

Focus Area

Homeless Persons, Food Security, Shelter

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

3 Tennant Street
7600 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

Contact: Stellenbosch Night Shelter
Telephone: 021 886 6173
Email: nightshelter@stellenbosch.co.za
Website: www.stellenboschnagskuiling.co.za



Prochorus Community Development

The Project

Prochorus is a community-based organisation that offers sustainable programs to ensure that every person has the opportunity to reach their full potential spiritually, intellectually, physically and emotionally. The different programs that are offered include:

- Crèche support program
- Crisis counselling for raped and abused women and children
- Computer literacy and English literacy via computers
- Hunger relief and clothes distribution
- Playground groups for toddlers

Focus Area

Skills Development, Children, Community

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

89 Swartbooi Street
Kayamandi, Stellenbosch

Contact Information

Contact: Pam du Plessis
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Safe House Stellenbosch

The Project

Safe House Stellenbosch is a shelter that supports physically, emotionally and sexually abused women and children by facilitating a restorative program in order to give them hope and a future. The house offers shelter, protection, food, clothing, toiletries and support to the women and children to come to terms with their past traumas.

Focus Area

Abuse, Women, Children

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

4130 Idas Valley
7609 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

Contact: Lee Rossouw
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Stellemploy

The Project

Stellemploy is a church-based organization that offers unemployed people training which enables and helps them to find employment more easily. Basic quality training is given in welding, gardening, painting, cooking, electrical repairs, carpentry, plumbing, building, paving, mechanics and spray-painting.

Not only does helping people in this way mean that they can feed and clothe their families, but it also gives them a sense of dignity and purpose in our society.

Focus Area

Employment, Skills Development, Training, Education

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

Luckhoff Skool on the corner of Banhoek Road and Ryneveld Street
7600 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

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Stellenbosch Hospice

The Project

The Stellenbosch Hospice provides daily palliative and chronic care across the Stellenbosch District to patients that mainly suffer from Cancer, HIV/AIDS and TB. The hospice also provides home care services, assistance with accessing government grants to ensure improvement in patients' socio-economic conditions, regular occupational therapy days, social workers to focus on individual and family counselling sessions.

Focus Area

Health Care, HIV/AIDS, Medical Care

Services Needed

- Assist in the different projects

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

De Beer Road
7600 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

Contact: Central Office
Telephone: 021 886 5994
Email: stelhosp@iafrica.com
Website: www.stellenboschhospice.org.za



Stellenbosch Werksentrum

The Project

The Stellenbosch Work Centre for Adults with Disabilities focuses on the economic empowerment and social integration of adults with disabilities in the Stellenbosch and surrounding areas. Ultimately the Centre hopes to instil a level of competence that will enable the person to find other work opportunities in the open labour market, earn better and achieve a higher standard of living.

Focus Area

Disabled Persons, Skills Development, Employment, Training

Services Needed

Basic literacy training (alphabet/basic literacy), Basic maths training (adding and subtracting till 20), Sport engagement (soccer and cricket – rules of engagement, history etc.), Meal planning & preparation training, Administration (sorting & organising), Life skills training, Office admin skills training

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

1 Patrys Road
7600 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

Contact: Marlese Robertson/Phil Williams
Telephone: 021 887 8688
Call weekdays 08:00-14:00 (flexible)



Youth Evolution in Sport (YES)

The Project

YES is a national organisation which focuses on the development of youth through sport. In Stellenbosch, they are active at Rietenbosch Primary School, Lückhoff High School and Kuyasa.

Focus Area

Youth Development, Sport, Life Skills, Education

Services Needed

- Facilitate games and extramural activities with primary school or high school learners
- Life skills training
- Tutoring Maths & Accounting

Time Frame

Throughout the year

Location

Various Locations
7600 Stellenbosch

Contact Information

Contact: Jose
Telephone: 078 666 5432
Call weekdays, flexible hours



TH Children's Foundation: Social Impact Initiatives

1. Tutoring Program

The Project

On a weekly basis, university volunteers go to the school to provide academic support for grade 6s. The focus of the tutoring sessions is on English and Mathematics. The TH Children's Foundation is working closely with Ikaya's teachers and have programs adapted to match the needs of the learners and improve their academic performance.

Focus Area

Cognitive development. Academic support. English improvement. Cultural interaction.

Services Needed

Committed and consistent volunteers, transport, stationaries and snacks.

Time Frame

Throughout the semester. Every Saturday from 9:30 to 12:30.

Location

Ikaya Primary School - Kayamandi

Contact Information

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Tom Renault 079 671 1701 – 19206399@sun.ac.za



2. Arts and Crafts Program

The Project

We started Arts and Crafts classes targeting the student struggling the most in class, as our volunteers are not qualified teachers. In previous years we faced extreme difficulties to keep the classes conducive with children who are lacking educational basis from grade 1 and who also face great difficulties to speak English. The vision of the Foundation is not to leave any children behind, hence the idea of having Arts and Crafts classes, which offers alternative ways to practice English while interacting the volunteers and enhances their creativity.

Focus Area

Enhancing creativity, practical outcome and cultural interaction.

Services Needed

Committed and consistent volunteers, equipment, transport and snacks.

Time Frame

Every Thursday from 14:00 to 16:00.

Location

Ikaya Primary School, Kayamandi.

Contact Information

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3. Sustainability Program

The Project

Initially, the sustainability program was centred on a gardening program. Unfortunately, in the light of the water crisis in Western Cape and due to a lack of funds the TH Children's Foundation was unable to continue the gardening activities during the first semester of 2018. To stay coherent with the Foundation vision, we conducted several workshops related to gardening and the relevance of healthy eating habits for instance. Furthermore, we started a recycling project with the aim of promoting a litter-free environment and initiating the learners to waste management. The project is on track but we must continue our educational work and the monitoring of the program with regards to the relevance of recycling to ensure that the project remain successful while we are working on reviving the gardening program.

Focus Area

Sustainability, childhood development, practical skills.

Services Needed

Committed and consistent volunteers, equipment, transports and snacks.

Time Frame

Every Saturdays from 9:30 to 12:30.

Possibly periodically during week days for specific projects, like the recycling workshops.

Location

Ikaya Primary School, Kayamandi.

Contact Information

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