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SUBJECT : CHORISTERS FLY MPUMALANGA FLAG HIGH AT THE SOUTH AFRICAN SCHOOLS CHORAL EISTEDDFOD (NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS)

The Mpumalanga Department of Education takes this opportunity to congratulate all choirs who represented the Province at the South African Schools Choral Eisteddfod National Championships on 02 to 05 July 2013 at Rhema Bible Church in Randburg, Johannesburg.

A total of **12** choirs representing the province managed to feature between positions one to three.

The display by these Provincial Choirs was of high standard and indeed they were able to fly the provincial flag high. Mpumalanga is at position **three** in overall performance at the championships.

The MEC extends her profound appreciation to educators, parents', choir conductors and to the learners who participated in these competitions.

Below are the schools that achieved outstanding result:

Intermediate Phase (02 July 2013)

Theu-Theu (**Mixed Choirs Western**) Position 02

Theu-Theu (**South African National Anthem**) Position 02

Sanqotho (**Mixed Double Quartet**) Position 03

Senior Phase (03-04 July 2013)

Sikhutsele Primary School (**Mezzo Soprano**) Position 02

Emseni Primary School (**Sextet**) Position 03

Harmony Park (**Mixed Double Quartet**) Position 01

Thanda (**Mixed Choirs Afrikaans**) Position 03

Njanji (**Mixed Choirs African**) Position 02

Mavimbela Junior Secondary School (**South African national Anthem**) Position 03

FET Phase (05 July 2013)

Chayaza (**Mixed Choirs Western**) position 01

Gedlembane (**HIV Jingle and Folklore**) position 02

Chayaza (**Male Voice**) position 02

All choirs that got position one received pianos for their schools.

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