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MEDIA ADVISORY

MEC MHAULE CONGRATULATES AND EXTENDS WELL WISHES TO ALL SCHOOL CHOIRS THAT WILL REPRESENT MPUMALANGA PROVINCE IN THE 2015 NATIONAL SCHOOLS CHORAL CHAMPIONSHIP

The MEC for Education, Mrs Reginah Mhaule congratulates and extends her best wishes to the choirs that will represent Mpumalanga Province in the South African Schools Choral Eisteddfod, National Championships scheduled to take place from **31 June to 02 July 2015 at the Rhema Bible Church, Randburg.**

These choirs that will participate in the National Championships obtained position 01 in different genres of choral music at the Provincial Championships that was held from 12 to 14 June 2015 in Middelburg at Steve Tshwete Local Municipality.

The high standard displayed by the choirs in the 3 day spectacle has earned the confidence of the department and the MEC that the flag of Mpumalanga will be flown high at the National Championships.

The Mpumalanga Provincial South African Schools Choral Eisteddfod Champions representing Mpumalanga in the National Championship are as follows:

Day One (12 June 2015) Senior Phase

Open Own Choice : Platorand Special School
Sextet : Mkhulu Secondary School
Baritone Solo : Khulasakhile Secondary School
Soprano solo : Dlomodlomo Secondary School
Mezzo Soprano : Ndlela Secondary School
Tenor Solo : Hlalakahle Secondary School
Small Ensemble : Ikhethelo Secondary School

Day Two (13 June 2015): FET Band

Male Voices Choir	:	Ndlela Secondary School
Female Voices Choir	:	Ndlela Secondary School
Afrikaans Secondary A	:	Chayaza Secondary School
Afrikaans Secondary B	:	Lowveld High School
Western Secondary A	:	Chayaza Secondary School
Western Secondary B	:	Amadlelo Secondary School
African Secondary A	:	Chayaza Secondary School
African Secondary B	:	Mayibuye Secondary School
HIV/AIDS Jingle and Folklore:	:	Gedlembane Secondary School

Day Three (14 June 2015): Intermediate Phase

Open Own Choice	:	Masinakane Primary School
Sextet	:	Sanqotho Primary School
Mixed Double Quartet	:	Ndawonye Primary School
Boys Choir	:	Ndawonye Primary School
Afrikaans piece	:	Ndawonye Primary School
African Piece	:	Sanqotho Primary School
Western Piece	:	Ndawonye Primary School
Folklore	:	Somcuba Primary School

"I want to congratulate to all learners and schools that have been selected to perform at the 2015 South African Schools Choral Eisteddfod for the splendid work done and wish all of you the best of luck.

Go on, make us proud and raise the Mpumalanga flag very high as you have our full support. We look forward to you being crowned as the 2015 South African Schools Choral Eisteddfod national champions", said the MEC.



The Mpumalanga Department of Education once more takes this time to wish all the schools that will be participating in the 2015 National South African Schools Choral Eisteddfod the best of luck in all their endeavours.

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