



Newsletter

June 2017

Managing Director's Report

Dear Team SYFERFONTEIN.

I would like to start off with the following wise quote:

Just because something is common sense doesn't mean it's common practice.

I would like to encourage you to communicate daily and if possible more frequently regarding the need for each one of us to take responsibility for our own and immediate Family's Health and Safety at our place of work and where we stay.

Quarter Highlights:

1. SC-Mopane and SD Mine both achieve an exceptional DMR Audit outcome with only 2 relatively insignificant Section 55 notices. WELL DONE!
2. Continual improvement at our Mopane Operations in terms of House-keeping, Safe Work Practices and Execution.
3. Product mix at Mopane well balanced to suit current Market conditions.
4. SC-Modimolle changes focus to export Products and experiences phenomenal Market growth and acceptance.

I encourage you to stay safe in mind and spirit and look forward to our journey together going forward.

Thank you as always for your relentless passion and dedication to our Company.

I feel more than ever a great sense of Team Work!

Best wishes

Dane.



Modimolle Plant

Our parking area is finished at last.



Medicals.



January is time for medicals. All the employees went for their medical check-up to make sure they are healthy and fit for work.

Our SABS Audit was done on 22 March. We are very glad that everything went smoothly.



Fire Fighting Equipment



The firefighting equipment was serviced and is in place in case of an emergency.

Our staff also received their annual fire fighting training .

Well done to the following employees:-

Sinah Legwabe



Frans Madisha



Ramond Sithole



Piet Ntsowe



Gideon Jacobs



Enos Sekgabi - 01 January

Paulos Seletela - 03 January

Ramond Sithole - 06 April

Gideon Jacobs - 10 April

Emanuel Legwabe - 22 April

Erick Dabe - 26 April

Johanna Nkwana - 30 May

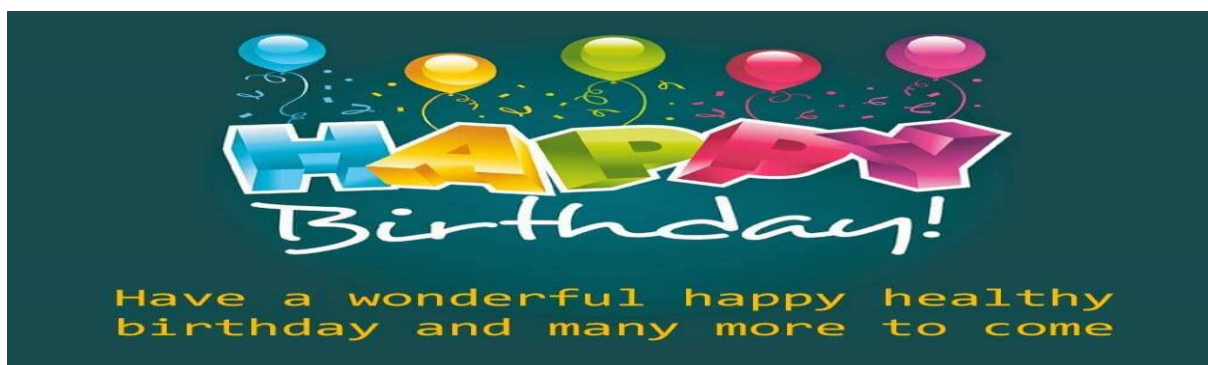
D.M Gresswell - 03 June

Daniel Mahlanga - 13 June

Jan Snyders - 22 July

Koti Khoza - 09 September

Rosina Mokhatshani - 17 September





Can't believe we're already half way through 2017.
We would like to wish you all best wishes, happiness and health for the rest of 2017.

Here are some info of what happened at Syferfontein Dolomite from the beginning of the year.

Vibro tests were done on 13/05/2017.

Ael congratulated us on minium flyrock not going beyond the 100m red zone.

One test were done on 460m from the blast with a vector sum of 0.4mm/s

Second test were done on 613m from the blast with a vector sum of 0.36mm/s



STARTING THE YEAR OFF WITH
MUCH NEEDED RAIN THE LAST
TIME THE SANDRIVER WAS THIS
FULL WAS WITH 2012 FLOODS.

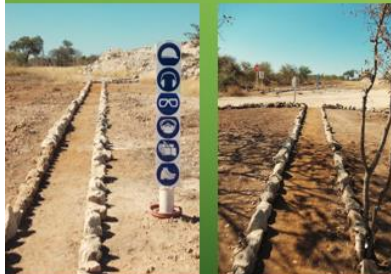




Edwin and Gilbert helped Nokkie to upgrade the entrance at the road.



Shadreck creations at the workshop



New walk ways from workshop to the sorting area



PPE for Women
Our ladies was issued with the required ppe for women in mining. The new requirement was set in place to make women feel more comfortable with the ppe that they are wearing.



HEALTH & SAFETY REPS

SYFERFONTEIN DOLOMITE		
OUR SAFETY REP	YOUR FIRST AIDER	YOUR FIRE FIGHTER
 Colbrine DEP Swetina	 Colbrine DEP Swetina	 Deaton DEP Witsie
 Richard DEP Quynv	 Sam DEP Quynv	 Sam DEP Quynv
 Deaton DEP Witsie		



EMERGENCY EVACUATION DRILL

As part of the safety reps, fire fighters and first aiders training these employees learned how to handle an emergency. We put them to the test in one of our evacuation drills. They reacted fast and knew what to do



Before



After



We currently busy respraying the CAT tlb.
New safety signs was put up around the mine area
Reflective tape was put up on Tmms
The LDV fitted with required rotating light, reverse hooter and buggy whip



JUTAS	KWINDA	3 JAN	MALAO	MUKWEVHO	5 AUG
PETER	PETHEDI	5 JAN	TIMOTHY	NEKHUMBE	7 AUG
SOPHIE	NGOBENI	16 JAN	ARON	MUKWEVHO	23 AUG
RICHARD	MATSHUSA	23 JAN	PETMAN	TSHIVHULA	25 AUG
CATHRIN	NGOBENI	5 FEB	DION	NEMADAKA	3 SEP
HESTER	VAN WYK	6 FEB	MATODZI	DENGA	3 SEP
SAM	PHASWANA	7 FEB	NENZHELELE	NDIAFHI	9 SEP
GODFREY	NYADZAN	20 FEB	SHADRECK	PHETHEDI	21 SEP
CLOUPAS	NGOBENI	4 MAR	PANASHE	ZVOMUYA	28 SEP
GILBERT	MAVHUNGU	5 MAR	PFARELO	NEKHAVHAMBE	19 OCT
AMON	PANDELANI	22 MAR	THABELO	MUKWEVHO	21 OCT
NOKKIE	VAN WYK	25 ARP	HENCUS	BERNARDO	6 NOV
CHRECY	PHETHEDI	7 JUN	PHUMUDZO	NELUDANE	24 NOV
EDWIN	TSHALI	15 JUN	NDWAMBI	CHAUKE	26 NOV
JOHANNES	TSHIVULE	31 JUL			

Judith and Lenandie visited the site and prepared the budgets for the next financial year.





Mopane Plant



The homeless dogs of Mopane came for their daily feed session.



We had a group audit from the Dept. Minerals and Energy on the 19th May 2017 and this is how Carbonates Mopane Plant looked. The results were very good and we were proud of our plant. It shows what can be achieved with teamwork.



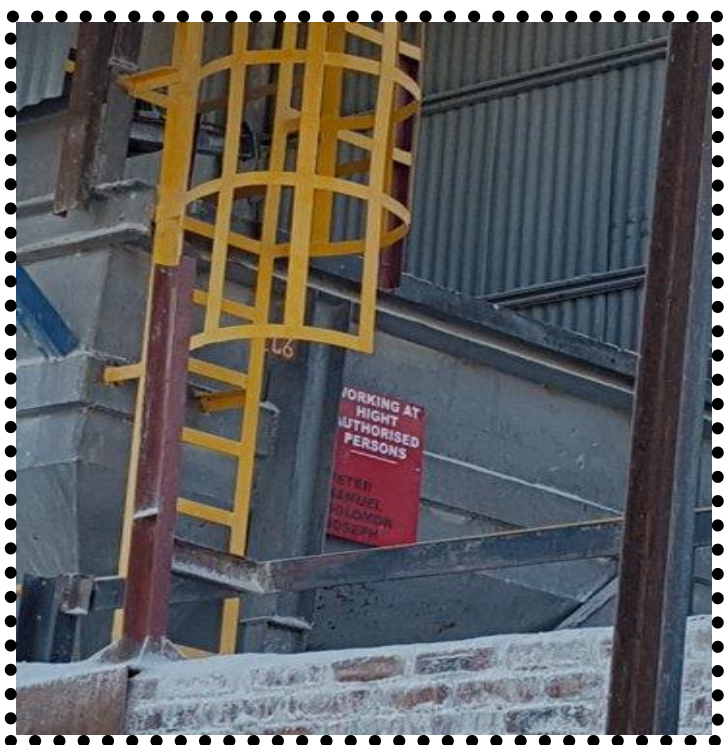


















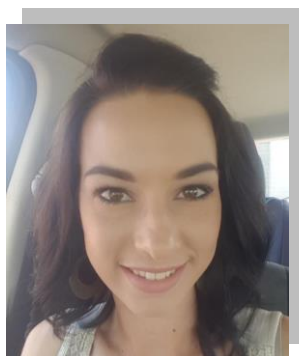


On a
lighter note...



Wishing our Managing Director, [Dane Cresswell](#), who celebrated his birthday on 03 June, a blessed year.

Dane, we hope all your birthday wishes and dreams come true.



At Head office we also celebrated Lenandie's



birthday.

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