



## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **Let's Fix It**

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In this episode, the team visits Lindensquestdrift, in Parys, Free State.

Nthebe Primary School is a small farm school in a rural farming community. Nearly 60-years-old, the school was started by a local farmer and was closed and reopened a number of times before a piece of land was donated in 1960 to give the school a permanent home.

There are 85 learners, all of whom come from poor families with a high proportion of orphans and vulnerable children. There are only three classes and three teachers. Grades are combined into the same classroom and teachers must teach a variety of grades.

The school has a feeding scheme for students and their meal at school is often the only food the children have all day. For a number of reasons a many of the children are not registered for child-support grants.

Let's Fix It will assist by supplying food to supplement the feeding scheme. They will also get the Department of Social Services to come to the school to kick-start the grant registrations.