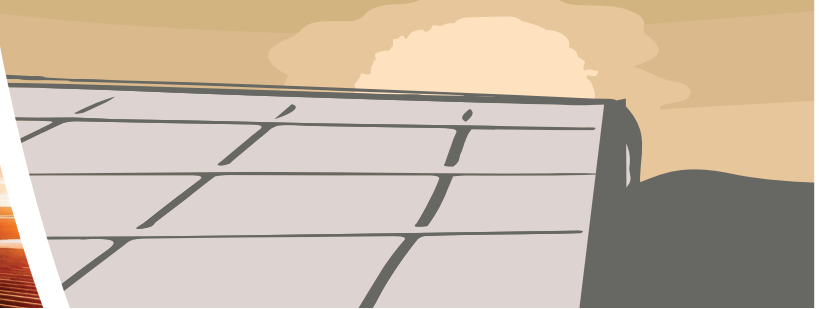




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MENSTRUATION INITIATIVE HEARTS AND MINDS PROGRAMME

As part of Boikanyo Solar's continued efforts to instil pride in young girls, we successfully launched our Menstruation Initiative during the quarter.

We have installed four sanitary pad vending machines in our four local beneficiary high schools of Bongani, Douglas, Weslaan and Riverside. For the next 12 months, these vending machines will ensure the monthly provision of 1800 packets of sanitary pads to our young girl beneficiaries.

This initiative will address the issue of period poverty while ensuring that we keep young girls in school so that they may never miss a single lesson. Furthermore, we've partnered with a local Douglas service provider to ensure that the machines remain fully stocked, further enhancing the sustainability and impact of this initiative.

"We believe that providing access to sanitary pads is a fundamental step towards empowering young girls and enabling them to reach their full potential." - **Lesego Moisané, Boikanyo Solar CLO.**



INTRODUCING OUR COMMUNITY OPERATIONS INTERN – YOUTH SKILLS DEVELOPMENT

We are excited to introduce Charlein Pienaar, our new Community Operations Intern. Charlein is a proud member of the Douglas community and is looking forward to serving her community over the next 18 months as part of the Community Operations Internship Development Programme, which will culminate in her receiving an accredited certificate in Community Development.

Based in Breipaal and a graduate of North West University, Charlein holds a Degree in the field of Population Studies and has demonstrated a passion for community development.

"I am so grateful for the opportunity and ready to take on the task of contributing towards developing my community. After all, I am from the Douglas community, I have lived the Douglas experience, and know what my community needs the most."
– **Charlein Pienaar.**

We look forward to witnessing her positive impact on the community she knows so well.



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STEADY PROGRESS IN PRACTITIONER TRAINING – ECD PROGRAMME

Our 16 beneficiary Early Childhood Development (ECD) practitioners have shown remarkable progress in their training journey. During the quarter, they successfully completed summative and formative assessments across seven Unit Standards as part of the 12-month training programme.

At the end of the 12-month training programme, the practitioners will earn NQF Level 4 ECD Practitioner qualifications. We wish our beneficiary practitioners the best with the remainder of their training.



ALL WOMEN IN BUSINESS EMPOWERMENT INITIATIVE

APPLY FOR ASSISTANCE!

As part of our Enterprise Development efforts, Boikanyo Solar has launched an "All Women-in-Business" Empowerment Initiative.

Through virtue of rolling out this initiative, we intend to assist 50 women from within our beneficiary community of Douglas to successfully register new private companies. We will also issue each of the 50 women with business start-up and compliance paperwork which will consist of the following:

- CIPC Company Registration Certificate
- BBBEE Certificate
- New Business Bank Account
- Tax Clearance Certificate and Pin
- Central Supplier Database Registration
- Start-Up Business Plan
- Business Development Support Training

Who can benefit from this initiative?

- Women who aspire to be entrepreneurs
- Women between the ages of 18–50
- Women who have never had a company registered before
- Women residing within the Siyancuma Local Municipality

How to get involved?

Visit the Boikanyo Solar website and follow the prompts to make an online submission.
www.boikanyosolar.co.za/applications



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Closing date for submissions: **31 December 2023**
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ALL WOMEN-IN-BUSINESS EMPOWERMENT INITIATIVE - ENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

We are proud to have launched our All Women-in-Business Empowerment Initiative as part of our Enterprise Development Programme - aimed at empowering and enabling 50 aspirant female entrepreneurs in their business ventures.

We are dedicated to assisting and providing participants with start-up business compliance documentation, which includes CIPC company registrations, BBBEE certificates, Tax Clearance Certificates, New Business Bank Accounts, Central Supplier Database registrations, Business Development Support Training and Start-Up Business Plans.

"Our mission is to pave the way for these women to overcome hurdles, ensuring they have the necessary foundations to thrive in the business world." - **Lesego Mosiane, Boikanyo Solar CLO.**

Interested beneficiaries from the Siyancuma Local Municipal area should visit the Boikanyo Solar website and follow the prompts to make online submissions: www.boikanyosolar.co.za/applications

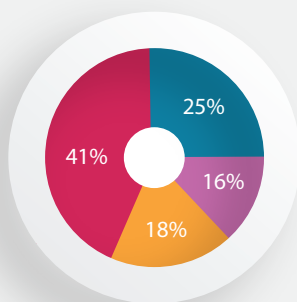


2023 COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Details of the next community engagements will be communicated on Boikanyo's online platforms.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SPEND

- All Women-in-Business
- Girl Pride
- Youth Skills Development
- Scholarship



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