



Graduation



Newbies



Intern farewell party



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Welcome December



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Dear Epworth Family,

Closing the Year with Gratitude

As the year draws to a close, our hearts are full.

Full of gratitude, full of hope, and full of appreciation for every person who has stood beside our children in 2025.

Because of you, Epworth continues to be a home of safety, care, and possibility. We are now a family of **79 children**, from **2 years old to 21 years old**, all living, growing, and healing under one roof. Epworth remains one of the few places in South Africa that provides **long-term, stable care** shaped around each child's emotional, educational, and developmental needs.

Every child here needs a **Champion**.

Every child deserves a **Hero**.

You have been that for them.

Thank You for a Year of Incredible Support

This year, you helped us take the children further than we imagined. You've supported schoolwork, therapy, meals, uniforms, birthdays, and the quiet moments that truly build a childhood. Your kindness has allowed us to keep saying "yes" to opportunities, to growth, and to the dignity every child deserves.

We are deeply thankful.

Holiday Season at Epworth

We have been blessed this December.

With your help, each child has been celebrated, seen, and spoilt with love.

Around **10 children** will be spending the holidays off-site, while the rest will be here at Epworth enjoying Christmas and New Year together.

Even with these blessings, we still have important needs as we prepare for the months ahead.

Our Greatest Needs This December

If you are able to help, these are the areas where support makes the biggest impact:

- **Back-to-School Uniforms – Shirts , Pants , Socks , Cycling shorts and others**
- **Tablets & fees** (for schoolwork, online learning, and tutoring)
- **Holiday Treats** for the children staying with us
- **Christmas & New Year’s Lunch Supplies**

If you would like a detailed list, please **WhatsApp us directly, 27 63 281 4621** as our email access is limited from the 15/12/2025.

Farewell to Our 2025 Interns

“Louise , Matete, Megan , Nikola . Nomfundo, Rianca and Tamika”

As we close the chapter on this year, we extend our warmest wishes to our 2025 intern for the journey ahead. Thank you for everything you have poured into our home — from your commitment to individual therapy and learning support, to the thoughtful care you brought into group work and everyday moments with our children. Your presence, compassion, and dedication have left a lasting impact on both our young people and our team.

You will be truly missed, and we are grateful for the difference you have made. Go forward with pride — your future is bright, and we know you will continue to change lives wherever you go.

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- Proof of Donation (invoice, bank statement, or payment confirmation reflecting the donation amount)

These details are required for us to issue an accurate and valid Section 18A certificate

Looking Ahead

2026 will be a year of building, strengthening, and transforming.

With your help, we believe we can take our children to the next level in every part of their lives.

Thank you for being part of Epworth's heartbeat.

Thank you for giving our children dignity, stability, joy, and a place they can truly call home.

We wish you a peaceful, joyful, and safe festive season.

From our family to yours, **thank you for being our Champions.**

With love and gratitude,

Epworth Children's Village

Staying Connected with Us

We are currently experiencing network and phone line challenges.

If you have reached out and not heard back, please know we are not ignoring you.


The quickest way to contact us is **WhatsApp**.


Our offices will remain open through the holidays, running on **skeleton staff**, and we will respond as soon as possible.

Please follow us on:

 **Website - www.epworthvillage.org.za**

 **Email - admin@epworthvillage.org.za**

 **Weekday Phone - 011 827 5732 - Monday to Friday | 08:00 – 16:00**

 **After-Hours & WhatsApp- +27 63 281 4621 - For urgent queries, quick chats, and voice notes.**

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