

# Sikolo Setfu Our School



VULEMEHLO P. S.



COURAGE AND FAITH

**VISION**  
To provide quality teaching and learning to all learners

**MISSION**  
Improve quality teaching and learning by strengthening and monitoring teachers and learners performance



**VALUES**

- Accountability
- Commitment
- Transparency
- Respect
- Dignity
- Discipline
- Unity



## The history of Vulemehlo Primary School to date

Nomqhele Maseko

Vulemehlo Primary School was established in 1994 and situated at Nkomeni Trust. Learners were taught under the trees. It was accommodated at Mlilo Primary School in Ermelo Trust, KaBokweni.

The following were staff members, who were led by Mr Mnisi, the principal: Ma'am Fakude, Ma'am Hlatshwayo, Mr Khoza, Ma'am Madonsela, Ma'am Makhubedu, the late Ma'am Mashabane, Mr Mazibuko, Ma'am Ndlhovu, Ma'am Sithole and Mr Theledi.

The school later moved to Mangozeni, still under the management of Mr Mnisi, and in a few years some teachers left due old age and new teachers came.

In 2015 Mr Mnisi retired and Mr Matsabe took the lead as the principal. He is currently assisted by Mr Mazibuko.

Due to work load on the SMT, three members were co-opted into the management. These included Ma'am Ndlhovu, Mr Mashabane and Mr Shongwe

to assist in the day-to-day running of the school.

The staff consists of dedicated teachers: Ms Mlangeni, Ms Malumane, Ms Nkuna, Ms Ntsimba, Ms Mgwenya, Ms Nkuna, Ms Thwala and Ms Fakudze, Mr Choshi, as well as Ms Makhomfana. The school also prides itself on having Mr Mhlanga as the admin clerk, Mr

Malamule as well as Ms Ngomane, the general assistants and support staff. The school excels in

sporting activities, which include: soccer, netball, cricket, music and athletics, not to mention traditional dance (sibhaca), music, gumboot dance, Scouts, rads and Cubs add to the flair at the school.

May I add that the school is the only educational pillar and literate foundation of the community, as most of its members depend on it for socio-economic upliftment.

It is our prayer and wish that a media centre be built to help the school's endeavour to uplift the literacy level of the community.

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## Fighting HIV/Aids for our families and others

Dorcas Mampho

HIV and Aids awareness programmes have been given and people taught about this pandemic.

Some are still crying out that there is no understanding why it is still killing people like nobody's business.

It has no boundaries. It sees no colour, no gender. It kills every Tom,

Dick, Harry and Sylvia. Young and old alike. Rich or poor.

People who are affected must not be sidelined. They must be helped with necessary treatment.

Some people, once infected, suffer from an inferiority complex such that they feel they have nothing to offer to the world and resort to death.

I wish that this virus was a person. I would face it. Fight it. And kill it with my bare hands, because we have lost mothers and fathers, brothers and sisters, grandmothers and grandfathers, aunts and uncles, friends and family members due to it.

Friends let us unite to fight this. We must not let ourselves down. We must not be defeated, but we must come out as victors.



## Let the youth be stronger than drug abuse

Ngomane Nondumiso

Substance abuse is the use of drugs and alcohol, illegally and negatively. Some people drink alcohol like water. As a result they get addicted. At times they become so weak that one would feel sorry for them.

Teenagers feel pressurised by their peers, while some feel rejected by their families and so they resort to taking drugs. I think

some of the claims to substance abuse are not true. It is believed that drugs are sold by foreign nationals who, by their actions, kill our nation. It is never too late to mend, because a stitch in time saves nine. Those who are hooked by this habit may get help from the rehabilitation centres. As a youth our future is bright. We have to fight this tendency.

Let us say no to alcohol and drug abuse.



## Education brings good things to every one of us

Ntimba Nandipha

The world lives and moves. Life is made simple. Because We can read and write. There are doctors and nurses, Pilots and sailors, Teachers and philosophers, Farmers and producers. Because We can read and write

We are liberated from illiteracy. We now know what is right and what is wrong. My brother, my sister, my mother, my father, We all live in harmony. One nation, one blood, one country Education has made it simple, a dream come true.

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