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Provincial Golden Games to keep older persons healthy and active for long to be held in Middleburg

The role of older persons in communities has evolved over the years. This has placed the burden of care on the older persons' shoulders. The burden of care results in some of them having their wellbeing and health compromised in many ways. To respond to this challenge, the Department of Social Development will host Provincial Golden Games in Middleburg for older persons to interactive and participate in various sporting codes. The objectives of the Provincial Golden Games are to;

- enhance the quality of life of older persons
- improve the overall health profile of older persons
- create awareness of the abilities and capabilities of older persons in sport and recreational activities
- support and increase the number of older persons participating in active ageing Programmes

Members of the media are invited to the event scheduled as follows.

Date: 03 – 05 September 2014
Venue: Steve Tshwete Municipality. (Nkangala District)
Time: 10h00

End.

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