



SABoerperd

JAARVERSLAG 2018: JEUGRAAD

JEUGRAAD / YOUTH COUNCIL

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Die Jeugraad het reg deur die jaar gedien as die skakel tussen alle jong SA Boerperd ruiters, sodoende kry almal die geleentheid om betrokke te raak en 'n verskil te maak in ons ras. Sosiale media was ons hooffokus en ons het deur ons Facebook groep: SA Boerperd Jeug-aksie talle projekte geloods om gees onder almal te skep.

Omdat ons jeug wyd verspreid is oor die land, is dit moeilik om met mekaar kontak te maak en daarom skep Facebook vir ons daardie platform. Baie jong ruiters woon slegs die Internasionale Kampioenskappe by en kan dus nie deel vorm van klub bedrywighede nie. In die Wes-Kaap egter bestaan daar egter 'n kerngroep SA Boerperd jeug ruiters onder leiding van Monica Viljoen en Lisa Gouws. Baie dankie vir die voorbeeld wat julle stel.

Tydens die SA Boerperd Internasionale Kampioenkappe 2018 het die jeug gesorg vir 'n prettige aand vol lagbuie en vasvrae oomblikke om mekaar beter te leer ken. Tydens die geleentheid het ons President, Mnr. Johannes Langenhoven ons geïnspireer om te SA Boerperd naam op alle vlakke hoog te hou.

At Parys every year, the youth council organises a team building event for the youth, in addition to the social evening. This year, the council decided to host a team challenge. We adopted the idea from the Western Cape SA Boerperd club, who suggested a inter-provincial challenge. One of the youth council's initiatives is to create friendships and camaraderie among competitors. So, it was decided to change the challenge from an inter-provincial competition to a team challenge, in order to prevent segregation between provinces and to encourage the youth to interact with new riders.

Before the show began, participants nominated three classes that they felt they would do the best in. All ridden and driving classes were eligible for nomination. Participants were then divided into three teams. Each team was assigned a member of the youth council to act as a team leader and teams were named after the three colours in the SA Boerperd logo: red, white and blue.

During the course of the week participants obtained points for their placings in nominated classes. On Friday night during the youth function the results of the team challenge was announced. The competition was close, with only four points separating the first and third places. Great fun was had by all the participants and many new friendships were formed. Thank you to Hanni Robinson for keeping score of all the teams throughout the week. Thank you to Hoefstraal Stud, as well as Paul's Bit & Tack for sponsoring the prizes of the winning team, as well as hot chocolate for all members of the Youth Action.

Baie dankie ook aan al die SA Boerperd ambassadeurs met wie ons in ons onderskeie provinsies kon kontak maak deur SANESA.

Ons groet die meeste van ons Jeugraadslede die einde van die jaar. Daarom het ons besluit dat ons in die vervolg liewer die jeug sal aanmoedig om leerders (ruiters) in graad 10 te nomineer om dan sodoende 2 jaar op die Jeugraad te kan dien. Sterkte aan ons nuwe Jeugraad. Mag julle altyd die SA Boerperd se naam hoog hou en as ware ambassadeurs van ons ras optree.