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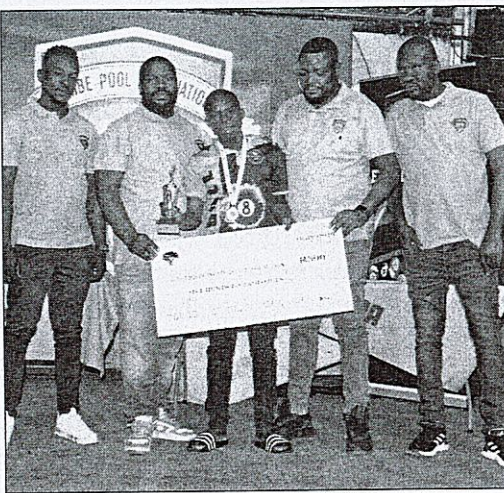
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MUNICIPAL MANAGER

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The players and officials for Lapadada Pool Club celebrate with the team's trophy and cheque. Photo: Frank Mavhungu.



OFF-CAMPUS ACCOMMODATION ACCREDITATION FOR 2027

The University of Venda invites interested, eligible property owners to apply to provide Accredited Student Accommodation for the 2027 academic year. The application process will be open from 01 September 2026 at 08:00, and the applications will close on 15 October 2026 at 16:00.

MANDATORY DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR APPLICATIONS FOR ACCREDITATION 2027

The following supporting mandatory documents must be accompanied by a completed application form in respect of every physical address/property for which accreditation is required:

- Certified Copy of the Title Deed pertaining to the relevant Property.
- Company Documents (CK)
- Certificate of Occupancy COC approved by Thulamela Municipality
- Certified ID copy/copies of owner(s) not older than three months.
- Copy of Applicant's Tax Clearance/Company.
- Confirmation of Banking Details of the Applicant on the Bank's Letterhead.
- Police Clearance of company director/s.
- Proof of Payment per property
- Power of Attorney if an application for accreditation is submitted on behalf of the registered property owner as indicated in the deed.
- Authorizing Resolution if the application for accreditation is submitted on behalf of a Company, Trust, or Closed Corporation.
- Building Plan that has been approved by the Thulamela Municipality.
- Proof of Residential Zoning Permit / Special Consent Use with Thulamela Municipality Stamp.
- FICA documents of the registered owner of the property as required in terms of the Financial Intelligence Centre Act, 38 of 2001.
- Affidavit declaring that the registered property owner permanently resides on the property and/or that a full-time manager has been or will be hired who will reside on the property and tend to the students.
- Copy of the House Rules.
- Waste management plan
- Valid Psira Documents- (Private Security Industry Regulatory Authority)
- Certificate of Completion COC 1-Electrical.
- Certificate of Compliance COC 2-Plumbing.
- Occupational health and safety Legal Compliance.
- Proof of Building Liability Insurance (Minimum of R 10 million Rands).

The applicants are required to use the SCM process from the University website. It is mandatory that a non-refundable application fee of R2500.00 for prospective off-campus accredited residence owners be considered for accreditation, payable at the cashiers of the University OR to the University account: Bank: ABSA bank, Account number: 1000 000 538, Type: Cheque, Branch: Polokwane, Payment reference: F0015615 & Company Name.

Proof of payment should be attached with the application form to be considered for evaluation for accreditation. Any enquiry regarding the application process should be sent to accreditedresidences@univen.ac.za

Where to submit:

- Application forms must be submitted via Supply Chain processes on the Univen Procurement Portal on SABeX DMS, and no hand-delivered application forms will be accepted by any University Official.
- Application forms and ancillary documents can be obtained at: SABeX DMS

PLEASE TAKE NOTE: The University of Venda reserves the right to reject any application that does not meet the prescribed requirements or is submitted after the closing date.



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Lapadadas Pool Club again lift the VPA trophy

BY FRANK MAVHUNGU

Lapadadas Pool Club are still in a celebratory mood after the club was crowned the 2025/26 champions of the Vhembe Pool Association (VPA) during a ceremony held at Vhulelu Bar Lounge in Tshisaulu last Saturday evening.

Lapadadas received a total of R29,000 during the ceremony. They were presented with R11,000, a floating trophy and gold medals for winning the VPA tournament. As if that was not enough to make last Saturday a special day for them, another cheque for R18,000, a floating trophy and gold medals were presented to them after the team also won the league title.

It was the second consecutive year that Lapadadas won the VPA tournament title, after the team lifted the trophy during a ceremony held at Ha Vho-Maria Bar Lounge in Muledane in November last year.

The head coach of Lapadadas, Ms Mutshutshu Nesheshe,

received R1,000 and two trophies after being named the best coach in both the VPA tournament and the league. A Lapadadas player, Godfrey Mandiwana, received the Player of the Tournament award and went home with R500 and a trophy.

Mr Ntshavheni "Décor" Themeli, also from Lapadadas, was the recipient of the Players' Player award and took home R500 and a trophy. Themeli received three awards last year: Player of the Season, Players' Player of the Season and Players' Player of the Tournament.

Mr Khoro Ramuima from Driters Pool Club received two awards during the ceremony. He was given R500 and a trophy after being named Player of the Season, and another R300 and a trophy for being the player who collected the most points in league games.

Blondies Pool Club received R300 and a trophy for being the most disciplined team, while the Manager of the Season award went to Mr Tshedza Maphangwa from Vhulelu Pool Club.

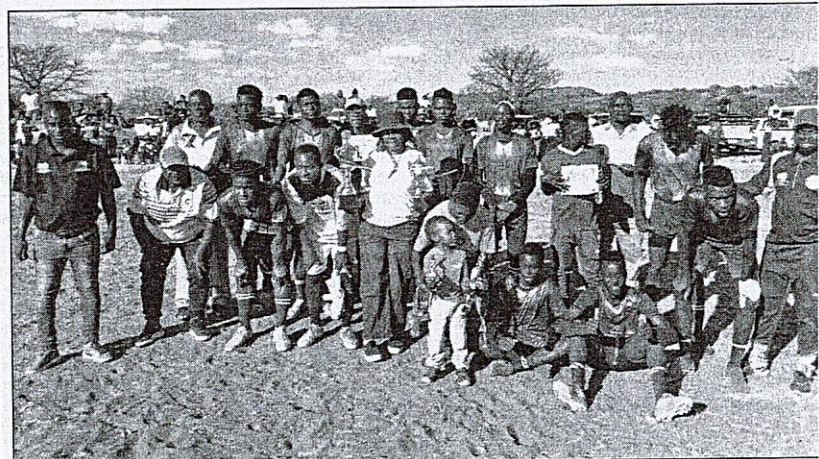


The Player of the Season award recipient Khoru Ramuima, displays his awards. Photo: Frank Mavhungu.



The Players' Player of the Season, Ntshavheni "Décor" Themeli, displays his awards. Photo: Frank Mavhungu.

Shakadza Swallows win Maanea Tourname



TOP: One of the organisers of the Maanea Soccer Tournament, Joe Manenzhe (left), and main sponsor Alpheus Musinyali (back right), pictured with some of the Shakadza Ocean Swallows players. Photo supplied.

BY KAIZER NENGOVHELA

Shakadza Ocean Swallows, who came first in the SAFA Vhembe League, won the Maanea Soccer Tournament after beating Vini FC 4-3 on penalties in an entertaining final at Maanea Sports Ground in Mus Dipeni on Sunday, 15 August.

The winners received R9,000 and a trophy. Vini FC received R5,000, while the third-fourth-placed teams each received R3,000. Teams that finished fifth to eighth each received R500.

One of the tournament organisers, Joe Manenzhe, said 16 teams from Ntshavheni and surrounding areas took part in the tournament which kicked off in mid-July.

Manenzhe said the tournament also helped keep young people occupied, particularly in the Ntshavheni area, where communities face problems such as stock theft and car hijackings.

"When young people are not kept busy ended up doing crime. With the tournament held right near the villages, some local vendors and men were able to cook food and sell to those attending the tournament," said Manenzhe.

He said the tournament also provided opportunity to promote women in football during Women's Month. Young female referees were invited to officiate at some matches giving them an opportunity to gain exposure and market themselves to bigger teams.

Local businessman Alpheus Musinyali, who sponsored and helped organise the tournament, was one of his proudest achievements.

He said he used to see young people lying around the village, with some abusing alcohol from early in the morning, but the tournament gave them a positive way to spend their

PUBLIC NOTICE: AVAILABILITY OF THE DRAFT SOCIAL LABOUR PLAN (SLP) IN SUPPORT FOR AN AGGREGATE MINING RIGHT APPLICATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION ON A PORTION OF THE REMAINDER EXTENT OF FARM BRAKSPRUIT 320 LS, WITHIN MAKHADO LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, VHEMBE DISTRICT MUNICIPALITY, LIMPOPO PROVINCE.
DMPR REF NO: LP30/5/1/2/3/2/1/ (10253) MR

Notice is hereby given on behalf of Mishumo Yashu Supplies (PTY) Ltd (applicant) in terms of the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act (Act No. 28 of 2002) (MPRDA) and the National Environmental Management Act (Act No. 107 of 1998) that Mishumo Yashu Supplies (Pty) Ltd has lodged an application for Aggregate Mining Right for Environmental Authorization supported by a Social Labour Plan compiled in accordance with Section 2 of the MPRDA and section 41 of the regulations.

The draft Social and Labour Plan is available for public perusal and comment upon request via email, at the local municipal office and Makhado Public Library for public review for 30 days commencing period from 21 August 2026 to 21 September 2026. Comments are to be sent in writing to: paulus.environmental@gmail.com and cc: lufuno@paulusapril.co.za, cell: 071 6160411/ 076 443 8024.

Public meetings will be held as follows:

28 August 2026 (09:00-10:00) at Tshikwani Royal Council and at Magau Royal Council from 12:00-13:00. 29 August 2026 at Ntshabala Tribal council from 09:00-10:00.