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Attention: News Editors, Journalists

Media Invitation and Advisory: Chief Albert Luthuli Soccer Tournament Draw Launch

Honoring the Legacy of Chief Albert Luthuli

Marking the footprints of Chief Albert Luthuli and honoring 60 years since the Nobel Peace Prize Award in 1960, the Luthuli Museum, iLembe District Municipality, KwaDukuza Municipality, KwaDukuza Department of Sports and Recreation and the KwaDukuza Department of Health will host a Soccer Tournament Event Launch on Wednesday 18 November at the KwaDukuza Supper Room.

This event launch is preliminary to an annual soccer games that are going on for the third time this year to celebrate Luthuli's legacy. The tournament will take place on Sunday 22 November 2020. It will commence at 8:00am. Participating teams are from the iLembe District.

This tournament will afford us an opportunity to reflect on Luthuli an icon who played a big role in the liberation struggle to achieve freedom in South Africa and to build a non-racial, peaceful, prosperous and just society.

A chance to confront our society and explore possible ways through which we can entrench democracy; social cohesion and nation building and in so doing achieve a South Africa envisioned by the likes of Chief Albert Luthuli.

Chief Albert Luthuli, born in 1898, was the first African to receive a Nobel Peace Prize and served as president of the African National Congress (ANC) from 1952 until his untimely death on 21 July 1967.

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