



**NORTHERN CAPE**

# PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT

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## PRESIDENT CONVENES CABINET LEKGOTLA

President Cyril Ramaphosa convened a Cabinet Lekgotla with leaders from all spheres of government in order to review government's progress on priorities, assess challenges and set the agenda for the seventh administration.

### The plan proposes three strategies priorities:

- Inclusive growth.
- Job creation.
- Reducing poverty and tackling the high cost of living

Other areas of focus include funding Small, Medium, and Micro Enterprise (SMMEs) and the "missing middle" in reference to students whose household income is too high to qualify for NSFAS funding, yet too low to afford tertiary education without financial assistance.

The outcome of the meeting will shape government's policies and programmes that will be announced by the President during his State of the Nation Address (**SONA**) in Parliament on Thursday, 6 February 2025 at 19:00.



President Cyril Ramaphosa with Ministers and Deputy Ministers.

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# NORTHERN CAPE PREMIER'S

GOLF DAY



FRIDAY 14 MARCH 2025  
**KIMBERLEY GOLF CLUB**



▶ **INDIVIDUAL: R 4000**

▶ **FOURBALL: R 16 000**

*Four-ball Fees including:  
Greenfees, Half Way Meal, Dinner  
Golf Apparel, Goodie Bag*

## BANKING DETAILS

STANDARD BANK  
NCPG PMG: OFF OF PREMIER  
ACC NO: 063050943  
BRANCH CODE: 050002  
BRANCH: KIMBERLEY



Scan QR code to register

## FORMAT

*Betterball scramble drive*

## PROGRAMME

*Registration from: 7:30 / Tee off from: 09:00*

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# NEWLY ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF THE NORTHERN CAPE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT



Two new MECs being sworn in by President Judge of Northern Cape Pule Tlaletsi, alongside Premier, Dr. Zamani Saul, at the Northern Cape High Court.



For a strategic leadership structure, in assuring effective service delivery and attending to the needs of communities - the Northern Cape Premier, Dr. Zamani Saul, has appointed two new MEC's in order expand the capacity of achieving mandates and better progress in government's commitments to the public.

Mr. Mangaliso Matika has been appointed to Department of Sport, Arts and Culture, and Ms. Limakatso Kolozi has been appointed to Department of Transport, Safety and Liason.

With their strong background an experience in government, it is indubitable that their addition will add vast value to our provincial government.

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# Traditional prospects permit about changes in the communities.



Group of Traditional leaders alongside Government officials at the Socio-Economic programme.

The year kicks off progressively as the first phase of the Socio-Economic programme took place on the 27-31 January 2025, where traditional leaders from all parts of the Northern Cape came together. The purpose of the gathering is to provide them with the skills and knowledge to drive socio-economic development in their communities. This initiative, supported by the Department of Traditional Affairs (DTA) and the School of Government (NSG), will focus on:

- Empowering traditional leaders to become change agents.
- Re-orienting traditional leadership to prioritize sustainable economic growth.
- Promoting the sustainable use of local resources.

The second phase will commence in March 2025, ultimately leading to the certification of Traditional leaders as competent in fostering community development.



# Sassa Northern Cape Conducts Three-day Media Campaign To Educate Beneficiaries



SASSA officials in the Northern Cape assisting beneficiaries during an outreach campaign.

This week, SASSA Northern Cape embarked on a three-day media campaign community radio stations to educate and engage beneficiaries on the Grant-In-Aid and Social Grant Payment Dates for February 2025. The campaign aired on Kurara FM, Radio Kaboensa, Radio NFM, Radio Riverside, Ulwazi FM, Revival FM, Vaaltar FM, and Radio Teemaneng.

Grant-In-Aid is a monthly grant provided to beneficiaries who are already receiving the Old Age Grant, War Veterans Grant, or Disability Grant (Temporary or Permanent) and require regular care due to a physical or mental condition. Qualification is subject to a medical assessment.

## February 2025 Social Grant Payment Dates:

- Older Persons Grant & Linked Grants: 4 February 2025.

- Disability Grants & Linked Grants: 5 February 2025.
- All Other Grants: 6 February 2025.
- COVID-19 SRD Grants: 24–28 February 2025 (for approved applicants).

SASSA remains committed to providing accurate information and accessible services. More media campaigns and outreach programmes will be conducted across the Northern Cape.

For grants related queries, please call the toll-free line on **0800 60 10 11**, email [grantsenquiries@sassa.gov.za](mailto:grantsenquiries@sassa.gov.za), visit [www.sassa.gov.za](http://www.sassa.gov.za) or any office.

Stay informed by following SASSA News on **Facebook** and **@OfficialSASSA on X**.

# K.D.C

## Action Sports Festival This Past Weekend in Kimberley!



The Kimberley Diamond Cup (KDC), an annual skateboarding event took place this past weekend at KDC Skate Park in Kimberley Northern Cape. KDC event was about uniting our communities and supporting one another.

The vibrant skaters were competing for an incredible R100 000 prize, showcasing their skills in an electrifying atmosphere. Congratulations to all the talented Skaters for participating and showcasing their talents!



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# SATURDAY. 01 FEBRUARY