



# LOWVELD EAST NEWS LETTER

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**THE LEADING DISTRICT IN THE MPULALANGA PROVINCE IS YET TO SHOWCASE ITS ACTIVITIES THAT PUTS IT ON TOP OF THE MPUMALANGA PROVINCE'S PYRAMID**

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## **Editors' greetings**

**Lowveld East members are about to enjoy the news that comes from their district extracted from each activity they partake in each day. This is the beginning of great things that will show the great difference of our union from other unions in the Lowveld. I will go everywhere in the province to generate data to inform our members. Enjoy our very first newsletter, with more to come.**

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*Our dedicated leader Mr. S Mzimba*

The coming in of our latest chairperson has seen the district striving to go back to its roots of being the leading district in the province. He give up everything he has for the growth and the benefit of the union.



He is willing to brand his personal car with the union stickers to showcase the union to the public as one of his means of recruiting new members to the union.



*Mr. S. Mzimba (District Chairperson) and Mr. M. Kutumela (PEU President)*

In different occasions our chairperson met with our president discussing ways to strengthen the union at the district. The picture on the left they met at the Provincial General Executive Conference (PGEC) at Belfast on the 28/09/2018. The picture on the right they were at the General Executive Conference (GEC) at DOXA DEO Church in Pretoria on the 12-13/10/2018.



He does not rest hoping that information is the key that lead to success. Here again he is with our very own provincial chairperson Mr. I.N Ngwane. In Siswati they say “Lihlala ndzawonye lidla emajwabu”. It’s as if our chairperson well understood that because he is always up and down meeting with his seniors just to get information on how to revive this union at the Lowveld East district. It is in his heart and so he wishes that all our members cannot sit back and relax but be all over talking and showcasing our union



*Mr. A.H Nhlongo (District Secretary)*

One of the executive members who always make sure that our members at large get all the information they need.



*Mr. M.B Mashabane (Provincial SAC)*



*Young executive lions at the PGEC with their president.*

The president is encouraging the district together with the branches to utilise the young members joining the union. There are many activities on the table for the young members in the district that they will be doing. The Sport Arts and Culture (SAC) at provincial level is yet to meet with the district SAC including our very own Mr. W. Modipane to structure well all the activities.

We are proud to have taken or being represented by members from the Lowveld at the PEC. From another perspective one may say it puts the district at a great advantage.



*Newly recruited Members from the Lebombo branch during their mass meeting.*

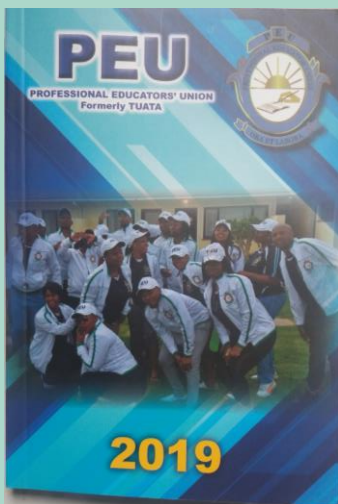
It is with great joy that there are young members that join the union in large

numbers each day. This is because of the dedication of all our members out there who are always representing the union very well.



*The branded union car.*

This is one of the cars that will be used by the union to go all over the state to do union activities that will help show people that there is a union called PEU.



*2019 union Diary*

The union at national level is also working towards servicing the members at all costs. The 2019 diary is already out, members can await it. As soon as it reaches our offices

members will be given their diaries. This is what we call member service. It is done to ensure that every member will start the year with their diaries.

### **Upcoming Events:**

1. 09/11/2018 District mass meeting
2. 23/11/2018 District closing function

The district executive has promised to bring down to the district members of the NEC to honour each of these activities. Members are urged to attend the above mentioned activities.

### **Notices:**

The Lowveld East district is bringing down the South African Educators Council (SACE) down to the Lowveld. Currently the district is in the process of informing all the five circuit managers to consult with their CMT to help circulate the information. Members you are urged to identify and note all the educators that have lost their SACE certificates and those who want to apply for the certificates to contact the district secretary or chairperson. Once we have the required number of seventy (70) minimum then we will call SACE officials to come and assist our educators. **N.B** this is open to any other educator regardless of union affiliation.

Other activities that will take place are:

CPTD training

SACE code of ethics