



Michell Peter of AFXB awarded trophies to individuals at the Aids event in Pinville on Saturday.  
Photo by Kopano Monaheng

## Hope for aids orphans

**By KOPANO MONAHENG**  
THE FORGOTTEN kids. These are the Aids orphans that society does not see.

Sometimes they go hungry, or fall ill, or have nowhere to sleep – and it seems like nobody cares. But there are groups out there who do care and make sure that such unlucky children get help. One of these organisations is the Association Francois Xavier

Bagnoud, which held a celebration of hope on World Aids Orphans Day. The event was held at the Pinville Community Centre Hall in Soweto on Saturday.

The day was filled with song, poetry and dances by the kids as the association and Cargill SA handed out study grants worth R30 000 to three bright pupils to study at Rosebank College. Project co-ordinator Petunia

Monyai said: "We thank Cargill SA for helping our kids to study further. This is the first time Cargill SA has worked with us and we hope it will continue."

*Daily Sun* spoke to the three pupils.

Mpho Mlotshwa (18) from Alexandra said:

"I am going to do a national certificate in financial accounting."

# Samariah's brother vanished 26 years ago!

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**By NTOMBI NKOSI**

A WOMAN has been looking for her brother for over 26 years. *Daily Sun* is her last resort. Samariah Ngomane (55), from Mangweni Village, near Komatiport in Mpumalanga, told *Daily Sun* that her brother, Buyanionke Ngomane, left home for work in 1982 as he usually did.

But that day was different because he never returned home.

Samariah said she used to have six siblings, including Buyanionke.

After her brother disappeared, however, the other five siblings died.

"I want to find my brother because he is the only family that I have left. I want us to reunite and be a family again," said Samariah.

She added that the other reason why she wanted to find her brother was because she wanted to show him where their parents and their siblings were buried.

"Family members have to visit and perform rituals for their dead relatives," she explained.

"I believe that the People's Paper will help me find my brother," she said.

Anyone who knows the whereabouts of Buyanionke Ngomane may call Samariah on 076 665 7251.



Samariah Ngomane is looking for her brother Buyanionke.  
Photo by Jan Flight

# Lawyers can have fun too

STAFF AT the Mhala Magistrates Court let their hair down on Friday to throw a mass farewell party for eight former colleagues, from magistrates to a former gardener.

ses Mhlanga, who was transferred to the Barberton Magistrates Court in February and prosecutor Lilly Thaba (28), who returned home to Polokwane in December last year after undergoing two head operations.

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