

Inclusion wins at Colours of Bliss sports gala

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IT was all about inclusivity at the Dhubri Road Sports Ground as Colours of Bliss Autism Centre held its annual mini sports gala on April 15.

The event saw around 1 000 people come throughout the course of the day to advocate their support for Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD).

The mini sports gala served as a welcoming space where children with autism engaged in a range of enjoyable, sensory-friendly sports activities, participating alongside learners from mainstream schools.

Jeeven Padayachee, from the Colours of Bliss Autism Centre, said that the gala was conceived around three primary objectives, to foster greater outreach and understanding, to ensure everyone felt included in the activities and to contribute to the overall development of the community.

“The gala is a key part of our autism outreach and awareness initiatives. It invites the broader community, parents, schools, businesses and civic leaders, to experience inclusion in action and to better understand and celebrate children on the autism spectrum,” said Padayachee.

He added that the day was

not about competition, instead prioritising a secure and joyful setting where every single child could participate fully and without reservation.

Beyond the sporting activities unfolding on the field, the gala also played a considerable part in the development of young people, as numerous youth volunteers took on significant responsibilities, helping to organise and manage the day’s entire programme.

“Colours of Bliss is deeply committed to community building and youth development. The gala gave youth from civic groups, secondary schools and faith-based organisations a meaningful role in the planning, organising and running of the event. They don’t just volunteer, they lead, learn and serve,” said Padayachee.

Colours of Bliss expressed its appreciation to Strini Pillay and the Merewent Athletics Club for use of its clubhouse and field, as well as Merebank Secondary School and City of Love Ministries for their youth volunteers.

Padayachee also thanked Ami Moodley, principal of Junagarth Primary School, for coordinating the event and putting the programme together. He lastly also expressed his gratitude to all who attended and participated.



Learners from Junagarth Primary School Asenathi Masoka, Thandolwenkosi Skhosane, Sbani Maziya and Awande Makhanya show off their poster for autism awareness.



Jeeven Padayachee lights a candle in remembrance of those who have contributed to autism awareness in the community

Mbalenhle Mthembu performs a traditional dance for audience.
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Kristen Rose Govender from St Raphael School takes part in the team event.

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