

**University of Pretoria  
Student Representative Council 2017/18**

**YEARLY REPORT**

- *Drafted by: Mr Aaron Lizwi Masemola  
In his capacity as: Residence Representatives*



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| <b>Project:</b>                   | <b>Timeframe</b> | <b>Action/Activities</b>  | <b>Outcome/Achieved Results</b>   | <b>Recommendations/Implications for Policy/Practice)</b>   |
| Transformation                    | Continuous       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assisted and formed part of the process that involved all residences giving suggestions to rename residences</li> <li>Ensured that transformations talks do take place in residences through the program like each one teach one and the Wokudonsa wellbeing programs.</li> <li>Ensured that we commit to the fact that for the 2018/2019 term TuksRes will form an Transformation Sub-council that will consist of Transformation HC members from all residences</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Renaming of Residences</li> <li>Transformation talks in residences</li> <li>Transformation Sub-council</li> <li>Transformation Task teams</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improved communication from Prof. Mosia’s office</li> <li>Allowing students to have a voice in decisions that are made about the environments and spaces that they live in.</li> <li>Making transformation talks in residences compulsory</li> <li>Encouraging all residences to have at least one</li> </ul> |

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|                                    |            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Committed to ensuring that we create an external body from the residence sub-council that can continuously evaluate and monitor transformation in our residences. In addition, this suggestion was made by Rally Somo and his team.</li> </ul>  |  | <p>transformation talk per semester</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Providing continuous support for a newly formed Transformation Sub-council</li> <li>Providing continuous support for Transformation Task teams that operate independently from residences</li> </ul>   |
| Encouraging a healthy student life | Continuous | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Formed part of discussions with TuksRes food services to find solutions to problems that students are facing in residences with regards to food services. Matters that were discussed are as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Catering for student with special dietary requirements (e.g. Halal food)</li> <li>Food prices in dining halls</li> <li>More Variety in dining halls</li> <li>Having cooking facilities in all residence</li> </ul> </li> <li>We had Inter-Res sports throughout the year. However, not all residences were part of these Inter-Res sports activities.</li> <li>We had several Inter-Res social events to encourage social cohesion amongst residences</li> <li>House Onderstepoort with the help of local sponsors hosted the annual Run-4-Rhinos fun run. In addition, the Republic of Olienhout was in support of this event and contributed to this event.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Halal meals in residences dining halls</li> <li>Inter-Res sports</li> <li>Inter-Res social events</li> <li>Hosting Sporting events that encourage a healthy lifestyle (Run-4-Rhinos)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improving communication between students and TuksRes dining hall services</li> <li>Providing more options and alternatives when it comes to meal options in dining halls</li> <li>Having Cooking facilities in all residences</li> <li>More dining halls on campus to alleviate the long ques at Kloostersel</li> <li>Encouraging more Inter-Res sporting events between all the residences</li> <li>Encouraging Inter-Res social and events that are not centred around the consumption of alcohol and the culture of partying</li> </ul> |

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|  |  |  |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hosting more sporting event like fun runs to encourage a healthy lifestyle and partnering up with international and local organisations to raise awareness about social ill and matters of importance to society. Partnering up with other organizations would also give us more opportunities to raise funds for such events.</li> </ul> |
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I, Aaron Lizwi Masemola, in my capacity as the SRC Residence Representatives hereby confirm the contents of this report as a true reflection of the action(s)/activities(s) that were completed during my SRC Term of Office for the 2018 Academic Year.

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Aaron Lizwi Masemola

SRC Residence Representative 2018

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