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Get your unique numbered print of the Seven Magnificent Tuskers

We are very excited to invite all our members to join us and the Good Neighbour Foundation (GNF) in a national campaign to fight poaching in the Kruger National Park.



The project is a joint effort by Chambers of Commerce near the Kruger National Park and communities along the periphery of the Park and offers each and every member the opportunity to purchase a very beautiful and unique limited and numbered print of the Seven Magnificent Tuskers of the Kruger National Park, drawn by well-known Hoedspruit wildlife artist, Vanessa Lomas.

The prints are A1 in size and the names and short description of each of the seven elephants appear at the bottom of the artwork. Prints are exclusively available to chamber members for the next two weeks at a price of R900 each. They will retail later for R1500 in shops nationally.

(For more visit www.klcbt.co.za— The Home Page, or reply to this e-mail to place your order)

Innibos Meridian Educational Trust needs sponsors for 2018 bursaries

The Innibos Meridian Educational Trust provides bursaries for 20 students to study at the Meridian Karino Independent school. These children have excelled academically since they enrolled in the school and due to increases of costs, Innibos needs additional sponsors for 2018. They currently run short of fees for 4 children.

Costs per learner is R60 000 per year with an 8% annual increase.

Other requirements which can be sponsored include, tablets, health screenings, stationery, bedding & towels and school uniforms.

Any donation towards the programme would be appreciated if a full bursary is not possible. It is really important that these children remains in the programme.

(Reply to this e-mail to receive more details about the programme)

It is budget time—plan ahead to advertise your business

Numerous possibilities exist within the KLCBT to advertise your business or product.

Advertise on the KLCBT website @ R630 per month or if you book 12 months in advance you will only pay R570 per month.

Advertise to the KLCBT members data base @ R330 per mail shot

Attend our regular networking events—it remains the most effective way to get new clients. Cost of attending will usually be only R120 per person.

All forms and details are on the KLCBT website.

All other marketing offers are regularly posted on our website.

(Visit www.klcbt.co.za—The Home Page, Current Marketing Opportunities)



Operation Festive Season—Task of the week—Eliminate opportunities

Apart from crimes committed by highly organised syndicates, all other crimes affecting business are committed because the perpetrator saw an opportunity to commit the crime.

Unfortunately we cannot hide the stock we are trying to sell, but there are a few basic tips that can be implemented.

Last week we said, “do not leave valuables in vehicles”, it does not only include laptops and handbags. Any parcel, shopping bags and a pair of sunglasses, can trigger a burglary.

Similarly in the businesses, please do not make it easy for criminals to see an opportunity. Do not handle cash in a visible place; do not leave cell phones on a desk; Attend to people who are “hanging around” the business; Have VISIBLE patrols in your shops, not just cameras; Be aware that crimes can also happen in ‘safe areas’; Prepare schedules with safety in mind and lastly, How much does employees know?

