

BROADACRES VILLAGE RESIDENTS COMMITTEE



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Mandela Day

15th July 2019

Dear Residents,



“What counts in life is not the mere fact that we have lived. It is what difference we have made to the lives of others that will determine the significance of the life we lead”. Nelson Mandela

MANDELA DAY - ANNUAL POVERTY RELIEF CHARITY DRIVE

For the last four years, ResCom has organised a charity drive to celebrate Mandela Day. At this time of unemployment and poverty it seems even more important than ever not to let this tradition fall away and in our own small way, mark this great man's life and achievements. Mandela was seen as a man of great forgiveness, humanity and ideology. Most of us were probably lucky enough to experience the time he touched the lives of all South Africans and made his mark throughout the world.

This drive involves collecting dry and non-perishable goods to be donated to a local charity. Items for collection may include rice, sugar, tea, maize meal, tinned fish, peanut butter, cooking oil, beans (dried or tinned), powdered or long-life milk and soya mince. Other items such as Sunlight soap, toilet soap and toothpaste are also welcome.

As we did last year, we would like to hand over our collected goods to All Saints Church, Richards Road, who arrange for the distribution through their Outreach Programme. Talfryn Davies has agreed to arrange the delivery to the church. Parcels can be left at Social Evenings or at Judy Stuart's home on a Tuesday or Friday between 8.30 am and 2.30 pm.

DEADLINE FOR COLLECTIONS IS **WEDNESDAY 31ST JULY.**

Once again let's show the spirit of Evergreen Ubuntu

Best regards,
Hennie du Preez
Chairman of ResCom