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The Cloetesville High school tour to the Netherlands 15 September 2019 - 29 September 2019.

As our academic year draws to a close, we just want to reflect on the biggest event of the year for our u16 soccer team.

The school, together with the governing body, parents and the leaders involved just want to thank your organization again for hosting our learners in our country. The money that the learners raised to fulfil their dreams is a drop in the ocean compared to the sacrifice of your foundation.

Yes, we have lost two matches, but the results are immaterial in the bigger scheme of things. Thank you also for the top-class coaching for learners and the coaches. We will surely implement it in our coaching to benefit all our soccer players.

The trips on the Waterbus were very memorable. The churches that we visited were very impressive. We were also allowed to sing before packed congregations, what a privilege. Feyenoord FC and Ajax Amsterdam have a lot of new supporters after we visited the two stadiums. Their history will inspire our kids to dream big.

Staying with the host families in Papendrecht was truly amazing and unforgettable. They spoilt our learners in every way they could. (Most of our learners come from a very humble background. Some even did not have pocket money.) Lifelong friendships were established. That was evident from the tears that flown when it was time to leave.

We also want to extend our gratitude to our host, the Papendrecht Football Club. That includes the Chairman, the Board, the Coaches, Players and also the Volunteers that made our stay, one to cherish for a lifetime. The positive spirit and work-ethic we have experienced at the club was second to none. We wish the Club a successful centenary celebration this year.

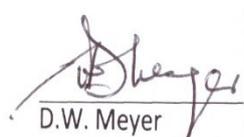
The learners and the coaches will be role models after this tour. Other learners and people in the community are already looking up to them. From the previous tour (2017) we have two players (Shaun Isaacs and Keenan van Rooyen) who have signed youth contracts with Stellenbosch FC (a PSL Club in Stellenbosch). They have also benefitted from your foundations input.

We want to thank the Foundation for all the attire and equipment. We will share it with other learners and even the primary schools in our community who are less privileged.

Dennis, Chris, Hank, Peter, Harry, Nick and all the others are household names in the Western Cape and you are like family to us and the boys. We also remember Pauline and Sindiswa and our new family from Papendrecht. You are always welcome to visit us.

We at Cloetesville High are proud to be associated with your Foundation. We also hope that we have done you proud with our football and with who and what we are.

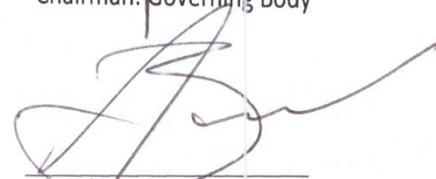
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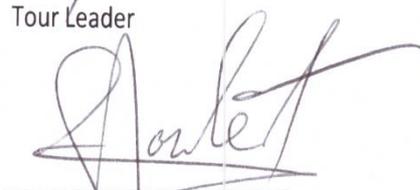
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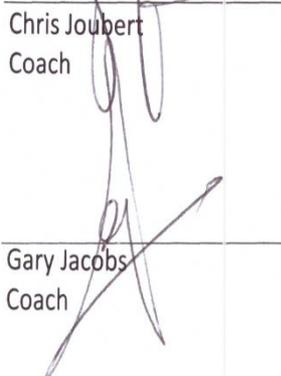
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Tour Leader



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