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Nelspruit DCS PSA team-building event

On 20 November 2026, PSA members at the Department of Correctional Services (DCS) in Nelspruit hosted a successful team-building event at Nelspruit Correctional Centre Club in the form of a bring-and-braai. The event was attended by PSA members from various DCS workplaces across the Nelspruit area, reflecting the unity, commitment, and solidarity that continue to characterise the Union. The gathering provided members with a valuable opportunity to strengthen working relationships, foster teamwork, and engage in meaningful interaction outside the workplace environment.

The primary purpose of the event was to promote unity amongst members and celebrate the collective identity of the PSA. Throughout the day, members shared experiences, exchanged ideas on workplace matters, and reaffirmed the importance of standing together in advancing and protecting the rights and interests of public servants.

The event was characterised by a positive and vibrant atmosphere, with members actively participating in activities and discussions that strengthened organisational cohesion. The success of the event also attracted interest from employees who are not currently members of the PSA, with several of them requesting membership application forms after witnessing the camaraderie and unity displayed by members. This reflects the continued confidence that employees place in the PSA as the Union of Choice in the public service.

Members were encouraged to remain disciplined in the workplace, uphold the values and principles of the PSA, and actively contribute to the growth of the Union through recruitment and meaningful member participation. The importance of maintaining a strong and united voice in addressing workplace challenges and advancing workers' interests was also highlighted.

The PSA extends appreciation to all members who attended and contributed to the success of the event. Initiatives of this nature play an important role in strengthening member engagement, enhancing organisational visibility, and fostering a sense of belonging amongst members. The PSA is committed to fostering unity, solidarity, and active participation amongst members. The success of this initiative reflects the strength of the Union at grassroots level and serves as a reminder that a united membership is essential in advancing and protecting the rights and interests of workers in the public service.

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