



THE GOLDEN MOLE

NaDEET's Endemic Newsletter



Emergency update #2

CLEANING UP AND ASSESSING THE DAMAGES

For the past 5 days NaDEET has been writing inventory lists and assessing the damage of last week's fire. On numerous occasions one of us as shouted out, "Oh, no- we also lost _____ in the fire". There are so many things that have been donated to NaDEET over the past few years from around the world that it is heartbreaking to have to write it on a inventory of burned items.



On Tuesday afternoon the assessor appointed by our insurance brokers visited the site to assess the damage. He will submit his report on Friday of this week. We hope that the insurance will properly cover the rebuilding of NaDEET's classroom and kitchen. Unfortunately it is already quite clear that our insurance policy will not cover the majority of the contents of the building that were lost. Only next week will we know our exact financial situation.

For the past two days NamibRand Nature Reserve and Tok Tokkie Trails have very kindly assisted us to clean up the site. They are currently dismantling the small section that survived the fire it now belongs to the insurance company.

We are also very grateful to the many emails and phone calls that have come in over

the past few days with offers of support. NaDEET plans to re-open its doors with a temporary classroom and kitchen on the 10. July and to have the new building finished by the 1. August.

In order for us to resume our environmental education classes we need your help with the items listed below.

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| 6 x steel folding tables | 4 x black kettles | 3 x potato masher |
| 50 x folding camping chairs | 2 x metal trunks | 1 x whisk |
| 40 x coloured pencils (pack of 6) | 1 x large juice container (15 l) | 60 x forks |
| 6 x coloured kokis | 2 x backpacks (day) | 60 x knives |
| 5 x permanent markers | 6 x brooms | 60 x spoons |
| 4 x white board dry erase markers | 6 x hand brooms | 30 x teaspoons |
| 50 x pencils | 6 x scoops | 8 x cutting boards |
| 50 x pens | Sponges, cloths, drying cloths | 10 x big thermos flask |
| 10 x pencil erasers | 3 x tin openers | 5 x large bowls |
| 6 x pencil sharpeners | 6 x vegetable peelers | 5 x medium bowls |
| 1 x stapler + staples | 4 x cheese graters | 7 x small bowls |
| 2 x 25 litres plastic bucket with lid | 1 x dry measuring cups & spoons | 6 x flour sieves |
| 2 x large black rubbish drums | 1 x liquid measuring cup | 5 x pot mats (to protect table) |
| 6 x small mirrors | 8 x sharp knives | 20 x old ice cream containers for storage |
| 2 x magnifying glasses | 2 x colanders | |
| 1 x 12 volt camping light | 4 x serving spoons | |

Please drop off your donation clearly marked **NaDEET** at one of the following collection points with your name and contact details so we can thank you! Please make your donation before the 4 July we will then come to collect them.

WINDHOEK

c/ o Wolwedans Office
Bismarck Street 36
Tel: 061 230616
Contact person: Elke Jensen
Open 8am-5pm

SWAKOPMUND

c/o Ms. Christiane Berker
Riverside Avenue 67
Tel: 081-124 6547 (Christiane)
Tel: 081-268 3238 (Johanna)
Anytime during day & early evening

Thank you!

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