

## **Secretary General's Annual Report**

### **Introduction**

To Members, Supporters, and Stakeholders,

It is with immense pride and gratitude that I present to you the Chairman's Annual Report for 2023/2024. This year in review has been a transformative one for our organization, Thabong Masters Social Club, as we continue to promote sports, foster community spirit, and support the personal growth of individuals through athletic undertakings.

### **Achievements and Highlights**

This year, we achieved remarkable milestones across various aspects of our organization:

#### **1. Organisation setup:**

- TMSC managed in the short space of time to hold elections for Executive Committee and these members went about establishing the following:
  - Drafting and adoption of a constitution for the organisation.
  - Adoption of the emblem (logo) for the organisation.
  - Registration of the organisation as a non-profit organisation with the CIPC.
  - Opening of a bank-account with African Bank.

#### **2. Sponsorships and Donations:**

In preparation for the year ahead, the Executive Committee was also able to secure a massive sponsorship with Harmony Gold for sourcing of Netball and Soccer kits, Netball and Soccer balls, Gold, Silver and Bronze medals as well as trophies for the youth / school tournaments.

#### **3. Membership Growth:**

- We welcomed Twelve (12) new members during this year, bringing our total membership to 44. This reflects our growing presence and appeal within the community.

#### **4. Events and Programs:**

- Successfully hosted two (2) events, including tournaments, training camps, and community outreach programs. Notable among these were the June

16<sup>th</sup> commemoration and the Schools Netball and Soccer tournaments, which saw record participation and positive feedback.

- Launched new initiatives like the Dignity Pack Campaign, designed to assist learners from impoverished backgrounds with basic hygiene necessities such as toothpaste, bathing cloths, sanitary towels for girls, school uniform and shoes, etc.

#### **5. Youth Development:**

- Continued investment in youth development programs has yielded excellent results, with young athletes, both in soccer and netball being identified for regional / national competitions.

#### **6. Community Engagement:**

- Strengthened ties with local schools and the district office of the education department, collaborating on projects to promote sports and healthy living.

### **Financial Overview**

The organization's financial health remains robust thanks to prudent management and generous support from our sponsors, donors, and members. Highlights include:

We maintained disciplined expenditure, with strict adherence to established standard accounting principles.

The report of the Treasurer-General, elsewhere in this document further expounds to how the monies were disbursed.

### **Challenges**

While we regards the past year as a resounding success, we faced challenges including:

- Limited funding for expanding certain programs.
- Ongoing impacts of the economic downturn on participation levels.
- The need to upgrade aging facilities and infrastructure.

We are actively working on solutions and strategies to address these issues in the coming year.

### **Conclusion**

Thank you once again for your unwavering belief in our mission. Together, we are building a stronger, healthier, and more inclusive community through sports. Let's make [next year] another extraordinary year for [Organization Name].

Signature:

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