

## NATIONAL WATER WEEK 2008 EVENTS CALENDAR

### EASTERN CAPE

Date	Host/District	Venue	Focus	Activities
19 or 20 March	Amathole District Municipality	Maqoma Village, Butterworth	Launch of the Maqoma Village Bulk Water Supply	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Formal launch incl speeches &amp; entertainment</li> <li>Visit the hospital and do a health and hygiene awareness campaign</li> <li>Physical laying of pipes</li> </ul>
17/18/19/20 March	Amathole DM, Buffalo City, BCLSA, Amatola Water	17 MetLife and Vincent Mall	Awareness raising activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Setting up display stands manned by reps from all three entities</li> <li>Handing out pamphlets and leaflets &amp; other promotional materials</li> </ul>
17 March	Amathole DM, Buffalo City, BCLSA, Amatola Water	Visit to Potye Village near Ncera	Demonstration for boiling water (water quality). Partially contaminated dam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Health and hygiene awareness including clean up campaign</li> <li>Clean up materials i.e. refuse bags, gloves, Rainwater tanks (potential donations)</li> </ul>
18 March	Amathole DM, Buffalo City, BCLSA, Amatola Water	Schools based education programme.	Orientating learners around the dam.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Visit to treatment works</li> <li>Bulk water treatment</li> </ul>
17/18/20 March	Ndlambe Local Municipality (Alexandria, Port Alfred, Kenton on Sea)	Awareness Raising campaign at Jawuka Community Hall (Port Alfred)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>School visits</li> <li>Awareness event</li> <li>All Staff blitz focusing on leaking taps and promoting health and hygiene</li> <li>Distribution of promotional materials</li> </ul>
17 March	Ndlambe Local Municipality (Alexandria, Port Alfred, Kenton on Sea)	Jauka Hall	How to save water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Formal launch and hanging of posters</li> </ul>
18 March	Ndlambe Local Municipality (Alexandria, Port Alfred, Kenton on Sea)	Kenton, Barthurst, Alex & P.A	Health and Hygiene campaign	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Visit schools and squatter camps</li> </ul>
19 March	Ndlambe Local Municipality (Alexandria, Port Alfred, Kenton on Sea)	Kenton, Barthurst, Alex & P.A	How to save water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Repairing of leaking taps &amp; pipe on townships</li> </ul>
20 March	Ndlambe Local Municipality (Alexandria, Port Alfred, Kenton on Sea)	Barthurst, P.A, Alex, Kenton	How to purify water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Invites pupils from various schools</li> </ul>
17 - 20 March	OR Tambo Municipality	Schools competition around the Water Week theme	Targeting grade 8 learners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speech presentation around the theme</li> </ul>
17 - 20 March	Chris Hani DM	Schools tour to Amatola Water	Orientating learners around the Laing Dam.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bulk water treatment</li> <li>Visit to treatment works</li> </ul>
17 March	Department of Education (Fort Beaufort)	Visit to Tom Place Crabbush Junior Primary (Hogsburg)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Focusing on dam safety</li> <li>Clean up campaign at the river</li> <li>Exhibition using drawings from the school</li> <li>Walkabout at the water fall</li> </ul>

18 March	Rural Support Services (Lukhanji Municipality)	Velilanga High School (Zingquthu Village)	School event	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health and hygiene awareness</li> <li>• Community clean up</li> <li>• Tap fixing</li> </ul>
17/18 March	Sundays River Valley Municipality	Paterson	Invite Environmental health practitioner; Home based care; Clinic; Councillor; Technical rep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School visits</li> <li>• Street talk</li> <li>• Distribute pamphlets</li> </ul>
19 & 20 March	Sundays River Valley Municipality	ADDO	Same as above	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Same as above</li> </ul>
17 March	2020VFWSEP	Mthatha	Awareness creation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learners speech presentation on the Water Week theme</li> </ul>
Date not yet decided	2020VFWSEP	Venue not yet decided on	Launch of the intervention project	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Formal launch of the intervention projects</li> </ul>
17-23 March	2020VFWSEP	Municipalities	Awareness creation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exhibitions</li> </ul>

## KWAZULU-NATAL

Date	Host/District	Venue	Focus	Activities
12 March	DWAF/Umgenezi Water/Ethekwini Metro	Phoenix	Solvista Secondary School - Global Debate. Topic: <b>Should water be considered a national property?</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Interactive debate by learners passionate about global issues. (Interaction of representatives from the water sector with the debating team after the debaters has presented their arguments.)</li> <li>Presentation of projects by the participants of SAYWP.</li> </ul>
14 March	uThungulu DM, Umthlatuze Water, City of uMhlatuze, DAEA, DWAF, Private Sector	Mpembeni-Ndesheni High School (next to eSikhawini)	Provincial launch of Intervention Projects as part of the 2020VFWSEP. Targeting learners and the community at large.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Intervention projects- aimed at providing schools with hands on support in solving water and sanitation problems in schools.</li> <li>Poster competition – winners to receive prizes.</li> </ul>
14 March	EThekweni Metro/uMgeni Water	Nagle Dam (Cato Ridge)major supplier of Durban water	Visit 15 schools, water safety for scholars drowning in dams.	Addressing water safety issues in partnership with Swim South Africa, putting relevant danger signs.
15 March	eThekweni	Umbumbulu	Water Quality	Stream Cleanup: 200 learners from surrounding schools
17 March	Umgungundlovu District	Henley Dam	Water pollution and addressing environmental issues leading to water pollution, targeting communities around Henley Dam.	Departmental representatives will conduct various activities on the day. Suggested activities are as follows: Umgenezi Water : water testing The Natal Museum : animal life ( <i>arthropods</i> ), DAEA : H&H
18 March	Sisonke District	Ixopo town	Outdoor campaign addressing communities on water borne diseases. ( Health & hygiene)	Awareness talks around the theme “Water: sustaining lives, enabling growth” in a form of a road-show.
18 March	Ugu DM (health section ) DWAF	Margate Primary School	Water pollution targeting primary school learners as well as Nursery school	Exhibit a polluted and non polluted river, play a video on water pollution, water management & water conservation.
18 March	Ilembe DM, DAEA, uMgeni Water, DWAF	Mandeni	Health & Hygiene	H&H awareness to learners and the community at large
18 March	Ugu District Municipality, DAEA, DWAF, KZN Wild life	Umuziwabantu Ezinqoleni	Water Conservation - focusing on areas with standpipes. Encouraging people to report leaks and burst pipes.	<u>School visit</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Performance by popular local artists - theme related song. The song will be produced and performed during all school visits.</li> <li>Address by Chair of Portfolio Committee: Water and Sanitation</li> <li>Give always i.e. Pencil cases, rulers and T-Shirts</li> <li>Populating the call centre number through promotional material.</li> </ul>
19 March	Ugu District Municipality	Hibiscus	Education on the purification process.	A school to visit one of water purification plants- education on the purification process and the distribution of promotional material.

19 March	Ugu District Municipality	Umzumbe	Water Conservation - focusing mostly on areas with standpipes. Encouraging people to report burst pipes	Same as above
19 March	Ilembe DM, uMgeni, DWAF, DAEA	Mthandeni High School- targeting schools around uMvoti Catchment	Health and hygiene, water quality issues culminating to World Water Monitoring day.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learners to be taken to Mvoti River for Water quality testing with Technicians.</li> <li>• Health &amp; hygiene education to learners and addressing water pollution.</li> </ul>
20 March	Ugu DM, DWAF, DAEA, uMgeni, KZN Wild life	Vulamehlo	Water Conservation, Water safety, Gender issues in the water sector, Awareness on the Pipeline Extension Programme that is currently underway, Water saving tips targeting communities expected to attend.	<u>Close out event</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Performance by popular local artists - theme related song. The song will be produced and performed during all school visits.</li> <li>• The song to be aired on the local radio station</li> <li>• Address by Chair of Portfolio Committee: Water and Sanitation</li> <li>• Questions</li> <li>• Give aways i.e. Pencil cases, rulers and T-Shirts</li> <li>• Populating the call centre number through promotional material</li> <li>• Stakeholder presentations. e.g. DWAF, Umgeni etc.</li> </ul>

**FREE STATE**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Host/District</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>Focus</b>	<b>Activities</b>
17 March	Fezile Dabi	Fezile Dabi	Councillor Induction Workshop on the waste water and health and hygiene issues.	Councillor Workshop
18 March	Kopanong Municipality	Kalkfontein Water Project	Kalkfontein Water Project Launch. Focus will be on Water Demand and Conservation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Formal Launch including speeches</li> <li>• Showcase some of the projects</li> </ul>
19 March		Gariiep Dam	<b>GARIEP DAM</b> Schools information session on the issues of Water Conservation and demand management. The information session will be followed by a tour on the dam wall and Eskom. The schools will have a chance to also compete on traditional games	Information session with learners
19 March	Thabo Mofutsanyane	Welkom	<b>WAR workshop</b> Workshop on Water Allocation Reform. The workshop is earmarked for the emerging farmers around Thabo Mofutsanyane. The following departments or institutions will be invited to participate in this workshop: Land Affairs Agriculture ARC	Workshop
20 March	Thabo Mofutsanyana	Reitz	<b>Provincial event in Nketoane</b> Provincial Water Week launch. The Water Conservation and Demand Management will also be addressed to ensure that the communities understand the role they play with that regard.	Raising awareness on Health and Hygiene

**NORTH WEST**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Host/District</b>	<b>Local Municipality</b>	<b>Activities</b>	<b>Host area</b>	<b>Focus</b>
17 March	Bophirima	Greater Taung LM	Road Shows	Maidi Tribal Authority	Protection and awareness water resource
18 March				Mothibi Tribal Authority	
19 March				Phuduhuchana Tribal Authority	
17 March		Lekwa Teemane LM	School Visits	Christiana	Protection and awareness water resource
18 March		Molopo LM	Awareness: Operations and Maintenance	Bloemhof	Operations and Maintenance
17 March				To be confirmed	
18 March					
19 March		Briefing Project related			
19 <sup>th</sup> March		District Event	Awareness	Dithlakwaneng	
17- 18 March	Southern DM	Merafong LM	Awareness	Wedela	Water Wise Campaign
19 -20 March				Khutsong	
21 -22 March				Kokosi	
20 March		District Event	Awareness	Ventersdorp LM	Water Wise Campaign
18 March		Provincial Event	Launch of Bucket Eradication pre 94	Matlosana LM	Launch of IYS
14 March	Ngaka Modiri Molema DM	Ramotshere Molioa LM	Awareness of water quality and conservation	Diokana Eye Visit	School awareness
13 March		Mafikeng LM	Awareness of water quality and conservation	Mmabatho treatment works	School awareness
19 March		District Event	Water conservation and protection awareness	Ramotshere Moiloa LM (Mosoeu)	Community and students
17 March	Bojanala DM	Madibeng LM	Awareness around theme "Water Sustaining Lives Enabling Growth"	Madibeng Municipality main building	Dramas', poetry, praise singing from students on Theme

18 March			Site visit to communities to get feedback on billing systems. And raise awareness on illegal connections	To be announced	Billing system feedback and illegal connections awareness
28 March		Rustenburg LM	Water protection, awareness of water pollution on quality of water	Ward 36 Mathopestad	Water quality, protection of water resources

## NORTHERN CAPE

Date	Host/District	Venue	Focus	Activities
17/18 March	Mier district municipality	Rietfontein	Door to door campaign. Planting of trees. Fixing leaking tap	Door to door prior the Water Week event. The planting of trees. Relaunching the nursery
19/20 March	Gasegonyana	Bankara-Bodulong	Awareness raising activities	Planting of trees. Fixing broken taps and toilets. Water Week event .
tbc	Frances Baard municipality	Kimberly	Workshop on Sanitation Tools rollout	All stakeholders to participate in the International Year of Sanitation
tbc	Siyanda	Upington	Sanitation tools roll out workshop	All parties involved will be strategizing on the sanitation tools rollout.
11 - 13 March	Gamagara	Postmasburg	Career expo	Exhibition and publicity for the department
11 March	Frances Baard	Kimberley	Baswa le meetse prize hand over	Handover of prizes to winning schools

## LIMPOPO

Date	Host/District	Venue	Focus	Activity
15 March	Waterberg Districy Municipality Mokgalakwena Local Municipality	Melkrivier: Vaalwater	Awareness raising activities for both primary and secondary schools	Water Conservation, Safety, Demand Management, Qaulity Career Guidance Awareness Campaigns
18 March	Mopani District Municipality Giyani Local Municipality	Greater Giyani Community	Launch of the WUA (150) people	Launch of Water User's Association
18 March	Waterberg: Modimolle	Mabatlane Village	Awareness raising	Water Conservation
19 March	Greater Sekhukhune: Fetakgomo LM	Malomane Village	Launch and awareness campaign	Launch of Malomane Water Reticulation Project

On the 2nd April 2008 we will have launch of water projects funded by Anglo Platinum, the objective is to profile public private partnership.

## GAUTENG

Date	Host/District	Venue	Focus	Activities
19 March	Gauteng Regional office	Westonaria	Grade 4-6 Learners; Water conservation, Water management Community members WASH Awareness campaign, Water conservation	Learners to render Musical, Drama and Poetry items in relation to the NWW THEME On site Tap- Fixing Quiz for the community <b>Prize giving for the BLM Provincial winners</b>
12/13/14 March  6 March	Johannesburg City Parks			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Marathon 3 schools to JCP facilities for an educational programme on water conservation.</li> <li>• Community awareness programmes at the shopping mall. An exhibition</li> <li>• An exhibition highlighting water issues will be displayed.</li> <li>• River Clean – Up Campaign</li> <li>• Development, Printing and distribution of flyers, brochures and posters</li> <li>• Musenga Vhadzimu P/School, Paradise Bend P/School, Rabasotho P/School &amp; Itirele-Zenzele P/School will be visited to run water conservation programmes and will showcase their projects on the day of the event.</li> </ul>
19 March	Tugela Vaal	Mahlubimangwe Primary School (A farm school 60 KM from our office)	187 School Learners and 7 teachers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dance</li> <li>• Poetry</li> <li>• Music</li> <li>• Drama</li> </ul>
20 March	Tugela Vaal	Tugela Vaal (Jagersrust)		Walking to Eskom Offices
18 - 19 March	Delta Environmental Centre in partnership with Rand Water	Delta Environmental Centre, Road No 3, Victory Park	<p>Learners and community members: Water Purification, Conservation and a variety of other environmental issues</p> <p>240 learners from two farm schools:</p> <p>Masakhane Primary School Zandspruit Johannesburg North and Golang Primary Johannesburg North will be bussed to Delta to participate in a water related programme and view the exhibits during this time</p>	<p>Environmental exhibition to raise awareness on what various organizations do to protect and conserve our natural environment. Exhibitors will include:</p> <p>Rand Water Delta Environmental Centre DWAF GDACE Friends of Kloofendal <b>Friends of Melville Koppies</b> Buyisa – e – Bag Collect a Can <b>Food Gardens Foundation</b> Bat Interest Group Spider Club JHB Zoo Food and Trees for</p>

				Africa SANBI WESSA <b>Soweto Mountain of Hope (Somoho)</b> Eco-Access Free Me Eskom Birdlife South Africa
23 March	Shopping Malls	B&B Market Hillfox	Community members and children of all age groups Water Conservation	An exhibition will be put up to raise awareness. Manzi the tap duck will have hourly shows bringing across water wise messages. There will also be a competition for young and old related to the exhibition.
17 - 20 March	Johannesburg water	City of Johannesburg Regions		Event consists of street corner exhibitions at various areas of the city. Depots are to organise their own activities for the week

**MPUMALANGA**

Date	Host/District	Venue	Focus	Activity
17 March	Mkhondo Local Municipality	Gert Sibande District Municipality	<p>Water Supply: Addressing water supply challenges Installation of round about play pumps at the 18 schools. Rainwater harvesting</p>	Launch of round about play-pumps in 18 schools and rain water harvesting
18 March	Ehlanzeni District Municipality	Bushbuckridge LM	<p><b>Water Conservation and Water Demand Management</b> Fixing leaking taps and toilets Identifying high water users Working for Water eradicating Alien Invasive Plants, plants identification of high water users Water Quality, Resource protection and compliance monitorin Issuing of letter of intent to issue a directive in cases of non-compliance. Testing drinking water system and sewage plants. Testing of chlorine level in the final effluent.</p>	Rain-water harvesting
19 March	Nkangala District Municipality	Delmas LM	<p><b>Water provision</b> Addressing water supply challenges through the commissioning of the water reticulation from Indonga reservoir. Fixing of borehole at Londinda Primary school for food gardening. Rainwater harvesting project for poverty alleviation.</p> <p><b>Water Conservation and Water Demand Management</b> Fixing leaking taps. Identifying high water users and putting water meters for billing and cost recovery. Working for Water eradicating Alien</p>	Community Workshops And field trips

			<p>Invading Plants Identification of illegal connections.</p> <p><b>Water Quality, Health &amp; Hygiene promotion and compliance monitoring</b> Checking the sludge level in VIP toilets for drainage. Issuing of letter of intent to issue a directive in cases of non-compliance. Testing drinking water system and sewage plants.</p>	
			<p><b>Drinking Water Quality and Health &amp; Hygiene promotion</b> Demonstrating the conventional way of purifying house hold water. Health and Hygiene promotion through washing of hands after defecating.</p> <p><b>Resource protection and compliance monitoring</b> Issuing of letters of intent to issue a directive in cases of non-compliance in the municipal sewerage works. Cleaning of a stream that runs through the town.</p> <p><b>Water Conservation and Water Demand Management</b> Fixing leaking taps and toilets in identified households. Working for Water eradicating Alien Invading Plants where identified Identification of illegal connections.</p> <p><b>Water provision</b> Signing of bulk line water supply by DWAF, DPLG, Delmas LM and Rand Water. Rainwater harvesting project for food garden projects.</p>	

**WESTERN CAPE**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Organisers</b>	<b>Target Group</b>
<b>17 March</b>			
Knysna, Eden DM	Exhibition, visits to water treatment plants	Eden DM	Public, forums, Schools
<b>18 March 2008</b>			
Careers Fair	Ratanga Junction	DWAF, TCTA	Public, Schools
Knysna, Eden DM	Exhibition, visits to water treatment plants		Public, forums, Schools
DWAF, George	River day	DWAF	Public, forums, Schools
Doring Bay, West Coast	Conference, Exhibition of IWRM II community projects	DWAF, IWRM II CBOs, WUAs	IWRM II CBOs, WUAs
	Regulation w/shop	DWAF regional Office	Municipalities, DLG&H , CSO, SALGA
<b>19 March 2008</b>			
Doring Bay, West Coast	Conference, Exhibition of IWRM II community projects	DWAF, IWRM II CBOs, WUAs	IWRM II CBOs, WUAs
George	River sampling	DWAF, Eden DM	Forums
<b>20 &amp; 21 March 2008</b>	Exhibition of water saving devices	COCT & DWAF	Public
<b>22 March 2008</b>			
Knysna, Eden DM	Exhibition of Biomonitoring of rivers 'Adopt a river Project' Garden route Mall	Eden DM, DWAF	Public, forums

**WATER WEEK (MONTH) 2008:  
COLLABORATIVE EVENTS/ACTIVITIES BETWEEN CITY OF CAPE TOWN, DWAF & DRAKENSTEIN MUNICIPALITY**

<b>29 Februaury</b>	Drakenstein will educate learners at 12 schools with an educational puppet show.
<b>1 March</b>	Cape Garden Centre Nursery & Bugz Kiddies Playpark, Joostenbergvlakte. Fun Day for learners from disadvantaged communities (Vissershok & Klipheuvel primary schools) Programme include playing games, education through puppet show, magician with water theme and Manzi, our Mascot, end with short Fun Walk. Target audience = 400 learners. Closed event. Responsibility: City – Yolanda Jones / Bugz – Lisa & Corniel / Cape Garden Centre - Peter van Niekerk.
<b>3 March</b>	City Hall, Cape Town. Workshop for Councillors, officials (City & Dwaf) and Community leaders to deal with By-Laws, Water Management Devices, water wastage and inefficient water usage by Car Wash Facilities and Hair Salons. Closed event. Responsibility: City – Constance Caphuka / Limani Marketing.
<b>3 - 6 March</b>	Training / Presentations to Caretakers from schools in Paarl, Wellington areas supported by the City. Two groups of 20 per day. Target audience: Caretakers. Closed events. Responsibility: Drakenstein – Harold Hendricks supported by the City -Yolanda Jones,James Okkers, Winston Windvogel, Terrence Byrne
<b>3 - 12 March</b>	(Paarl, Wellington, Hermon, Gouda, Saron). Own programme. Closed events. Responsibility: Drakenstein – Harold Hendricks/Danny le Roux.
<b>6 March</b>	Bridgetown Library. Morning event for learners from the local school and afternoon event and programme for parents/senior club. Target Audience: learners, parents, senior community members. Closed events. Responsibility: City – Paul Davids
<b>7 - 8 March</b>	Drakenstein Holiday Club for learners from schools in Drakenstein area. 9 Schools participating. Includes variety of programmes such as teamwork, group work, problem solving, games, art, etc. Target audience = 400 learners. Closed event. Responsibility: Drakenstein – Harold Hendricks supported by the City
<b>11 - 12 March</b>	Drakenstein learners to visit Paarl Sewerage Treatment Works. Own programme. Closed event. Target audience: 60 learners per day. Responsibility: Drakenstein - Harold Hendricks
<b>13 - 20 March</b>	Drakenstein Shopping Mall Displays in Paarl Mall, Wellington Pick 'n Pay, Shoprite Centre Mbekweni, Libraries & municipal offices. Own programme. Target audience = consumers. Responsibility: Drakenstein - Harold Hendricks
<b>17 March</b>	Tentative City open day event for public to visit Waste-water treatment facilities on guided tours. Target audience = Senior Clubs, Community organizations, etc. Open event. Possible Media event. Responsibility: City – Johannes Prins
<b>17 - 20 March</b>	City Programme with Environmental Resource Management (ERM). Visits by learners to various WWTP's and WTP's; visits to Valsbaai Ecology Park; Educational programmes at Centre for Conservation. Target audience = learners. Closed events. Responsibility: City ERM – Lindie Buirski /Esme Swartz
<b>17 - 20 March</b>	City programme. Visits to Car wash facilities and Hair salons in Khayelitsha, Nyanga, Gugulethu and Langa areas, handout of nozzles and buckets, awareness and educationon inefficient use of water. 100 Facilities to be visited. Responsibility: City - Constance Caphuka / Limani Marketing.
<b>19 March</b>	Tentative City Community event in Llwandle, fixing leaks, water quality testing, water management devices, and community waste clean-up. Collaborative event with IF, Health, Waste. Target audience = Community, approx 500-550. Open event. Possible Media event. Responsibility: City - Paul Davids
<b>20 - 21 March</b>	City Water Saving Expo at MTN ScienCentre, Canal Walk with free pot-a-plant workshops for kids, talks in the Auditorium on By-Laws, Water Management Devices, water-wise gardening, etc. Expo of Water & Energy Saving Devices. Information stands such as sign-up for WMD's, borehole signs, DWAF stands, etc.Open event to public, consumers. Free entry on both days. Thursday to visiting schools. Responsibility: City - Johan Prins / Limani Marketing
<b>25 - 28 March</b>	City Holiday Club for learners from Mitchells Plain schools. Closed events. Target audience=learners Responsibility: City - Yolanda Jones