African World Heritage Day Celebration

@ Taung Skull Heritage Site

North West Host African World Heritage Day Celebration

North West Province through the Department of Rural, Environment and Agricultural Development together with various stakeholders will host the African World Heritage Day (AWHD) celebrations at the Taung Skull Fossil Site.

This is to mark the 94th year since the discovery of the Taung Child Skull which is central to the site's significance. These celebrations are geared towards raising awareness about the natural and cultural heritage as well as the efforts that are required to protect and conserve them and draw attention to their vulnerability.

Key activities will include, amongst others: a tour of the Taung Skull Fossil Site, lecture on the Taung Skull site's intangible heritage, specific attributes and features, history of Kgosi Galeshewe, telescopic star and moon gazing, early morning hiking and exhibitions by various organizations.

AWHD celebrations are scheduled to take place as follows:

**DAY ONE OF THE EVENT:**
Thursday, 10 May 2018  Time: 14h00

**DAY TWO OF THE EVENT:**
Friday, 11 May 2018  Time: 09h00

**THEME:**
“Celebrating our African Heritage”

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