

Department of Rural Development dedicates 67 minutes by planting seeds in the Bonteheuwel Community Garden.

The food garden project is situated at the Rosewood Primary School in Bonteheauwel. Bonteheauwel is synonymous with un-employment, poverty and gangsterism. Taking matters into their own hands members of the community approached the Department of Rural Development with a proposal to provide solutions to the ills in their community. The focus on growing fruit and vegetables the garden feeds families in need as well as local schools.



Mrs. Witbooi carries the seedlings that will be replanted



Members of the community lend a hand to toil the soil



Members from the Elsies River Cooperative came out in support of the Bonteheuwel community



Seedlings neatly packed waiting to be replanted



The soil is being prepared for the seedlings to be planted



Nantombi from Gugulethu lends a hand, she runs her own gardening project in Gugulethu



Eugene Moss Passes on his knowledge of gardening to the next generation