

Honorary Rangers to host public awareness programme at Mall

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THE Honorary Rangers (HR's) are keen community members who have completed the necessary enrolment courses aimed at the betterment of SANParks.

Currently over 500 Honorary Rangers operate nationwide in 24

Regions and are engaged in various Tourism, Conservation and People-and-Conservation related services.

HR is a Public Benefit Organisation (PBO) operating in different regions with members being 18 years and older.

Recently SANParks has embarked on a mission to transform Honorary

Rangers and has made it high priority that different cultures and races get involved.

With this a new region has been born, Johannesburg South, just recently inaugurated at the AGM of the Honorary Rangers that was held at the Kruger National Park.

The JHB South region is based in

Lenasia and members are made up of members of the public from Lenasia and surrounding areas.

In an attempt to recruit more members, Jhb South Honorary Rangers will be holding a Public Education and Awareness Program (PEAP) at the Trade Route Mall from June 14 to 16. At present the

Johannesburg South region has 16 members of which four have been officially appointed as HR's. The rest are applicants completing the necessary courses.

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