

# Sustainable Seas Trust



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PRESS RELEASE

## SST World Ocean Day events



Saturday morning , 28 June, the Sustainable Seas Trust hosted two [World Ocean Day](#) (WOD) events. On World Oceans Day, 8 June SST joined forces with Adventure Centre in Port Alfred in hosting The Paddle Out for Sharks event at Kelly's beach but decided to schedule other WOD events for children in the Kenton/Bushman's area during the school holiday to further raise awareness about the WOD theme - Together we have the power to protect the ocean.



The first event of the day was a sandcastle competition at Kariega Beach with Morgan Louw of Beachways in Kenton on Sea handing out the sponsored prizes and Kenton on Sea photographer, Cherry Smith and

**Trustees:** Robert Lowe (Chairman), Frederick Krohnert (Nedbank Trust representative), Richard Laing, Baldwin Ngubane, Frederick Oosthuizen, Anthony Ribbink, Michael Rodel, Louis van Vuren

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Kenton Tourism representative Nomawethu (Iris) Ngangqu made the difficult decisions and awarded the third prize to Asanda Siyana, second to Sonwabo Tshukulwana and the first prize to Vuyisani Esterhuis.

After the tranquil start to the day the afternoon activities pumped with a rhythmic beat with DJ Tinklah from KowieFM MC'ing the Arts & Culture event in Marselle and participants wowing the audience and making the judges - Anthony Caplan and Victoria Nosomi Cota – task a rather tough one.

Kenton on Sea photographer, Cherry Smith and Kenton Tourism representative Nomawethu (Iris) Ngangqu announced the best performances and Danielle Nieuwoudt from Pam Golding Kenton on Sea handed over the prizes to the lucky winners. Poetry in Action or Nosihe Maidaki took the fourth place for the poem she wrote in honour of the ocean, next up was the Gumboot dancers followed Daniel Kuhlmann who received second prize for his recitation of the James Reeves poem [Grim and Gloomy](#) but it was the traditional dancers from Marselle that stole the show and walked away with first prize.



Xolani Charlie (right) and Nontuthuzela Mlobeli from the Department of Environmental Affairs (DEA) in Port Elizabeth attended the event, they encouraged the sustainable use of our oceans and lauded the learners for their creative expressions in honour of World Oceans Day.

Andile Maki, Mac Sika and Lungile Mginga from the Department of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries (DAFF) were also on hand to educate and create awareness with presentations and in their address to the crowd.

