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Dear Friends

January 2019

Greetings to you all. We pray that so far, 2019 has treated you well and will continue to do so throughout the year. I'm sure that everyone is happy to finally have received their January salary – it is such a LONG time between the December payment and the January one, isn't it 😊



Feedback on Year End Event:

Sizanani celebrated the end of 2018 with a lovely Year-End event on 1 December 2018. We had students modelling outfits that they designed and sewed for the event, and we also had the Graduation Ceremony where certificates were handed out, and prizes given to those who achieved good results in 2018.



Congratulations to Sli Jili (left) for achieving Top Student for 2018; Nandi Shezi (Middle) who achieved 3rd place and Sindisiwe Mkhize (right) who achieved 2nd place. We were also able to award merit and achievement certificates to students who deserved recognition for the effort they put into their work.

What does 2019 have in store for us? Sizanani's staff is looking forward to starting the training (it begins with the Saturday classes on 2 February 2019 and the full time students begin on 4 February 2019). There has been a lot of interest shown in the adverts we have placed in the Highway Mail, and on Facebook, and we hope that all the enquiries will become registrations too.

EXTRA! EXTRA! Read all about it - We chose to add 2 extra courses to our repertoire this year – a sewing course shortened to just 3 months, and a pattern making course shortened to 4 ½ months only. Our 1 year and 2 year courses remain as they were in the past. We hope that these new courses will be helpful to prospective students who can not commit the time to attend a longer course.

Prayer needs for 2019 –

We ask for your commitment to keeping Sizanani in your prayers for 2019. The need is great, but our God is greater –

1. We pray for the Sizanani staff – their commitment to teaching and caring for each student who comes for training.
2. We pray for each person who enquires about the training – that they will find the means to take the step to register for the courses.
3. For every appeal for donations/application for funding that is sent out from Sizanani's office – that there will be interest shown and funding offered to enable Sizanani to meet its financial commitments in 2019 and beyond.

How you can be involved in helping Sizanani at NO COST TO YOURSELF?

1. Shop at, or donate your unwanted household/office goods to the SOCIAL CAUSE AGENCY'S CHARITY SHOP situated at Paige Place, Bamboo Lane, Pinetown. When you donate goods, please tell the staff your donation is for Sizanani.
2. Register yourself on the My School Card Programme (Woolworths, Walton's, and other participating stores) and nominate Sizanani, Academy of sewing and design as



your beneficiary OR change your current beneficiary information to support Sizanani instead. You will find this information on www.myschool.co.za.

3. Talk about Sizanani to friends, family and colleagues. Give them this newsletter – the more we spread the word, the more we become known.
4. **LIKE** our Facebook page, Sizanani, Academy of sewing and design, and **SHARE** all the posts that you see about what is happening at Sizanani on a weekly basis. This way Sizanani's information will reach all YOUR facebook friends.
5. YES, this one will cost you 😊 but please consider making a donation to Sizanani's work. You can scan this code (download Zapper from your phone's playstore)



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6. Alternatively, on our website www.sizanani-academy.org.za, there is a DONATE button you can click on to make a donation – just follow the link.



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2019

3 month BASIC course

21 January to 18 April
5 August to 1 November

TOTAL COST	R3 300.00
Registration fee	R2 000.00
Monthly fees	R650 x 2

4 ½ month INTERMEDIATE course

21 January to 14 June
22 July to 29 November

TOTAL COST	R4 800.00
Registration fee	R2 000.00
Monthly fees	R700 x 4



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1 YEAR ADVANCED COURSE

4 February to 29 November

TOTAL COST	R9 500.00
Registration fee	R2 500.00
Monthly fees	R700 x 10

2 YEAR HIGHER CERTIFICATE course

Start date – 4 February 2019

TOTAL COST	R19 000.00
Registration fee Year 1	R2 500.00
Monthly fees Year 1	R700 x 10
Registration fee Year 2	R2 500.00
Monthly fees Year 2	R700 x 10

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1 YEAR PART TIME COURSE

WEEKDAYS: 1 or 2 weekdays
8.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.

Course dates: Monday 4 February 2019 to
Friday 29 November 2019

SATURDAYS: 9.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m.

Course dates: Saturday 2 February 2019
to Saturday 30 November 2019

TOTAL COST:	R9 500.00
Registration Fee	R2 500.00
Monthly Fee	R700 x 10

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We look forward to sharing with you again in our next newsletter.

Until next time..... Sharon, Mpume and Lindile