**WESTERN CAPE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

**NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE (NSC) AWARDS FOR 2012**

**AWARDS TO LEARNERS**

All learners will receive a certificate plus R5 000 towards study materials. In addition, Mustek computers, has again kindly donated 10 laptop computers. Maskew Miller Longman has again donated R20 000 that will be divided into three monetary awards, that will be handed to deserving students.

**CATEGORY 1: EXCELLENCE DESPITE BARRIERS TO LEARNING**

In this category an award is presented to ONE candidate who obtained the highest marks in the subjects that fulfill the requirements for the award of a National Senior Certificate, with or without special endorsement (two languages, Mathematics and three other subjects excluding Life Orientation).

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| **No** | **Name of learner** | **Total marks** | **School** |
| 1. | Barend Christoffel **Pienaar**  | 1436 (80%)  | Jan Kriel Skool  |

**CATEGORY 2: LEARNER SUBJECT AWARDS**

One award per category 2a to 2f awarded to the candidate with the highest mark in the subject.

**Category 2a**: Excellence in **isiXhosa Home Language**

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| **No** | **Name** | **Mark** | **School** |
| 1. | Songezo **Ceki** | 256 (85,3%) | Kayamandi Secondary School |

**Category 2b**: Excellence in **English Home Language**

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| **No** | **Name of learner** | **Mark** | **Shool** |
| 1. | Miranda **Kantor** | 286 (95,3%) | Herzlia High School |

**Category 2c**: Excellence in **Afrikaans Home Language**

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| **No** | **Name of learner** | **Mark** | **School** |
| 1. | Melissa **Meyer** | 286 (95,3%) | Strand High School |

**Category 2d**: Excellence in **Mathematics**

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| **No** | **Names of learners** | **Mark** | **School** |
| 1. | Johannes (JC) **Schoeman** | 300 | Hoërskool Parel Vallei |
| 2. | Elrich **Groenewald** | 300 | Paul Roos Gimnasium |
| 3. | De Villiers **Lategan** | 300 (299.8) | Hoër Jongenskool Paarl |
| 4. | Nita **Wiegman** | 300 (299.7) | Hermanus High School |

**Category 2e**: Excellence in **Physical Sciences**

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| **No** | **Name of learner** | **Mark** | **School** |
| 1. | Hendrik Breytenbach  | 299 (99,7%)(298.5) | Hoërskool Gimnasium (Paarl) |

**Category 2f**: Excellence in **Accounting**

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| **No** | **Names of learners** | **Mark** | **School** |
| 1. | Emma **Whitelaw** | 300 | Springfield Convent of the Holy Rosary |
| 2. | Jani **Arangies** | 300 | Paarl Girls High School |
| 3. | Jennifer **Oosthuizen** | 300 (299.7) | Hoërskool Parel Vallei |
| 4. | Gizelle **Potgieter** | 300 (299.6) | Outeniqua High School |

**CATEGORY 3: SPECIAL MINISTERIAL AWARD**

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The WCED is aware that every year there are numerous candidates who achieve excellent academic results in the face of tremendous hardship, ill health and personal obstacles.

We are struck by the courage and fortitude displayed by many learners and families in achieving monumental goals.

This year we again wish to recognize a learner who exemplifies the exceptional courage and determination shown by many, many of whom are not known to us, in achieving their success.

The following Special Minister’s Award is presented:

**For excellent academic achievement and inspirational fortitude despite huge personal challenges.**

**Vir voortreflike akademiese prestasie en inspirerende vasberadenheid ten spyte van groot persoonlike uitdagings.**

Hierdie jong dame is van jongs af in ‘n rystoel en kan net haar kop en arms beweeg. Ten spyte hiervan was sy ‘n uitstekende student in ‘n gewone hoërskool en was elke eksamen onder die skool se Top 20. Sy was ‘n lid van die skool se Raad van Leerders, ‘n Redaksielid van die skoolkoerant and op die bestuur van die CSV. Sy reken elke problem het ‘n oplossing en was ‘n inspirasie vir haar medeleerders. Sy het 8 vakke in Gr 12 geneem en spog met 5 vakonderskeidings (twee 97%), een B en een C-simbool.

Hierdie Spesiale Ministeriële Toekenning gaan aan ‘n kandidaat van die Hoërskool Bellville:

**Anita Engelbrecht**

**Hoërskool Bellville**