

2017



PARTICIPATION OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL DEFENCE FORCE RESERVE FORCE IN THE 2017 RAND SHOW

The South African National Defence Force (SANDF) as the official partner of the Rand Show 2017, will once again participate in the Rand Show from 14 to 23 April 2017 at NASREC in Johannesburg. The Minister of Defence and Military Veterans, Ms Nosiviwe Mapisa -Nqakula will be the main functionary and will be accompanied by the command cadre of Defence and Military Veterans (DODMV) when she officially opens this show-stopping edutainment event on Friday 14 April 2017.

This year's theme is "Not just another Hero". The SANDF's participation will comprise internal and external exhibitions, an arena programme and a joint SANDF elements capability demonstration.

The SANDF Reserve Force will again be participating in The Rand Show and will utilise this platform to:

- ❖ Enhance and promote the image of the SANDF Reserve Force,
- ❖ Market the SANDF Reserves to the public and create awareness of the necessity for the Reserve Force System.
- ❖ Present the Defence Reserves with the opportunity to interact personally with the people in and around Gauteng, the South African Youth as well as international guests that will visit the Reserve Force exhibition stall. Such interaction will give the broader public as well as learners, the opportunity to better understand the role and function of the SANDF Reserves.
- ❖ Hand out promotional material, such as magazines, enlistment forms, pamphlets, brochures and other promotional items especially to the youth, learners and general public.

Daily Show Timing.

- ❖ Official Opening Ceremony: 14 April 2017 10:00
- ❖ 14 April to 23 April 2017: Public 09h00 – 19h00 (Gates close at 17h00).

- ❖ 14 to 23 Apr 2017: Military Exhibitors 08h00 to 19h00 (Indoor and Outdoor).

You are cordially invited to join us at the SANDF Reserves Force stand (indoor and outdoor exhibitions) which will be manned by communicators from Reserve Force Units.

Your attendance will be highly is appreciated.

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Some of the 2016 Rand Show highlights:



Maj Gen Andersen sending off Dr Ngulube and Brig Gen X.G. Mababga from the Reserves' Stall as he walks away, wearing the branded Reserves hat, which was presented to him as a token of appreciation for popping by.



Col Shuping Motswadira, SSO Reserve Promotions briefing CSANDF, Gen Shoke.



The Defence Reserves indoor exhibition stand was a very popular stop for members of the public.



Nonkululeko receives VIP treatment at the Reserves' stall and receives a Reserve scholar promotional hamper full of goodies.



Col Sipho Majombozi, SSO Provincial Office Gauteng, with communicators after they received a certificate of appreciation from Department of Defence Head of Communication, Mr Simphiwe Dlamini.

