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Used and recycled Polystyrene cups are used to fill the Wonderbag!



What is the Wonderbag?

The Wonderbag is a heat-retention cooker that requires only enough heat to start the cooking process. Because of its insulating properties, the bag retains the heat and completes the cooking process with no further electricity needed. Due to its insulating properties, the Wonderbag also keeps cold and frozen foodstuffs cold for several hours.



The Wonderbag benefits communities and the environment through:

- ✓ Improved air quality in homes by reducing smoke from cooking fires.
- ✓ Reduced risk of shack fires caused by paraffin stoves.
- ✓ Households can save around 50% of energy used for cooking
- ✓ The resultant cost savings empower communities by increasing the cash available for discretionary expenses.
- ✓ Tasty, nutritious meals which can be prepared ahead of time.
- ✓ Reduced food wastage as food cannot burn or overcook.



Bread Tag For Wheelchair project

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Since Jan 2011 – April 2011 we have labelled, packed and couriered over **400 bread tag tubs** to more than 56 different organisations, schools, medical centres or members of the public requesting tubs.

A total of **50 co-ordinators** are now volunteering their time and services to collect the bread tags and a total of 117 wheelchairs have already been 'bought' with bread tags.



Girl Scouts in Randfontein

A Letter Received From Tyger Valley College

"We began the bread tag collection at the beginning of the year as an ongoing outreach project. We are pleased to report that to date we have (collected) 28 000 bread tags and we're still going strong.

Tyger Valley College continually advertises for and collects used bread tags within the school, amongst parents and our community. When we have collected enough bread tags, our school sells them to Groplast to make seedling trays.

With the R1 350,00 we receive we have enough money to purchase a wheelchair of our choice, to be officially handed over to our chosen recipient. We have just recently identified a need at Paul Jungnickel and have confirmed that our wheelchair will be donated to Tjaart Kruger" (pictured right).





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Spur Totem Competition

Fast Fact:
Polystyrene is a Plastic that can be recycled into many things including: picture frames, cornices, skirting boards, hangers, decking and even rulers, pens and pencils

The Polystyrene Packaging Council is giving away fab recycled frames to three lucky readers. To stand a chance of winning one, simply list three things that can be made from recycled polystyrene (See Fast Fact). Sms 'Poly'. Your list, your name and surname to 33162. Competition closes 30 November 2010. All sms's cost R1,50.(unless stated otherwise) Free sms's do not apply.

