

## Information Release

### "Partners Across the Ocean"

Zion-Benton Township High School\*Illinois Beach Sunrise Rotary\*Shades Club

#### *South African Partnership Community Committee*

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### **Partnership Celebration**

#### **Saturday November 4, 2006 Program**

*Purpose: To raise funds in order to continue support of the partnership that has provided three South African Township students with the benefits of American education, built two computer laboratories, conducted two teacher training trips and is at this time supporting several South African students in achieving their university educations.*

#### *Can we count on your support?*

*Partners Across The Ocean, NFP is now registered and confirmed as a corporation by the State of Illinois and we have applied for tax exempt status with the IRS.*

#### **6:00 PM-7:00PM Catered Dinner**

Entertainment from ZBTHS students and information displays will be available; arrive at your leisure and enjoy the meal.

#### **7:00 PM Presentation Begins**

Presenters will include ZBTHS staff, community members and a representative of the South African Government is expected. Our featured speaker is Mzolisi Kene, a 15 year old exchange student from Khayelitsha Township. Our Keynote speaker is Mr. Rob Dintruff, Director of Abbott Laboratories Global AIDS Care Initiatives.

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\*The dinner and presentation are compliments of the South African Partnership Committee. A free will donation will be taken at the conclusion of the program for those who wish to contribute to the goals stated in this newsletter.

\* Zion Benton Township High School is located at the intersections of 21<sup>st</sup> Street and Kenosha Road. Use the South Parking lot and enter into the brightly lit cafeteria.

*Sisonke Sakhaingomso: Building Tomorrow Together!*