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The Jakaranda Kinderhuis was opened on 12 September 1987 as the Abraham Kriel Pretoria Campus. The Louis Botha Kinderhuis also has a rich history, founded by Mrs Helen de Waal in 1918. The Vision of both Children's Homes is to empower and enable all children through skills development, to reach their full potential and become responsible adults who can make a difference in their respective communities.

As registered Children's Homes (Child and Youth Care Centres) we manage two campuses in Pretoria, Jakaranda Kinderhuis (NPO183-619) in East Lynne and Louis Botha Kinderhuis (NPO 181-992) in Queenswood.

The children are placed in our care by the Children's Court, after they are removed from their unfavourable circumstances. We provide them with therapy, medical care and a home where they can feel safe and loved. We also transport our children to and from **35 different schools** in Pretoria daily. With a capacity of 327 children aged between 3 – 18 years, we have **19 houses (max 228 children)** at Jakaranda Kinderhuis and **9 houses (max 108 children)** at Louis Botha Kinderhuis. Our vision is to empower and enable all our children through skills development to reach their full potential and to one day be responsible adults who will make a difference in their respective communities.

During 2024, we were privileged to obtain the support of a sponsor for our own 'Transition house' called the Treehouse. In 2026 we were privilege to expand to a 2nd house called the Dreamhouse. The Tree & Dreamhouses are for children 18+ with no support who want to study further or start their working career and independent living. Sponsors for studying are still needed, as well as job opportunities / internships and Mentorship.

We have also established various sustainable projects and initiate and support pay-it-forward projects. Please contact us for a tour of the premises or additional information on how to become involved.

