

Press release

The Western Cape Network for Community Peace and Development welcomed members of the Eine Welt Netzwerk Bayern during a recent visit to Cape Town (19 – 23 July 2012) to strengthen ties between the provinces of Bavaria and the Western Cape, supporting a 17 year partnership. Dr Alexander Fornari and Dr Norbert Stamm represented Eine Welt Netzwerk as part of a 10 member delegation which also included members of parliament of the ruling and opposition parties in the Bavarian province.

The two networks each have their own focus areas but come together under a common purpose of working towards a better society for the next generation, visit www.bavaria-westerncape.de

Three of the areas under discussion

- The benefits of having different anchors in different ministries
- Collaboration with local municipality
- Coordinating partnerships between schools of the two provinces

The delegation visited several community projects during their stay in Cape Town.

In a follow up meeting with Minister DR Meyer and the German Consulate General, the following areas of collaboration with the network were agreed upon

- Creating and owning an internet partnership platform
- Leadership education – youth camps
- Schools partnerships
- Sport, specifically soccer and chess.



Minister Dr Ivan Meyer with members of The Western Cape Network for Community Peace and Development (frtl Anita Fredericks, Marion Keim, Karen Barense & Michael Williams) and members of the Eine Welt Netzwerk Bayern (f- Norbert Stamm & b-Alexander Fonari)

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