

# Pupils march against computer theft

Computer theft and vandalism in schools around Botshabelo has recently become great concern for learners and their educators. This criminal practice made its introduction in Botshabelo about a year or two ago and has since grown like a deadly disease without remedy.

On Friday 19 June, all the Primary Schools from C Section in Botshabelo went on a peaceful march to raise awareness against this theft of computers from schools. Learners in their different school uniforms and educators from all the schools including Amohelang Primary, Phallang, Tlotlisang, Refihlile and Sankatane went onto the streets of C section to raise their concern and spread the message to the whole

community to expose these criminals who steal from schools.

Under the watchful eyes of the SAPS and



Local Municipality Police the learners held their placards high with their messages and sang songs to claim their rights to advance their education.

These primary school learners were not on their own as they were supported later in the day by Khauhelo Secondary School learners.

"Today, all primary schools in C Section decided to take a stand against this computer theft in our schools. We are calling on the community to stop hiding the criminals who conduct such criminal practices and call upon the police to help us fight this disease," said Me. Pontsho Moholo, an educator from Amohelang Primary School.

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