

different printing processes. The women were very impressed with the processes and machinery that they observed and it added to their aspirations to start and grow their own businesses.

In addition, Printing SA arranged shuttle buses for the participants to visit the FESPA Africa expo (www.fespafrica.com). The expo is aimed at showcasing digital print technology for Africa and covers all aspects of signage, wide format digital printing, garment decoration and screen printing. At the expo, the participants were given VIP treatment by the organisers. As part of their training, they were taught the foil printing process and were able to create their own t-shirts through their newly attained skill.

Basic screen printing starts up kits were donated to each of the participants. The kits (packaging and contents) were sponsored by firms in the industry and will enable the women to continue practicing their craft until they are able to procure their own supplies and equipment.



The 17 women who participated in the Printing SA Screen Printing Skills Program recently conducted in Gauteng.

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