

#MondayMenu: 9 – 15 October 2017

UN Namibia: What's happening at UN Namibia this week? Check out the #MondayMenu for 9 – 15 October 2017.

WFP Namibia is supporting the Ministry of Poverty Eradication and Social Welfare on the roll out of the Blue Print on Wealth Redistribution and Poverty Eradication which is currently ongoing in the regions from the 2 – 24 October 2017.

UNESCO, in collaboration with the University of Namibia, will be hosting a workshop on ICTs in Education for teachers and principals from 9-10 October.

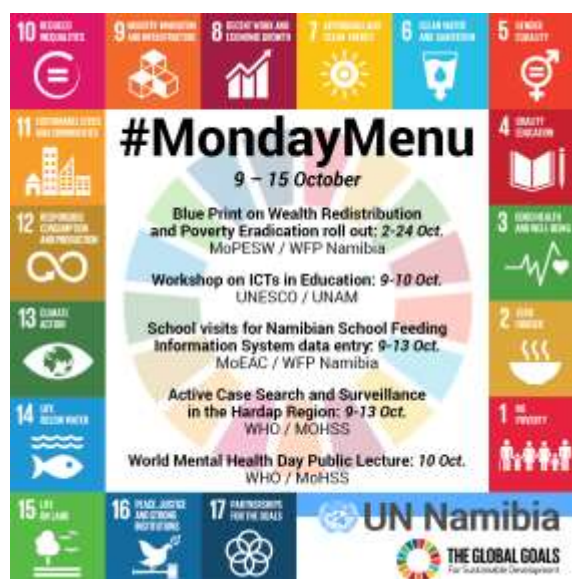
WFP together with the Ministry of Education, Arts and Culture (MoEAC) is undertaking onsite school visits in Windhoek to provide technical backstop on data entry for the Namibian School Feeding Information System. This will take place from 9 – 13 October 2017.

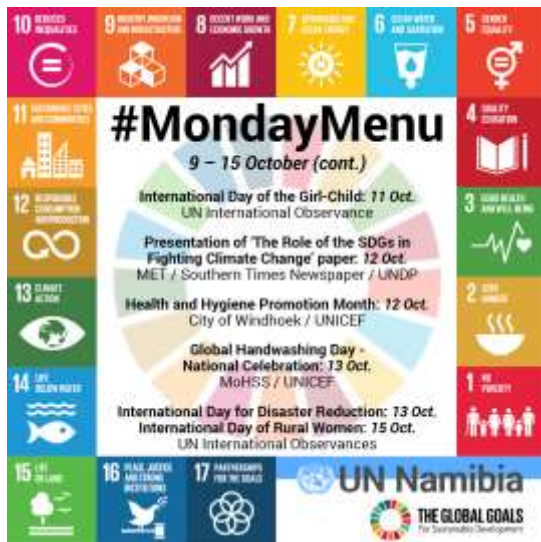
During the same period, WHO and the Ministry of Health and Social Services (MoHSS) will conduct an active case search and surveillance in all health districts of the Hardap Region.

World Mental Health Day is observed on 10 October every year, with the overall objective of raising awareness of mental health issues around the world and mobilizing efforts in support of mental health. There will be a public lecture at the MoHSS Chapel featuring Dr. Ndjamba, Psychiatrist and Head of Bel Esprit Wellness Centre and the Acting Deputy Permanent Secretary of MoHSS.

International Day of the Girl Child, 11 October, is being celebrated under the theme "EmPOWER Girls: Before, during and after crises". More: <http://bit.ly/1rF1wqf>

On 12 October 2017, UNDP will present a paper on 'The Role of the SDGs in Fighting Climate Change' at the Climate Change Forum, hosted by MET and Southern Times Newspaper.





UNICEF will celebrate City of Windhoek (CoW)'s Health and Hygiene Promotion month on Thursday, 12 October in Windhoek.

The International Day for Disaster Reduction (13 October) is being commemorated under the theme, "Home Safe Home: Reducing Exposure, Reducing Displacement". More: <http://bit.ly/1yPp0hk>

MoHSS will be hosting the national celebration of Global Handwashing Day on 13 October in Nkurenkuru, Kavango West.

International Day of Rural Women, commemorated annually on 15 October, recognizes the role of rural women, including indigenous women, in agricultural and rural development, particularly in developing countries. More: <http://bit.ly/1pGRVhh>