



News Message

The Match for Africa 3

«The Match for Africa 3» postponed to 2017

Zurich, July 26, 2016 – Today's announcement of Roger Federer that he had to take the decision to end his 2016 tennis season will also have an impact on „The Match for Africa 3“ which was intended to take place on November 22, 2016. The third edition of the tennis charity event for the benefit of the Roger Federer Foundation has to be postponed to 2017. The new event date will be announced within the upcoming weeks.



For more than twelve years the Roger Federer Foundation has been engaging in education programs for children living in poverty in Africa and Switzerland. It only works with carefully selected local organizations in long-term partnerships and seeks to bring about systemic change and have a sustainable impact. The Foundation aims therefore to enable and empower the local population to assume responsibility for finding solutions to problems while also determining the content, organization and finances of these solutions. There are currently 15 programs in 2016 running in Botswana, Malawi, Namibia, South Africa, Zambia, Zimbabwe and in Switzerland for a total of approximately CHF 6.5 million reaching 275,000 children.

Facts and figures Roger Federer Foundation

- 2003 start of the Foundation
- 4 members of the family on the Board of Trustees
- 15 initiatives and local partners currently
- 7 countries with programs currently running
- 275,000 children benefitting from the current programs
- 1 million children to be reached by 2018
- 29 million Swiss francs total investment so far by the end of 2016

For further information, visit:

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“The Match for Africa 3” is presented by ROLEX with the support of additional partners.
The net proceeds of the Exhibition Night will go to the Roger Federer Foundation.