

## Team Alexandra



### **Lowyard Mokalapa, 17**

Lowyard has been volunteering at Alexandra Fire Station but joined Play Soccer in 2009 because he loves working with kids. His passion is to make a difference in his community by helping children to realise their potential.



### **Thumeka Mabayi, 15**

Thumeka loves Play Soccer for the opportunities it gives her to learn life skills, meet new people and stay away from the streets. Thumeka is very proud that despite her disadvantaged background she has the chance to represent Alexandra, where she hopes to one day become a community leader.



### **Victoria Masonga, 17**

Victoria loves soccer and dreams of one day being like her hero Robinho. She is very creative and interested in sports and health and joined Play Soccer to contribute to the development of a new generation.



### **Sello Mahlangu, 18**

Sello lives in Alexandra with his mother and three siblings. He loves, lives and breathes football and plays for a local side as well as volunteering for Play Soccer, which he says has helped him to stay away from trouble.



### **Lebogang Ngwako, 18**

Lebogang was nominated by a teacher at his school where he is team football captain for his compassion and the way he enjoys helping others. Lebogang is the team joker and never misses a Play Soccer session.



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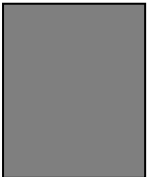
### **Neo Malema, 16**

Neo and his brothers and sister all live with their grandmother in Alexandra. His love for soccer and his passion to help other children in his community led him to Play Soccer, and his ambition is to one day manage a similar kind of organisation.



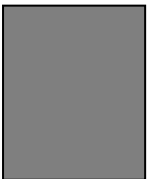
### **Katlego Malaka, 18**

Katlego was selected by his school to attend a Play Soccer conference and now volunteers for the organisation, where he hopes to make a difference by helping young children from difficult backgrounds avoid negative influences. Katlego feels he has learned a lot from Play Soccer and wants to pass that on to other young people.



### **Catherine Skhosana, 18**

Catherine joined Play Soccer because it helps her to stay focussed and keeps her out of the streets. She is passionate about helping kids to become better people.



### **Ayanda Kunene, 18**