Great excitement in Buffeljags Bay

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n 2 December 2010 the Overstrand Municipality officially opened the Buffeljags Bay Wheelie Wagon for the small community of Buffeljags, 32km outside Gansbaai. The Buffeljags Wheelie Wagon project consists of two specially designed metal trolleys with lockable doors, containing about 1,000 books. These are housed in two rooms next to the community hall.

It is the Overstrand Municipality and the Western Cape Provincial Library Service's vision that this facility will be an asset when it comes to providing the locals with their information needs. 'We hope that the books will allow children to dream and envision a better future.'

The membership at the end of December was as follows:

Children: 29 Adults: 24

The opening was attended by the mayor, Nicolette Botha-Guthrie; the librarian, Sophie Boshoff; dignitaries from the municipality; and Mhlengi Ngcobo, Mariëtte Hesselman and Tommy Jacobs from the Library Service.

Locals and guests enjoying the big opening day

