Awarding Ceremony of Foreign Minister's Commendation to the President of Namibia Kendo Federation Andre Pienaar (29 November 2025)

On 29 November 2025, Ambassador Asazuma invited Mr. Andre Pienaar, President of the Namibia Kendo Federation and recipient of the Foreign Minister's Commendation for 2025 to the Ambassador's residence for the Awarding Ceremony. During the ceremony, Ambassador Asazuma extended his congratulations to Mr. Pienaar who in turn expressed his gratitude to the Embassy and shared his efforts to promote Kendo in Namibia. In addition, students from his Kendo club gave an impressive demonstration, making the occasion truly memorable. The Embassy of Japan sincerely appreciates Mr. Pienaar's significant contributions to the spread of Kendo in Namibia and wishes him continued success and further achievements in the future. Once again, congratulations on receiving the Foreign Minister's Commendation.



Mr. Andree Pienaar and Ambassador Asazuma



Commemorative photo



Kendo performance