



The Hurdles Prodigy Looking to Dominate Africa

Some athletes win races.

The young hurdler has emerged as one of Zimbabwe's most exciting Under-18 prospects after rewriting local school athletics records and establishing himself as a dominant force in the 400m hurdles. *His outstanding personal best of 52 seconds has made him one of the fastest junior hurdlers in the region.*

His achievements at school level, particularly at Lomagundi, have established him as a record holder and one of Zimbabwe's brightest young talents. Yet he remains hungry for bigger challenges. Mauritius offers exactly that.

For Calvin, the African Junior Championships represent an opportunity to measure himself against the continent's finest emerging hurdlers and announce his arrival on the international stage. If current form is any indication, Africa should prepare to hear much more about Calvin Banga in the years ahead.

The road to greatness often begins with a single championship. For Calvin Banga, Mauritius could be that defining moment.

Collectively, these five athletes represent Zimbabwe's future—speed, power, resilience, technical excellence, and ambition. Mauritius 2026 will not simply be a competition for them; it will be an opportunity to showcase Zimbabwe's next generation of athletic stars to Africa and the world.



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