



HERMANUS SOCIAL CLUB - March 2019

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*May your troubles be less
and your blessings be more.
And nothing but happiness
come through your door.*



Reminder
13th March (Weds) - Social Club Meeting
20th March (Weds) - Club Monthly Outing
1st March (Fri) - Social Bowls

It is time for the re-election of the SAARP committee. We are asking for people to come forward to stand on the committee of our vibrant and active club of Hermanus. After 9 years of dedicated service to SAARP I wish to inform all our members that Elizabeth (our very dedicated social secretary) and myself (Chairperson), will not be available for re election. We have both taken a major step in our lives and will be relocating to a retirement estate in Paarl. In 2010 I retired from my teaching position of some 34 years of service to the educating of young children. For the past 9 years both Elizabeth and myself have spent almost our entire lives dedicated to SAARP. It is now time for us to retire from all voluntary services and enjoy more time with family and friends. On behalf of both of us, may I take this opportunity to thank my dedicated committee for the hours of work they have put into the running of SAARP Hermanus, not to forget you, the members, who have given us 9 years of joy, laughter and fulfilment. There are so many questions being asked at this time as to who is going to "takeover" and what is going to happen now? No single person on this earth is irreplaceable. There will always be someone who can do the job just as well or even better than the existing role players. Please can I ask that you make contact with me as a matter of urgency with nominations to join the committee, (ONLY REGISTERED MEMBERS MAY APPLY), so that you, the members, are afforded continual good times as members of this wonderful organisation. Furthermore I wish to thank you all from the bottom of our hearts for the incredible 9 years that we have had. There will forever in our hearts, be wonderful memories. You have given both of us the opportunity to make new friends, enjoy times together and form beautiful relationships with people whom we have had the privilege of dealing with, be they service providers in the hospitality industry or professionals who have shared their experiences with us at our monthly club meetings.

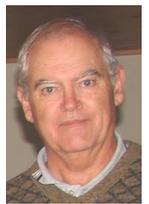


SOCIAL CLUB MEETINGS

SPEAKERS FOR OUR CLUB MEETINGS

13th March - Vic Hamilton Atwell - "Spiders in the Fernkloof Nature Reserve" – Fernkloof Nature Reserve covers 18 square kilometres in the Kleinrivier Mountains of Hermanus and ranges in altitude from sea level to 842m . Vic will be dealing with the numerous species of spiders found in the reserve.

10th April - John Saunders - Vexillology - "The Collection of flags throughout the World"



CLUB MEETING FOR MAY 2019

The normal second Wednesday club meeting is going to fall on the same day as the national elections. Therefore the MAY program is as follows:-

Club meeting will be held on Wednesday 15th May (the third Wednesday).

There will be no monthly outing during the month of May

SOCIAL BOWLS - Friday 1st March

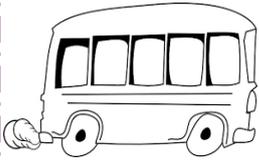


Join our SAARP players for a morning on the greens. Please ensure that you wear flat shoes. If you are a beginner there will be experienced players to assist and bowls will be made available .

VENUE:- Hermanus Bowling Club **TIME:-** 09h30 **COST:-** R30pp. To cover green fees.

MONTHLY SOCIAL OUTINGS

20th March - Mystery tour ?????



A gentle reminder that this trip cannot go ahead unless the bus is completely full due to the exorbitant cost thereof. Please can we ask that you phone Liz on 0729040268 to make a booking and arrange payment so that she is able to make the decision to go ahead or cancel before our club meeting on the 13th March. There is an urgency for this as we do not want to pay for the bus and then lose a portion of the payment due to a possible late cancellation.

COST R300pp fully inclusive of travelling, excursion and lunch. This is going to be a full day outing returning in the late afternoon.

17th April

Spit braai to be held at the Fisherhaven yacht club. COST R160 per person which includes meat plus 3 salads, garlic/cheese bread and dessert. Booking and payment opens at the March club meeting



Prizes are as follows;
1st - R250; 2nd - R120;
3rd - R80; 4th - R50.

The winners from our February meeting:-

1st - Rynthea Roux 2nd - Joan Lyness
3rd - Roy Cooper 4th - Sylvia Wroth

For ONLY R1 you could be the next lucky winner of one of these four cash prizes.



Our first super raffle was won by Sue and Martin Briggs. You are reminded that unless you have legibly signed the register at the club meetings you will not have the chance of being the lucky winner of this super prize of a R300 voucher at a local restaurant. This draw will take place again at our May club meeting.



Mars and Venus - I never have quite figured out why the sexual urges of men & women differ so much. And I never have figured out the whole Mars & Venus thing. And, I never have figured out why men think with their head and women with their heart. And, I never yet have figured out how the sexual desire gene gets thrown into a state of turmoil, when it hears the words "I do".

One evening last week, my wife and I were getting into bed. Well, the passion starts to heat up, and she eventually says, "I don't feel like it, I just want you to hold me."

I said, "WHAT??" So she says the words that I and every husband on the planet dreads. She explains that I must not be in tune with her emotional needs as a Woman. I'm thinking, "What was her first clue?"

I finally realize that nothing is going to happen that night, so I went to bed. The very next day we went shopping at a big unnamed department store... I walked around while she tried on three very expensive outfits. She couldn't decide which one to take, so I told her to take all three of them.

She then tells me that she wants matching shoes worth \$200 each to which I say OK. And then we go to the jewellery Dept. where she gets a set of diamond earrings. Let me tell you ...she was so excited. She must have thought that I was one wave short of a shipwreck, but I don't think she cared. I think she was testing me when she asked for a tennis bracelet because she doesn't even play tennis. I think I threw her for a loop when I told her that it was OK.

She was almost sexually excited from all of this and you should have seen her face when she said, "I'm ready to go, let's go to the cash register."

I could hardly contain myself when I blurted out, "No, honey. I don't feel like buying all this stuff now." You should have seen her face ... it went completely blank. I then said, "Really honey! I just want you to HOLD this stuff for a while."

And just when she had this look like she was going to kill me, I added, "You must not be in tune with my financial needs as a Man." I figure that I should be having sex again sometime during the Spring thaw

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