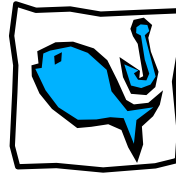




NEWSLETTER

April / May 2019

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Secretary: vacant

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS AND OUTINGS

Contact Pam & Val 083 380 1360

Monthly Hall Meetings (9am the 2nd Wednesday of every month at the Civic Centre)

NOTE: Unless stated otherwise entry is R10 per member and R15 for non-members this includes Tea/Coffee

- April 10th **AGM.** Gina from Ageless Grace will show us how we can do fun exercises sitting down!!
Booking opens for trip to Melkbos NSRI. R140.
- May 8th NO MEETING as it is voting day.
- June 12th South African Navy Band is always a welcome treat.
- July 10th The Cape Field Artillery Pipes & drums will cheer us up. This will also be "soup and roll" day!!!
- Aug 14th Fish Hoek High School pupils will show off their skills before their exams start.

OUTINGS:

NOTE: Please ensure that you are a PAID UP MEMBER when booking for an outing.

Cancellations: Transport and venue costs are paid in advance. See cancellation policy at the office
The bus departs from the Outspan in Kommetjie Road. Please check your ticket for departure time

- May 21st Melkbos NSRI station. R140pp includes tea & eats. Lunch in Melkbos for own account.
- June No Outing
- July TO BE FINALISED

Meetings & Outings may be subject to change without notice

Please remember the Annual General Meeting on 10th April.

There will be no nomination forms as we will be having nominations from the floor for any of the Committee positions. Please bear in mind that the continuation of your club lies with you the members and we need a strong committee to carry the club through to next year.

Portfolios are: Chairman (Brenda Murrell), Vice-Chairman (Manie Jooste), Secretary – vacant, Entertainment (Pam van Rooyen and Val Kimpton), Treasurer and Membership (Glyn Murrell), plus 2 further members (at present filled by Dorothy and Arthur Larkan but the number can be increased).

We could do with someone to take on a Maintenance portfolio to lessen the present load.

NOTE: The meeting will take place in the MINOR HALL as the Main Hall will be otherwise utilized.

If you have any questions etc you may raise them at the beginning of the meeting.

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From The Office

MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS: If your card expires in **April or May** it is time to come into the office and renew your membership.

If it has already expired, please rush in to pay or let the office know if you wish to cancel your membership.

NEW MEMBERS: Mr JC Apps, Mrs AM Utting, Mrs S Dullisear, Ms NA Tait, Mr R and Mrs M Bagshaw, Ms C Jennings, Ms B Shenfield, Mr G and Mrs W Turner, and Mrs GD Hewett.

Welcome to everyone! We hope you will enjoy the activities and outings with us, and make new friends too!

MISCELLANEOUS: Congratulations to all those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries.

Best wishes for a speedy recovery to all who are ill or recuperating.

To those members who have lost a loved one recently, we offer our deepest sympathies and heartfelt condolences.

Thank you to Marlene Boyd for the years of dedicated service in the office as our "Friday Girl". See you at the meetings.

REGULAR SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

BINGO AND THE BEAN GAME Last Thursday of the month at 2.30pm

BRIDGE (Rubber) Tuesdays 13.30 to 16.30 Minor Hall Civic Centre

BRIDGE (Duplicate) Fridays 13.30 to 17.00 St Margaret's Church Hall

SCRABBLE Mondays 2.00pm Library Hall, Civic Centre

BRAAI 2nd Thursday of the month at Gordon's Camp. 10.30am. R20 includes raffle

Contact Steve Medcalf 021 782 4662

Contact Pat Kayton 021 785 3120

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Contact Audrey Pike 021 785 6903

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Forthcoming Attractions!!

May 21st: The Melkbos NSRI has kindly agreed to give us a tour of their base. We are hoping they will be able to launch their boat and show us a mock rescue. Tea and eats will be provided too. After this you may wander around and have lunch at one of the many restaurants in the area. (Booking opens at the April meeting)

June 12th: Eddie Thomas (known for organising the monthly braai), has again managed to entice the SA NAVY Band to play for us. We look forward to this!

July 10th: The CFA Pipes and drums band have taken time out their busy schedule to come and perform for us, and maybe even arrange for some dancers too!



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Load shedding couldn't get the better of us at our February Meeting. Dot and her wonderful tea team, dressed in Valentine's red, provided fruit juices and heart-shaped biscuits. Sharon Balzam played romantic music on the piano and we had a little sing-along led by Manie and an impromptu choir!!



Our March outing to Bellevue Wine Estate was full. Hats off to management and staff for well organised service and delicious food. The Pensioners Menu which is good value for money and includes wine or juice.

Afterwards we were shown the original dwelling which has been incorporated into the venue. This is over 200 years old and the thick walls have been left untouched where possible.



March Meeting: Tanya from NSRI gave us an interesting talk. Here she chats to a member while Val holds the "pink buoy"