

GO BOKKE GO!



Neels Swanepoel (centre) celebrating the semi-final win with fellow members of the famous 'Faf Brigade' and some Japanese Springbok Fans.

REMEMBERING THE VICTIMS OF THE FARLEIGH FIRE

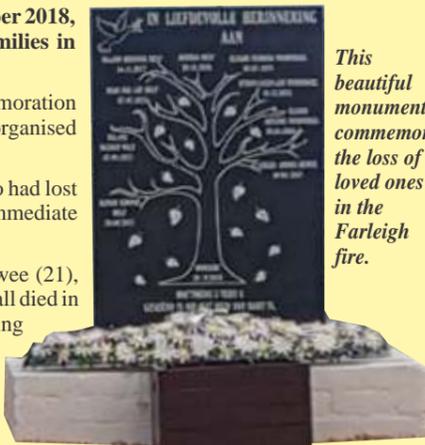
On Tuesday afternoon, on the anniversary of the Garden Route fires of 29 October 2018, residents of Farleigh stood together with the Windvogel, Bewee and Oelf families in remembrance of those who perished during that terrible blaze.

Such is the closeness of this community, that what was intended to be a small commemoration service soon swelled as people flocked in to support the bereaved. The service was organised by the families with the support of members of SANParks management.

A memorial monument was unveiled by the grandmothers of the young children who had lost their lives, and several family members read tributes. Thereafter, those from the immediate families were invited to plant trees in memory of their loved ones.

Elsabe Windvogel (42), Ethan Windvogel (2), Eljade Windvogel (12), Andrea Bewee (21), Nalaya Oelf (5), Niah Oelf (3), Aliyah Oelf (13 months) and Nalani Oelf (11 months) all died in the same home when the runaway fire raged through the SANParks staff housing settlement on that fateful day.

Twelve other homes in Farleigh and Bosdorp were also destroyed, as were the Geelhoutvlei Timbers sawmill, the main water pipeline, two storage sheds in the Ezigro Forestry Nursery, and various plantations.



This beautiful monument commemorates the loss of loved ones in the Farleigh fire.

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There's no denying that Sedgefield has joined the rest of the country in catching an extreme case of the very contagious 'Springbok Fever'.

But as everyone prepares to sit glued to the screen watching their favourite rugby legends of the national team in the World Cup Final, there is another legend to look out for - a local one!

PiliPili owner Neels Swanepoel is in the stadium stands, cheering the Springboks on as part of the fantastic 'Faf Brigade'. He and his three counterparts have become hugely popular with South African, and indeed Japanese, rugby fans, and consequently are regularly picked up by the TV cameras panning the crowds of excited supporters.

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Notes from T'Ed's Head

Dear Mr Erasmus,

Firstly let me offer my emphatic congratulations on your Rugby World Cup achievement thus far. You have rallied the lads together and, I am delighted to say, I believe Captain Kolisi has good chance of lifting the Webb-Ellis Trophy next Saturday.



But what if I told you I could double that chance?

Interested? Of course you are. Especially with the English lads in such good form.

That's why I feel it is my patriotic duty to offer the Springboks something that can only be described as a 'Secret Weapon'.

Don't get me wrong. I am not offering to play in the final match myself. Whilst you have probably heard that I do have a fine set of rugby skills under my belt (which admittedly I have had to let out an extra notch or three in the last year), I certainly have no delusions that someone of my age could entertain any thoughts of being selected for the national team.

Yes, I know you are probably thinking about the seven years I played in the Alex Sports Club 2nd team (3rd division), one of them as vice captain (though I have to concede, that was the year we didn't play any actual matches, due to the fact that only five people ever came to practices), but I have to graciously decline.

You see, back then I could run around the entire field with a cigarette in one hand and a beer in the other and still have enough energy for a rousing rendition of 'We are the Shumba Drinkers' in the pub afterwards.

But sadly, in the years since then, I have been married, raised a family and perhaps imbibed a few too many amber nectars along the way. Thus I have been a little inconsistent in the honing of my ball-handling skills, my goal kicking, and indeed those knee breaking defensive tackles for which I was so famous (to be honest, I only broke my knee on four occasions – but you can understand how these sorts of things tend to get exaggerated once they become folk lore).

Indeed, such is my current lack of energy that just the other day Mrs Ed had to come with the wheelbarrow to fetch me when I

extended myself too far on an evening walk (She insists that if my chosen route hadn't included a certain tavern I could have made it home under my own steam).

"So what on earth are you offering us?" I hear you say.

Well, Rassie, (I hope you don't mind the informal use of your nick-name – I just think that if we're to be working closely together it is best to do away with the formalities sooner, rather than later), it's the indomitable Mrs Ed. THAT's the secret weapon!

Yes, you heard right! (I can almost see your smile from here!) She's coming out of retirement, (your father might remember reading of her 'Hurling' prowess in the sixties), and I am offering her to you as a substitute for the Springbok team!

You see, whilst I personally may have let my slightly advancing years get the better of me with regards to losing my aforementioned prime condition, Mrs Ed is in the finest form she has been in decades!

Oh yes, with muscle power that would make lesser men than her quake in their boots (studs and all), coupled with her unprecedented beard growing ability, she would be more than an asset to an invading horde of the most bloodthirsty Visigoths, never mind a pack of lily-white, namby-pamby British sportsmen chasing after an egg-shaped ball.

Now, I understand the frustration of receiving a gift 'with conditions' – but alas, I do have a few pointers that are deal-breakers, if you get what I mean.

Firstly, whilst you would no doubt be extremely tempted to let Mrs Ed play for the full 80 minutes of the game, I have to insist that this cannot be done. She isn't as young as she used to be, and whilst representing her

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nation does carry some level of importance, she needs to save some energy for the general maintenance of our home – especially with the hordes (not of Visigoths – ha ha) arriving for the Christmas season.

Having said that, I do think it's most important that you put her in the starting line-up, and then substitute her after twenty minutes or so. You see, from my exceptional experience, a game of rugby is 50% skill and 50% intimidation. This is, of course, why the All Blacks have been so successful with their 'Haka' and indeed the use of players with faces that only a mother could love.

Hence my belief that having Mrs Ed run up and down the park, grimacing her finest 'Just what time of night do you call this?' face for the first quarter of the match would do more than enough to get the English team rushing back to the change rooms for their brown shorts, if you get my drift?

Now I don't want to appear judgmental, but I did notice that you lost one or two important line-outs against the Welsh, and I think this is where you will find Mrs Ed to be a game-changer. With her as a 'lifter' I am certain that you'll win every single ball. After all, I've seen her hoist a hod of bricks up two stories without any addition to her usual swathing of sweat (I do apologise for that in advance), so it will be like taking candy off an English baby.

Having said that, (and I don't want to be telling you how to do your job), please don't be tempted to make Mrs Ed a line-out 'jumper'. Despite the famous strength of your Springbok pack, I wouldn't want to witness anyone attempting to lift her off the ground without some sort of block and tackle or forklift machinery.

Now, as far as defence against the onslaught of the English attack is concerned, I'm sure Mrs Ed's credentials speak for themselves. Suffice to say she has been known to stop a charging herd of buffalo in their tracks.... with her breath. Yes – I know I am married to her, and it would be easy for me to show bias regarding her abilities, but I swear I'm not. *She's that good!*

And if your game-plan is to get territorial advantage (you could

ask Faf to cut back on his kicking, just saying), Mrs Ed is very adept at gaining ground. Try having an argument with her and this will soon be obvious.

In addition, once you have seen her teeth you'll agree that it will be at least the end of the first quarter before anyone gathers the courage to tackle her (I still haven't, and we've been married for over a life-sentence).

Talking of teeth, as a final note, please remember Mrs Ed does have the tendency to bite when she is in claustrophobic conditions, and she hasn't had her rabies jabs this year (the medical aid refused to cover it AGAIN!), so it might be fair to issue a warning to the opposition scrum. And line. And full back.

And perhaps the referee and linesmen.

Indeed, if I were to think aloud, I might suggest that this would provide another wonderful chance to employ that intimidation tactic I spoke about.... (Nudge, nudge, wink, wink)

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One would imagine that writing an advertorial for a local newspaper once a month is a piece of old takkie.

And mostly it is. The topic always centres around Scarab Village and craft market and as one can imagine there is always plenty of inspiration from the creative people who sell and visit there.

One of these people is Werner Rosch, a toymaker from the old school. His sturdy wooden trucks and cars painted in cheerful colours have caught the eye of many youngsters. The parents and grandparents are always willing to purchase an item that reminds them of their childhood toys which never required any batteries!

Werner has also invented some of his workshop machines made from a VW Bendix and flywheel, lawn mower parts and a washing machine motor. He very kindly wrote this information down for this article but as he is a retired orthopaedic surgeon his writing is almost illegible.

So if you would really like to know more about his workshop machinery or to buy some good old fashioned toys, come and see him every Saturday at the Market.

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A NEW HOME FOR KARATARA FAMILY



On Monday 28 October 2019 Karatara's Sana Morris was delighted to receive the keys to her freshly completed 'Breaking New Ground' home.

A while back, the fifty-nine year old had fallen on hard times when losing her job as a farm worker in Karatara. Having had to leave the farm, she lived on the streets with her five children and grandchildren until a good Samaritan offered them shelter.

When Cape Island Construction offered to join the Municipality's Mandela Day initiative earlier this year, the community immediately identified Sana

as the recipient of this new house. She could hardly contain her excitement when Knysna Speaker Mertle Gombo and John Rimbault of Cape Island Construction ceremoniously handed her the keys.

Knysna Municipal Manager, Dr Sitembele W. Vatala, who was there for the handover ceremony, said: "On behalf of the Knysna Municipality, I sincerely thank Cape Island Homes and Buco, for the much-appreciated sponsorship they provided for this BNG Housing opportunity. Thanks to their generous sponsorship, we are able to make an enormous difference in the lives of desperate families within Greater Knysna".

PARKING ATTENDANT CRUSHED

Witnesses to an accident at the Pick n Pay shopping centre on Monday morning feared the worst for casual parking attendant Dwayne Foster, when a car pushed him straight through a plate glass window into the liquor store.

According to those on the scene, the accident was seemingly the result of a moment of misjudgement by a driver in his 70s.

Ulrich Swartz was behind the wheel of his Mercedes, with his carer sitting next to him in the passenger seat.

Whilst there is no official report as to exactly what caused the car to suddenly lurch forward, witnesses believe that he may have mistakenly put the automatic vehicle into



'drive' instead of reverse, and then, when it started going forwards, hit the accelerator pedal instead of the brake in panic.

Foster was unfortunately standing right in the path of the heavy vehicle and was pushed straight through the metal railing, whilst the glass behind him shattered. On the other side of the window there was mayhem as hundreds of bottles crashed to the floor of the liquor store.

Amazingly, there was no blood on the scene, so Foster had not received any open wounds, but it was easy to see that the young man was in a bad way. An ambulance rushed in and, after paramedics had checked he was stable, he was taken off to George Hospital where it was ascertained that he had suffered multiple fractures to his pelvis and ankle.

SCAM-ACCUSED NO LONGER IN CUSTODY

There was a frantic buzz on a particular WhatsApp group on Wednesday 23 October, when news of the release of alleged holiday scamster Marianne Roux broke. This after she has been languishing in jail since Friday 21 June this year, when she was arrested in Sedgefield by Constable Detective Lindinkosi Yoko.

The WhatsApp group is made up of people from far and wide who have opened cases against this 32 year old Sedgefield mother, each claiming to have been defrauded by Roux through her online holiday booking agency Eden Events.

At the time of her arrest, SAPS Spokesperson Malcolm Poje said "So far 13 complainants have come forward to report that they have been defrauded. This scammer is believed to have

swindled these innocent people out of money amounting to more than R70 000.00." He added that people from as far as Lephalale, Midrand, Kempton Park and Bellville had fallen prey to the skulduggery of Roux.

When it came to light how many people had been duped it was assumed by many that the courts would 'throw the book' at Roux. But after she pleaded guilty in the Thembaletu Magistrate's Court on 15 October, it seems things started going in a different direction to this expectation.

Indeed, even Constable Yoko was surprised when he heard the court's decision to release the Sedgefield woman, as he had believed that the dockets had been 'centralised' and that she would be facing all of them (one case of theft and seven cases of fraud) in the same court proceeding.

However he discovered that Roux had only been tried for a single case. This for the theft of R2000, which, according to the detective, she had actually since paid back to the person accusing her. For this crime she had been given a suspended sentence, with her time already served being taken into account.

Yoko explained that as far as the seven fraud cases against Roux were concerned, it had been declared that they were not in the Thembaletu Court's jurisdiction because she had (allegedly) committed the crimes whilst living in Sedgefield. In other words, she would have to face these charges in the Knysna Court.

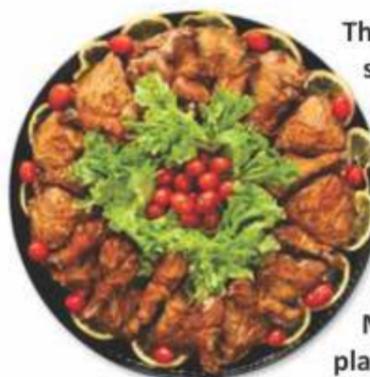
"But she will face them," the Detective told us, "I will be working closely with the investigating officer from that side to make sure that happens."

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COUNCILLOR RESIGNS, INVASIVE PLANTS & WATER RESTRICTIONS



From the MM's Desk

What a privilege it is to provide the foreword to this edition of the Council News. Greater Knysna is facing a few political challenges at the moment, but I can assure you that these will have no impact on service delivery. Delivering basic services of high standards remains one of this administration's top priorities.

Knysna has an approved Integrated Development Plan and 2019/2020 Budget. These must be implemented and, as Municipal Manager, it is my responsibility to ensure that this happens. The practical aspects of this implementation fall to the administration and officials, whom I aim to lead to success in doing so.

October was Breast Cancer Awareness Month, and November brings us 'Movember'. This movement raises awareness of various men's health issues such as prostate and testicular cancer, and men's suicide. Heritage Day reminded us to celebrate the different cultures that make up our society – one

of the few things our cultures all have in common is men's reluctance to talk about their health issues. You don't need to grow out your moustache or beard in November, but do educate yourself on what you can do to better look after your health.

This issue will address the activation of the water management devices. There is no need to worry if one has not yet been installed at your household – phase two of this project will be rolled out in due course. Please keep an eye on the press for more information.

December is around the corner and we are all working hard in preparation for the arrival of our seasonal guests. We are doing everything we can to ensure that they – and you, our residents – enjoy a peaceful, stress-free summer. Until then, we all have much to do before the end of the year. Good luck to every one of those of you who are also putting in that extra effort before closing for season.

Best wishes for November,

Dr Sitembele Vatala, Knysna Municipal Manager

NEW PROJECT MANAGEMENT MANAGER & FIRE SERVICES REACH OUT

KNYSNA MUNICIPALITY WELCOMES NEW SENIOR MANAGER IN THE PROJECT MANAGEMENT OFFICE

Mpumelelo Nzuzo has joined the administration as the **Senior Manager: Project Management Office**. In this position, he will be responsible for managing capital projects and programmes, ensuring that they reach their desired outcomes on time and within budget, whilst adhering to prescribed quality standards.

Mr Nzuzo comes to us from the Sundays River Municipality where he was the Director: Infrastructure Planning and Development. He achieved his diploma in Civil Engineering at the Walter Sisulu University and studied B-Tech Civil Engineering (Transportation) at the Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University after matriculating from Khanyisa High School in Mthatha.

"I was raised in a village named Viedgesville in Mthatha," he said. "Here I completed my junior secondary studies at Xhugxwala Junior Secondary School. I have, however, fallen in love with

Knysna and look forward to building a life here with my wife and two boys. They will be joining me here after the boys' November examinations."

Mr Nzuzo, who enjoys DIY-projects and would have liked to be an inventor, has set goals in his sights for his unit.

"In the short-term, I want to increase the human resource capacity of this section by absorbing highly-skilled and motivated personnel who will be able to drive the implementation of all municipal projects. Standard Operating Procedures must be developed in the medium-term, with tools and techniques that will ensure speedy implementation of projects to meet fiscal targets. Then this unit will participate in the development of long-term infrastructure development plants and strategies."

Knysna Municipality looks forward to welcoming the rest of the Nzuzo family, and wishes them many years of happiness as active members of our community.



DA COUNCILLOR DONOVAN POFADDER RESIGNS



Acting Knysna Municipal Manager Mbulelo Memani received the resignation letter of Ward 11 Councillor Donovan Pofadder on Tuesday 15 October. His resignation was effective immediately.

We thank Mr Pofadder for his selfless service to the residents of Ward 11 and wish him all the best with his future endeavours.

ZERO TOLERANCE ON GUY FAWKES DAY



Knysna Municipality is urging all residents to abide by the relevant bylaws when planning their **Guy Fawkes celebrations for 5 November**.

Municipal Manager Dr Sitembele Vatala said there will be zero tolerance shown with regards to illegal activities.

"We have put measures in place to curb illegal activities and Law Enforcement Officers will be on patrol during the day and evening. Officers are confiscating any fireworks found at retail outlets and are removing items that may be burned in public, such as tyres. They will continue to do so until after 06 November."

"Eight officers will be on duty within Greater Knysna from 03 November, focussing on known hotspots until 06 November. The officer in charge of Law Enforcement is Gavin Williams. Please do not hesitate to contact him on 060 998 7379 if you have any queries, or wish to report illegal activities."

Guy Fawkes celebrations have caused damage to private and municipal property in previous years, and disrupted pet behaviour. Vatala urged pet owners to make the necessary arrangements to keep their pets safe.

"We will do our best to curb illegal activities, but please keep pets indoors where possible. Animals are easily frightened by fireworks and may become distressed. Their natural response is to try and escape which, as we have seen in the past, may lead to tragic consequences."

INVASIVE PLANT MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATION CEREMONY



With assistance from Knysna Municipality, 28 students have graduated in different operational training programmes, and are now skilled in invasive plant management. Phambili Skills, a Knysna-based company with over 20 years of experience in the forestry and invasive plant management sector, provided the training.

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They also believe in connecting with the communities they serve. Our local fire fighters recently conducted door-to-door visits in some of our neighbourhoods to help communities understand that fires can be prevented. Fridge magnets with important numbers were distributed to these homes.

Contact the Fire & Rescue Services on 044 302 8911.



MUNICIPAL NETBALL SPRING TOURNAMENT

The Greater Knysna Municipality's youth and sport desks presented the annual Netball Spring Tournament on 12 October at the Hornlee Sportsfield.

The event started in August to celebrate the achievements of women in sports and hosted training clinics for newly established teams from areas such as Diepvalle and Brackenhill.

There are three different divisions in the tournament: the Junior League, the Development League and the Senior League. Knysna Loeries were the winners of the Junior League Cup this year, with Thunders winning the Development League and Atlantic A winning the Senior League Cup.

Established in 2018, this event will become a sporting highlight on our annual events calendar.



HOUSING DEPARTMENT ENGAGE COMMUNITIES



Proposed housing developments for Sedgefield

Knysna Municipality Director of Integrated Human Settlements Mr. Joel Mkunqwana engaged the community of Sedgefield on proposed housing typologies for Erven 5046, 3861, 3866, 3917, 3918, 5010, 1873, 1874, 1875, 1877, 1879, 3535 and 3536 Sedgefield. This well attended engagement held on 15 October at the Sedgefield Community Hall, forms part of processes that must be followed before a key infrastructure project of this nature kicks off.

The housing team shared the project proposals with interested residents of Sedgefield. The planned development of Breaking New Ground, FLISP, PHP and GAP houses aims to address issues of housing in the area where backyard dwellers and people living in informal settlements will be accommodated.

The meeting was in an effort to strengthen community engagement, encourage ownership of these projects by communities and promote transparency, active citizenship and consultation.



R32 million BNG housing project for Hornlee made official

Knysna's Integrated Human Settlements Department formally announced the approval of a new Breaking New Ground (BNG) housing project for Hornlee (Wards 6 and 11) during a meeting held on 21 October. Following an open and transparent bidding process, JPB Construction and Civils has been appointed to construct 155 BNG houses.

Director: Integrated Human Settlements Joel Mkunqwana gave details of key features of the house designs, including options for people living with disabilities. Two Community Liaison Officers will be appointed from within the local community and act as points of contact between the municipality, the construction company and the community.

A questions and answers session provided members of the community with a clear understanding of how the project will be executed.

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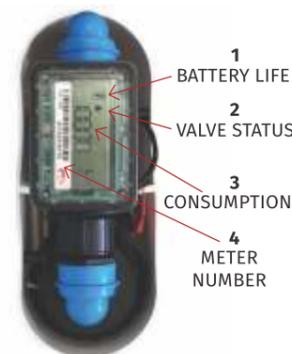
- for the watering of gardens for one hour 3 days a week;
- or the use of hosepipes for gardening and other purposes, and the use of irrigation systems from 18h00 to 19h00 from **December to May** (summer) and 17h00 to 18h00 from **June to November** (winter) as follows:
 - Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays – residents with even street numbers;
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- that residents still obtain permission from the Director: Technical Services before filling swimming pools and undertaking maintenance; and
- report water leaks and water abuse to 044 302 6331 (o/h) or 060 998 7000.



FIRST PHASE OF KNYSNA PREPAID WATER METERS ACTIVATED

The process of activating the 7500 prepaid water meters commenced on 23 October. Municipal Manager Dr Sitembele Vatala said that the prepaid system functions similarly to the electrical prepaid system.

"User Interface Units (UIU) have been provided to all households where the system has been installed, and units can be bought at the same pre-paid vendors that sell electricity."



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Free allocations

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The User Interface Unit (UIU)

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Tamper free

Vatala stressed that the smart water meter must not be tampered with.

"Not only is it illegal, but the meter will shut down if tampered with, interrupting supply. Residents will have to wait for the meter to be fixed – at their cost - before supply can be restored," he warned.

Benefits all round

Vatala concluded by saying that the prepaid system has benefits for all parties involved. "Users are now in control of their monthly usage and billing and they are notified of any water leakages. From our perspective it decreases the number of disputed accounts, improves the managing of water resources and assists Council with long term planning. We hope to have the system installed in all wards soon, and phase two will commence shortly."



UPDATE ON CRIME

It seemed that no sooner had the last edition of *The EDGE* hit the streets – announcing that there had NOT been a spike in crime in Sedgefield – that the perpetrators of criminal activity got busier once again.

According to COP (Community Orientated Policing), whilst there has been a general increase in burglaries in the village, Meedingsride, Cola Beach and Groenvlei has been the worst hit. "Once again, whilst there have been some instances of breaking and entering, it is mainly opportunistic crime that seems to be happening in Sedgefield," advised Mike Hofhuis of COP. "And most of this can be avoided by residents being more careful, taking extra precautions just in case, and watching our for one another."

Not wishing to give specifics of individual cases, he outlined instances in which perpetrators

had entered homes through unlocked doors whilst the house occupants were at home, times when alarms had not been activated because the owners were 'just quickly popping out', and cars had been broken into when valuable goods had been left within plain sight. Building sites had also been targeted.

"We once again advise people to be security conscious. Keep your alarms on whenever possible. Lock your doors even if you are at home," he said.

Whilst not wanting residents to live in fear, Hofhuis said the myth of Sedgefield being crime-free is not one to be believed. "If locals and visitors are kept aware that petty theft is indeed a problem, then taking the necessary precautions will go a long way towards preventing Sedgefield becoming known as a soft target to more ruthless criminals," he pointed out.

Changes in Council

Deputy Executive Mayor, Cllr Aubrey Tsengwa, on Friday 25 October 2019 appointed his Mayoral Committee to ensure the business of Council continues effectively and efficiently.

According to section 56(6) of the Municipal Structures Act, No 117 of 1998, "the Deputy Executive Mayor of a municipality exercises the powers and performs the duties of the Executive Mayor if the Executive Mayor is absent or not available or if the Office of the Executive Mayor is vacant".

The new Mayoral Committee will consist of:
Cllr Claudine Croutz (Governance & Economic Development and Finance Committees)
Cllr Thando Matika



(Integrated Human Settlements and Technical Services Committees)
Cllr Monwabisi Salaze (Community Services Committee)
Cllr Mncedisi Skosana (Planning & Development Committee)

Koscas, along with Cas' ever popular Beef & Chicken Breyani, our Biltong Bar, Free Range Meat, Chicken & Eggs, and the yummiest home baked cakes and pies, has now introduced a gourmet breakfast and lunch menu, for sit down or take away.



Cas is delighted to welcome his newest team member, internationally acclaimed, Executive Chef, Zenta Lundin (former Executive Chef of Somerbosch Bistro, Stellenbosch). Since joining the team, Zenta has been wowing our customers with her delectable culinary gastronomic, gourmet, signature dishes.



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On 14 December 2019 at the Octopus Garden there will be a celebration of the music of ABBA, performed by Cape Town's top musicians and directed by Cape Town's own Mike McCullagh (McCully Workshop and of Buccaneer fame).

Starting at 19.30, patrons are in for an evening of fun, laughter song and dance as the amazing cast brings ABBA to life. Favourite songs such as *Waterloo... Ring Ring... Does your mother know... Fernando... SOS... Take a chance... Money Money Money... Gimme Gimme... Voulez Vous... Mama Mia... Dancing Queen* and many more are among the hits that the audience may look forward to.

Led by Mike himself on drums, the talented cast includes Luella Holland and Sjanel

of whom wowed patrons in the previously sold out ABBA show at the Roxy) as the two Abba girls, with Gordon Mackay on keyboards as Benny and Warren Lomberg on guitar as Bjorn. In addition, making up the band, is phenomenal bassist Neil (the Man) Peyton, whose dance moves have become legendary!

The show will also feature snippets of ABBA history, including humorous anecdotes. A TRIBUTE TO ABBA will no doubt have the audience dancing in the garden and singing along to their favourite songs. The show recently packed Grand West Casino and the Kalk Bay Theatre where critics raved.

Tickets are R130 and are on sale through Quicket or at the Knysna, Sedgefield and George branches of TCS (cash only).

Congratulations

to Jess Heyns and Spiro Papayannis on their marriage which they celebrated on 12 October 2019 at Seeplaas Restaurant & Gallery, Grootbrak

RELAUNCH OF KOSCAS

Great New Look, Great New Chef, Great New Taste

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Zenta was raised in this area, attending school in Knysna. Her passion for cooking and her love of food, were an influence from her grandmother. Zenta, qualified with distinctions at Zewenwacht Chef School in 2005! Thereafter, she was appointed Senior Chef de Partie at Zorgvliet in Stellenbosch. Zenta spread her wings, gaining international experience in the UK. Upon returning to South Africa, she wowed local and overseas Somerbosch Bistro patrons with her gastronomic delights.

KOSCAS has reworked their space to bring in more light. Upon arrival the menus are displayed alongside a vase of fresh flowers, accompanied by a carafe of spring water, filled with fresh fruit/herbs of the day. Patrons are invited to indulge in a glass of water whilst perusing the new menu.

Zenta plans to vary the menu on a regular basis, using only the freshest herbs and ingredients, all locally sourced, to create her mouth-watering breakfast and lunch dishes.

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Dit is met groot hartseer wat ons tотиens moes se aan Loffie Henn, Maandag 14 Oktober 2019.

Lewensmaat, van Ronnie vir 60 jaar en Pa van 3 kinders en 2 kleinkinders. Hy sal onthou word nie net vir sy ongelooflike trots en liefde vir sy familie nie, maar ook vir sy innovasie en hydrae tot die Plastiek bedryf oor sy loopbaan. Sy liefde vir die see, visvang en jag is legendaries en as vriende en familie het ons baie mooi herinneringe en stories.

Rus in Vrede Dadda, jy is nooit uit ons gedagtes nie en altyd in ons harte, waar ons mag wees, in die wereld.

Baie liefde Ronnie, Zonia, Philip, Tersia, Jessica en Chelsea.



Some tips on planning for your retirement

by Brian Groom

1. Look at your current monthly budget and roughly calculate your expected budget at retirement. My monthly budget now & my expected budget on retirement.

Sit down with your life partner and list all of your expenses carefully by going through your bank account statements, your credit card statements and your cash purchases and tally up the amounts, adjust the numbers for any known changes that would occur on your retirement such as a downsizing of your home, the sale of one of your two cars, and so on, then use this as a rough yardstick for your initial monthly budget during retirement no matter how far into the future that would be (assume that your expenses will grow exactly in line with inflation).

Decide whether you will earn further income during retirement or not. If you do expect to, then estimate the amount & deduct this figure from the monthly amount pm determined in paragraph one.

2. Look at the amount of capital that you have accumulated to date and calculate how much you will have saved by retirement age

Look at your pension fund and/or any retirement annuities or unit trusts you have to see how much you have saved so far.

Then determine how much more your known contributions would add to your retirement fund's bottom line at the beginning of your retirement and calculate the amount of capital that you will have built up by the time you retire.

3. Compare your capital with your income needs in retirement and ascertain whether your accumulated capital will be able to support your required income in retirement.

To do this, calculate the percentage yield that you'd

need from your capital amount established in paragraph two per year in order to fund your budget as established in paragraph one. Once you have the percentage yield, work out whether your capital will cope or be eroded before your retirement ends. Your financial adviser should be able to help you with this exercise.

4. Ask your professional investment advisor to compile a portfolio that will provide you with your desired yield.

Some questions to ask:

Which types of investments & in what proportions should they be used in my portfolio in order to ensure that it provides me with my required yield percentage from the interest income, rental income & dividends that it generates?

Is it even possible to compile such a portfolio or will I need to invest more between now & my retirement date in order to reach the targeted yield?

If I can't save more than I've already determined possible in paragraph two, how else do I ensure that my lifestyle in retirement is funded successfully?

Can my advisor propose a more aggressive portfolio to try to grow my capital faster without reducing the amount of income that it will yield?

Do I need to remain fully employed & also able to save for a few more years than I had planned? How many more years would I need to work for if I remained in my current employment? If my salary changed, how would I determine how long I'd need to remain employed?

In summary, you need to be aware of whether you are on track for retirement or whether you need to make further provisions for your desired retirement lifestyle. This needs to be ascertained long before your retirement is due, otherwise you may find yourself without any hope of achieving the lifestyle you've desired for so many years.

So many good reasons to go to Leisure Isle Festival

Knysna's spring festival season gets off to a bumper start with the 17th Leisure Isle Festival on November 9th and 10th.

"Knysna is the Garden Route's festival capital and there are some very special reasons why people should attend this one." says Niall Johnston, chair of the organising committee, "we want to see people and their families enjoying themselves, availing themselves of the many skills that our diverse community offers and in doing so helping those among us who are less fortunate and need our help".

Last year's festival raised a record R300,000+ for 8 local charities. This year 9 local charities - Vermont Old Age Home, e'Pap Children Feeding Scheme, Ithemba, Knysna Animal Welfare, LorieHof,

Die Werkwinkel, Hospice and Steenbok Nature Reserve - will benefit from festival goers' generous spending.

The Festival's more than 120 stalls include many high quality craft stalls and a terrific range of food and drink outlets that guarantee festival goers a great day's entertainment. Children will have lots to do, with Knysna Basin Project's ever-popular treasure hunt and the Kids Activity Area run by Queen Bee School. The Festival also provides stall holders, who come from the many diverse parts of the Knysna community, with the opportunity to develop their businesses and in many cases to start their business from scratch.

As the Knysna Estuary is the most important environmentally



in South Africa, the Festival has a strong environmental message. Single-use plastics have been banned and the Steenbok Nature Reserve, SANParks and Knysna Basin Project are all represented, the last with its display of live creatures that always attracts many budding young ecologists.

Johnston reiterated his thanks to the lead sponsor Sotheby's International Realty Knysna and the many other generous sponsors. He said that without their support and that of our many volunteers the Festival could not take place.



SEASONAL INFORMAL TRADING PERMITS

APPLICATIONS ARE HEREBY INVITED BY KNYSNA MUNICIPALITY TO APPLY FOR SEASONAL INFORMAL TRADE PERMITS

The following sites are available for informal trading during the festive season from **Sunday, 1 December 2019 to Friday, 31 January 2020:**

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3. Sedgefield: Boat Launch
4. Sedgefield: Taxi Rank
5. Buffalo Bay: Beach Area (Only non-food items)
6. Buffalo Bay: Upper Parking Area
7. Buffalo Bay: Old Backpackers Parking Area
8. Leisure Isle - Green Hole
9. Leisure Isle - Bollard Bay
10. Brenton On Sea

A limited number of trade sites are available at each of these areas and applications will be considered based on the merit of each individual application in line with the Municipality's By-law on Informal Trade.

Seasonal Trade Permits cost **R300** in accordance with Knysna Municipality's Tariff Policy.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE MARKED:

"Application for 2019 seasonal informal trading permit 2019"

Closing date: 15 November 2019 at 12:00

The successful applicants will be required to enter into a written contract and sign a code of conduct with the Municipality.

Applications must be deposited in the application box situated at Knysna Municipality, Economic Development Department, 2nd Floor, 3 Church Street, Main Road, Knysna 6570.

Applicants should ensure that applications are delivered timeously to the correct address.

No late submissions will be considered.

The application box is open from 07:30 to 16:30 during weekdays Monday to Thursday and 07:30-13:30 on Fridays.

Application forms and maps with the Council approved trade bays at each of the areas can be obtained from the Economic Development Department at 3 Church Street or via email to spieterse@knysna.gov.za

Applicants and members of the public are advised to peruse the Council's By-law on Informal Trade which is accessible on the Municipal Website at: <https://www.knysna.gov.za/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/Informal-Trading-By-law-8-Dec-2017.pdf> before submitting applications.

Applicants are at liberty, at any time during office hours, to obtain further details with regard to the procedure and Conditions for Application from the office of Mrs Sherylene Boonzaaier on tel. 044 302 6360 or via email to spieterse@knysna.gov.za

**DR SW VATALA
MUNICIPAL MANAGER**



KNYSNA TO BENEFIT FROM 2019/2020 WARD PROJECTS

Knysna Ward Councillors are allocated a budget to spend on projects within their wards, at their discretion, each financial year. According to Knysna Municipal Manager Dr Sitembele Vatala, a lot has already been achieved during the 2019/2020 financial year.

"Our priority, first and foremost, is to serve our community," he said. "While there are many bigger picture issues at hand, what often makes the most difference to a person's daily life is enhancing their immediate environment. That is what these ward allocations of R350 000 per ward are for."

Councillor Levael Davis is having speedbumps placed in Rooikrans-, Witbooi- and Fynbos streets in Ward 1. Additional speed bumps will be built in Slangeperk and Beverly

Hills, and the outdoor gym will be fenced. In Ward 2, Councillor Cathy Weideman plans on installing palisade fencing and upgrading the Protea Hall and the Golden Movement building in Karatara.

In Ward 3, Councillor Mncedisi Skosana will have retaining walls constructed in Nekkie and Dam-se-Bos, access ramps in Hlalani, and a walkway from the R339 (Uniondale Road). Councillor Sitembele Ngqezu of Ward 4 plans on the installation of standpipes and the electrification of informal areas within his ward.

Ward 5's Councillor Hilton Stroebel will see access ramps built in Bloekom-, Protea, Fern- and Geelhout streets, floodlights installed at the outdoor gym, a walkway constructed from



Having fun in Karatara's new play park

Watson- to Bloekom Street, and will purchase furniture for Rheendal's Youth Centre. Meanwhile, in Ward 6, Councillor Elrick van Aswegen's planned 5 a side synthetic football field is a multi-year project.

Councillor Mandla Matiwane is installing an access ramp and gabions in Ward 7. In Ward 8, Councillor Thando Matika will have walkways with handrails installed, as well as floodlights at the outdoor gym. The balance of both their allocations will go towards electrification projects within their respective wards.

Security cameras will be installed at Knoetzie in Ward 9. Councillor Myers aims to spend

his allocation for Ward 10 on security cameras in Knysna's central business district and the eradication of invasive alien plants. Another 5 a side synthetic soccer field, also a multi-year project, is planned for Ward 11. "This totals a crucial spend of over R3,85 million," Vatala continued. "Knysna Municipality works tirelessly at making Greater Knysna an inclusive, innovative and inspired place to live and work in for all our residents. But, as I've mentioned, these are often bigger-picture issues. This spending on ward-specific projects is included in our 2019/2020 Budget, which means

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that it does not reduce funds available to other, bigger-picture projects. But I believe that this relatively small spend per ward returns a whole lot more on that

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MORE INFO TERTIA 062 0460 463

CENTURY CHARITY RUN

The Garden Route motoring club will be holding a novel motoring event on Sunday 3 November 2019. The Century Charity Run is an annual event which is open to those who have a car older than 25 years and where the combined age of the car and the driver is 100 years (century) or more.

Entrance to the event is limited to 100 cars and entrants will drive a distance of 100 km to the end point and prizegiving in Rheendal. The aim of the event is to provide some non-competitive driving fun for owners of classic cars and to raise money for Sedgefield charities; the "The Living Cornerstone", a group of houses for underprivileged people who are suffering from Alzheimer's or other form of dementia as well as "Sedgefield Mobile Meals", a

volunteer organisation that provides meals three times a week for poor and aged people. The entry fee of R100 per car will be donated to the charities.

The run will commence at Sedgefield on 3 November from the parking opposite the Engen 1 Stop on the N2 with registration commencing from 09:00 and first cars away at 10:00.

The public is welcome to view the cars and also to enjoy the Art Market which will be held at the Mosaic market on that morning.

- Entry open to all cars and motorbikes 25 years and older
- Combined age of the car and driver must equal or exceed a Century (100 years)
- Entry is not restricted to motoring clubs but open to the public



- Entry donation of R100 required
- Number of participants limited to 100
- Route of 100 km to the end point

All entrants will receive a commemorative certificate and a raffle will be held for a range of desirable prizes with the funds raised to be donated to Sedgefield charities "The Living Cornerstone" and

"Mobile Meals". There is ample parking at the start point in front of the Engen filling station, in Sedgefield with coffee, breakfast, snacks and toilets available.

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DIARY DATELINE

30 October - 13 November 2019

Wednesday 30

1pm Social Bowls Tabs In for Club members and visitors from other Clubs

2-5pm Sedgefield Tennis Club (Social)

5:30pm Sedgefield Striders - 5km time trials meet @ Bowling Club

6:15-10pm Badminton Town Hall.

6:30 for 7pm MOTH meetings at Lions Club. Old Bill Danie Hoffmann - 0823190832

Thursday 31

7am Eden Cycling Road bikes & MTB's depart Cycle Worx. All welcome.

7:30am Sedge Gentlemen's Golf @ The Links

10:30-11:30 Community meal at St Francis United Church, Swallow Drive - outreach to lonely & hungry

Pm - Bowls coaching contact Wendy Mack on 073 160 6107

Friday 01

8am Ladies Golf @ Links Course

9am Line Dancing @ St. Anthony's. 084 549 3967

10- 11:30am Anchusa meet @ St Francis Church hall 044 343 1099

Saturday 02

7:30am-12 Wild Oats Community Farmers' Market

8am - 2pm Mosaic Market

8am - 1pm Scarab Craft Market Lakes Bird Club Outings - also talks. Phone Pat 044 382 0638 or Steve 082 785 6152. Email: lakes.bird.club@gmail.com

10am Depression and Anxiety Support Group - 9 Sysie St, Sedge. Lynette 079 156 6735

1pm Social Bowls Tabs In for Club members and visitors from other Clubs

3pm Astronomical Society. meet at St Anthony's Catholic Church

3-5pm The Calligraphers of the Garden Route meet at Small boat harbour, Leisure Isle. Jenny Birch 044 343 2451

Sunday 03

6am Eden Cycling Club Group Social outride departs Cycle Worx. All welcome.

7am set up CAR BOOT SALE at Octopus Garden, Scarab Village N2, Sedgefield from 8am to 12 in aid of Masithandane.

11am - 3pm Outdoor Art Fair @ Mosaic Craft Market

Monday 04

9am Guided Meditation @ Sedge Antiques Bldg.

6:30-10 Badminton Town Hall

6:15 for 6:30pm Duplicate Contract Bridge in Catholic Church Hall. 3432158

Tuesday 05

7am Eden Cycling Club Group Social outride departs Cycle Worx. All welcome.

12:30 Arthritis Foundation meetings @ Die Ou Kaross Hotel, Wilderness. Info Moira - 082 729 4509

5 for 5:30pm SRRA and Cola Conservancy will be hosting a presentation - The Impact of Climate Change on Ground Water by Wildlife Specialist Tiaan Pool from NMMU at Sedge Bowling Club. All are invited to attend. For further enquiries 044 343 2780

Wednesday 06

9am - 4pm Fair & Wild Art in Wilderness. Live music and art under the Milkwood Trees in the Milkwood Village

1pm Social Bowls Tabs In for Club members and visitors from other Clubs

2-5pm Sedgefield Tennis Club (Social)

5:30pm Sedgefield Striders- 5km time trials meet @ Bowling Club

Should your association, charity or group have any forthcoming events, please send us details so that we may publish them in our next issue!

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Dear Sirs

Smart ID Cards

The Dept of Home affairs has been pushing the idea of everyone getting their Smart ID card for a few years now. Last week I decided to get mine & went in to the DHA in George to get mine.

Much to my surprise I was told that as I was not born in SA, despite being an S African citizen for many years, I was not yet eligible to get one. They are not yet issuing Smart ID cards for anyone not born in S Africa. So if you were not born in S Africa do not waste your time applying for one.

The DHA told me that they would let me know when I could apply for mine.

Regards,

Terry Cockcroft

6:15-10pm Badminton Town Hall.

Thursday 07

7am Eden Cycling Road bikes & MTB's depart Cycle Worx. All welcome.

7:30am Sedge Gentlemen's Golf @ The Links

10:30-11:30 Community meal at St Francis United Church, outreach to lonely & hungry.

Pm - Bowls coaching contact Wendy Mack on 073 160 6107
6:30 for 7pm Woodturner's Guild. For further details call Dave Stephenson 072 119 4397

Friday 08

8am Ladies Golf @ Links Course

9:00am Line Dancing @ St. Anthony's. 084 549 3967

10- 11:30am Anchusa meet @ St Francis Church hall 044 343 1099

Saturday 09

7:30 - 12 Wild Oats Community Farmers' Market @ Swartvlei

8am-1pm Scarab Craft Market

8am-2pm Mosaic Market

1pm Social Bowls Tabs In for Club members and visitors from other Clubs

2pm TLC Alzheimer's Support Group at St Francis Church Hall. Gilda 084 544 1203

6:15-10 Badminton Town Hall

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November 9th between 12h00-14h00 Cola Beach car park.

Join us and help this team support the COP initiatives to fight crime in our immediate neighbourhood and in our town.



Thank Goodness for Visionaries!

On Wednesday 13 November, the Wilderness Ratepayers Association are following up their talks on Fire Safety and Shark Conservation with a trio of speakers who will be looking into the future of Wilderness and its surrounds.

Addressing the increasing social and ecological challenges associated with environmental change in the Garden Route, Dr Chloé Guerbois, a sustainability scientist, will share her thoughts on 'rewilding the Wilderness' and its societal implications. Dr Guerbois has lived in Wilderness Heights for four years and works with the NMMU Sustainability Research Unit. She will explain her research on global change adaptations and integrated conservation along the coast, reflecting on how our interactions with nature, as well as with other humans, influence everyone's capacity to cope with uncertainties in the long-term. Are you ready to ride the changes?

A second 15-minute talk will provide a practical guide to 'fire-scaping' your property. All Garden Route residents would like a future where they can rest easier despite living in a high fire-risk area! So this talk will explain the many aspects that raise a property's fire-risk profile and how to address them: cleaning gutters, the role of fire-breaks, clearing invasive alien vegetation and road verges, plants that resist fire, etc.

TLC Alzheimer's Support Group meets at 2pm on 9th November at St Francis Church Hall
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Final Swopshop 2019 needs you!

At the end of each year, freshStart rewards the Smutsville children for their faithfulness, effort and commitment. Each child receives bonus points based on their attendance record for the year.

This is always a highlight as the children are then able to buy items they could not afford during the year. Some choose stationery for the coming year, but others have much more exciting goals. We hope to have a colourful and abundant stock to meet every need on the day.



If you, or your connections, would like to contribute, favourite items include:

STATIONERY: Pens, pencils, gel pens, colouring pencils, stickers, erasers, sharpeners, colouring books, stationery packs, pencil cases, etc.

TOILETRIES: 100g bars of soap, facecloths, 50g tubes of toothpaste, deodorant, cutex, etc.

TOYS: Dolls and cars are always a hit. Other favourites are slime, marbles, bubbles, hair accessories, any kind of ball, and craft kits.

FreshStart shelves stocked and ready for their year end bonus shop.

CLOTHING: Kids' socks, flip flops (kids' size 9-13 and adult size 1-5), shorts or T-shirts (age 3-14).

Please help us to help the children reach their dreams. Donations can be dropped off by 15th November at the Edge offices, Dr. Stander's rooms, Slow Roasted at Mosaic Market, or phone Annie on 084-804-0028 for collection. Thank you for your faithful support during the year.

Where on Earth was your Edge?

Compiled by Ginny Viner



Marius Terblanche Jnr (son of Apie and Ina) showed his Edge while in Sopron, Hungary for a forestry symposium and later the paper got another airing at Belvedere Palace, in Vienna, Austria.

In September 13 year old Aretha Dekker had the privilege of doing the Baviaans Camino on horseback.



The route includes high climbs and steep descents over 95km of unspoilt terrain. She says "It was tough, but a great adventure, and the mountaintop views were breathtaking". Here is Aretha showing her Edge at the top of Moordenaarskloof in the Kouga Mountain Range.

Please e-mail your stories & photos to ginnyviner@yahoo.com

Southern Cape History Cast in Stone

by Mark Dixon

While it is general knowledge that South Africa hosts the Cradle of Mankind in Gauteng, very few people know that the Western Cape, and in particular the Southern Cape, is considered the Cradle of Human Culture and the origin of cognitive thought in modern humans.

In the Southern Cape, research in Cave 13B at Pinnacle Point and Blombos caves respectively have yielded artefacts and 'art work' that indicate cognitive capabilities in our ancestors that predate anywhere else in the world.

Middle Stone Age tools, bonding agents and hafting techniques indicate a level of intellectual ability that requires advanced development. Renowned as the oldest artwork by modern humans, at 71,000 years old, a pattern similar to a hashtag from Blombos Cave indicates a level of abstract thought process which is unique to Homo sapiens.

Yet in this time frame of the past 164,000 years, the coastline has fluctuated dramatically, at times 13m above current levels and at times 130m below the current sea level as glaciers have melted and grown respectively.

If you were to visit Sedgefield approximately 20,000 years ago you would have had to travel south for nearly 100Km across the Agulhas Bank to reach the beach. For the past 150,000 years, while the sea levels have been fluctuating, the magnificent fossil dunes that flank Sedgefield have formed, and as they did so they captured a snap shot of the life that migrated and walked across this region in a series of spectacular fossil footprints and poor.

Preserved in time.

Patiently and methodically, Dr Charles Helm has for the past decade walked the coastline between Witsand and Keurbooms river hunting fossilized tracks along the shore. He has discovered and identified numerous trackways. With a team of experts he has aged the fossil dunes and the sections



where the footprints have been found and had compiled an impressive catalogue of species, both extinct and extant, which lived along the coastline in the past 150,000 years.

Species identified include large spiders, field mice, birds, both waders and passerines, canids, lions, extinct horses, zebra, giraffe, buffalo (both Cape Buffalo and extinct Longhorn Buffalo). Of the larger species, there are hippopotamus, rhino and elephant tracks. Literally hundreds of elephant tracks, if not thousands.

More recently, in the past two years, excitement has mounted as Dr Helm and his team have discovered, and published on human footprints as well as identifying possible human artwork and doodles in the sand. Lines and shapes that suggest a range of functions from artwork, foraging activity and possibly ritual communication.

It has been well documented that modern humans roamed the region foraging from the intertidal zone. Called Strandlopers, it has been proposed that cognitive thought in modern humans developed as a result of the high phospholipid content of their diet of molluscs.

A season of discovery.

I first had the privilege of meeting Dr Helm in late 2018 at a fossil trackway presentation in Wilderness and was invited to a site in Robberg where I had the exciting privilege to find a series of elephant tracks, currently the largest recorded in the Southern Cape. It is a remarkable site with Golden Mole, antelope, zebra, ungulates, Black Rhino and elephant tracks formed between 120,000 and 133,000 years ago. Living in Canada, Dr Helm

returns to a holiday home in Great Brak for three months every year, so it was a great privilege when he invited me to join him on field trips during his 2019 visit.

This spring we have spent a lot of time validating and discovering fossil tracks along the coast between Plett and Stilbaai, with a focus on the area flanking Sedgefield. It has been astounding, the dunes and shoreline between Kleinkrans and Brenton on Sea are literally littered with fossil tracks from reptiles, small antelope, canids, lion, zebra, horses, buffalo, hippo and elephant. Plenty of elephant, herds that migrated along routes either side of Sedgefield, presumably to and from the plains of the Agulhas Bank.

It is always exciting to place our hominin ancestors in context with the wildlife that existed in the region in the past, and here Dr Helm has again delivered. Recent discoveries at various sites indicate fossil hominin activity as far back as 120,000 years ago. These recent findings in conjunction with numerous shell middens along the coast indicate a long history of wildlife and hominins in the Southern Cape.

So, if you feel content living in Sedgefield, marvel at the fact that your ancestors as far back as 3600 generations ago also strolled down to the beach and enjoyed the peace and tranquillity that we all enjoy. Remember to Leave nothing but your footprints for future generations to marvel at.

'Top Shots' Street Kids Street Theatre

From shopping nuisance to pavement performance - These seven youngsters were once considered an annoyance as they regularly pestered Sedgefield shoppers for money, but then they took a leap of faith a week or so ago, and started performing at the Markets on Saturday mornings. Their first attempts in scruffy attire were described as cute, but with a repertoire of three songs and not much else not overly impressive.



However their entrepreneurial antics got the attention of a few locals who started thinking 'out of the box'.

Now, with the help of the Sedgefield community, the troupe is sporting new glad rags and some very impressive moves.

This initiative is absolutely for the boys themselves - just with a little bit of help from some caring 'grown ups' who have offered a bit of choreographic advice, set up regular meals for them, and will take care of their monies raised. There is hope that the discipline of rehearsing twice a week may instil a form of work ethic that could ultimately lead to getting them back on track and into school again.

Perhaps the most important aim of those assisting is to dissuade the boys from their car-park

From L-R: Lorenzo, Duwayne, Onke, Naldo, Michael, Luwayne and Luthando, all set up to busk for their lives!

begging, and locals are asked to please refrain from giving any youngsters money when approached at the various shopping centres.

But please DO support the Top Shots' ever-improving performances at the Saturday Markets - and feel free to drop a few Rand into their busking tin.

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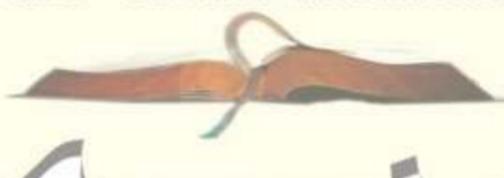
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Sedgefield Open Gardens

by Jan Gibson

We had superb weather on Sunday 27th of October for what turned out to be a very well attended second Open Gardens Day in Sedgefield. We hope this will become a yearly event.

We sold 130 tickets for the tours and with raffles and a few sales at the gardens we managed to raise over R9000 which is going to be split between S.A.M. and T.L.C. Huge thanks must go to the 7 Gardeners who worked their green fingers to the bone in preparation. Oliver and Suzette Taylor for the Family Garden. Sheila Cooper Collins for the Artists Garden. Paul and Jan at the Fairy Garden And Veggie Patch. Gus and Deniece at the Hidden Gem. Linda and Almerie at Wisteria Cottage. Suzette and Danie at Suzette's Surprise. Jean & Piet at the Ever Changing Garden.

We must also thank those who helped us along the way: Tiffany's for letting us start and finish at Joy and Paul's beautiful garden setting. And for the delicious cakes and scones etc. Gabriel Scholtz from BK

Nursery next to the Golf Links for sharing his expert knowledge of the Bromeliad world to our guests after the tour. The Edge for sponsoring the printing of our handouts and accompanying map. Gus and Deniece Davey for sponsoring the design and print of our banner and logo artwork. The Estate Agents for sponsoring our direction boards: namely Chas Everitt, Sotheby's and Hamiltons. Sedgefield Crochet Club "The Happy Hookers" for our Entry Bracelets. And Dolphin Stationers for helping with the poster printing. Donors of raffle prizes were astonishing in their generosity, Bargain Nursery in George, Pedro Goncalves, Zani's Hair Salon and Jean & Piet Mulder.

And of course our very grateful thanks to the visitors who took the time to tour with us and ultimately helped us raise so much for the charities.

We would like to extend an invitation to join our facebook group and follow our progress. Hopefully we can encourage more gardens to open their gates so that we can vary the tour each year. <https://www.facebook.com/groups/536540060472830>



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WIND UP?

You don't need to wait for ticks and tocks! This is about what looks like a major change starting to take place in the shipping world. Container ships are seen as a significant contributor to greenhouse gases and dirty beaches. For decades they have mostly relied upon what is known as bunker fuel, a particularly dirty form of oil-based liquid fuel. A week or so ago, I read in the UK press about an initiative to return to sails to drive cargo ships. When I did a bit of Googling, I quickly learnt that the plan was a bit different from the technology that Christopher Columbus had used to cross the Atlantic. Apart from some relatively new technology, it was reported that cargo ships are in process of being slowed down, so that they use less fuel and that governments are planning to legislate to make this widely adopted.

But the really exciting news is that rotor sails, based on a 1924 invention by a German called Anton Flettner, are being tested - see picture. Rotor sails are cylinders about 30 metres tall and 5 metres in diameter which are made to turn by the wind and are used to propel the ship. The Rotor Sails actually harness wind hitting the sails. A difference in pressure between the front sail and rear sail is called the Magnus effect. The difference in pressure creates thrust that pushes the ship forward. This is similar to how pressure difference between the upper and lower

GEARING UP FOR GREEN

By Mike Young



Wind Up?

sides of airplane wings allows for takeoff. The picture shows a ship fitted with such rotors, which is docked in Great Yarmouth in England. This is just one version of a number of experimental ships which are being built in various EU countries. The builders are also experimenting with adding photovoltaic panels to produce electricity as well, but they do have one disadvantage - they won't work at night! This is recognised by those building experimental ships. "We have 5000 years of experience in sailing with wind - it's renewable energy, and less intermittent than solar power," Neoline's managing director Jean Zanuttini told AFP at his office in Nantes, western France. "Our 136-metre ship costs 30% more than current ships," he said, "but we compensate by



using 80 to 90% less fuel." In another report The International Maritime Organization estimates shipping could increase by 250 per cent by 2050. Unless something stops it. I think we should all applaud initiatives like this. Thinking out of the box is what we all have to do to find ways of making our planet more sustainable. As Greta Thunberg said, we owe it to our children.



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2. Each 9x9 sub-puzzle must be solved according to the rules of Sudoku.

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VISION IN PERSPECTIVE

MINDFULNESS EXERCISE FOR BODY AND MIND

By Katja Shurmann and
Nicoline Breedt

"I step onto my mat to settle in. I begin to breathe deeply. I close my eyes and begin to listen. Observe. The many invasive thoughts, my aching back, that pinch in my leg... I listen to just what it is that's going on. And I take it from there..."

Pause. Breathe. Go within. For many, this happens maybe once or twice a year on holiday, at a weekend retreat or as a new year's resolution that fails. Some never find time for it.

With the way we live and work our nervous systems are almost constantly on high alert, which has long term effects on our health and well-being. Mindfulness activities such as Yoga, Pilates, Meditation, Walking, Stretching and Breathing Techniques are perfect to fit into your life to balance the effects of long hours spent sitting, stress or a physically challenging lifestyle.

As mindfulness teachers and practitioners, our daily self-practice is as important as fuelling our bodies with proper nutrition. Not because we need

to train to touch our toes, stand on our heads or to breathe correctly, but because it is a practice that never ends. No matter the goal or desired result, it is about what we learn WHILE doing it.

Yoga, being a mindful way of strengthening and stretching the body combined with breathing exercises, shifts the focus to be more present. When there is an imbalance, yoga (and most other forms of exercise) gives us the perfect tools to work towards creating harmony.

Whether you have had a physically demanding or strenuous day, you might yearn to do a restorative yoga class or some gentle stretching. When you feel sluggish and need a good kick-start, you might want to move dynamically to warm the body. Whatever your practice, it is your time to reflect, pause and breathe. To quiet the mind and operate from a heart space rather than a head space, to be present, to be grateful.

Exercise is probably one of the most proven natural methods to make you feel better about yourself. You'll feel healthier, happier and your self-esteem

will improve. By improving your self-esteem, you'll be more proud to be who you truly are. It has a unique capacity to exhilarate and relax, to provide stimulation and calm, to counter depression and dissipate stress. The journey to self-discovery and mindfulness should be organic. Don't force it and you'll find that things will naturally fall into place. We must reconnect with ourselves. Exercise forgiveness. Express self-compassion. Return to the moment, one breath at a time, and re-establish our desire to move towards authenticity, not to act, but to be.

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Across

8. The legendary chief notices a minor turn around in the first three geographical positions. (8)

9. Snakiest way one might influence the decision-makers. (5)

10. We hear how these youngsters make good jumpers. (4)

11. I settled in New Greenland, though it was crossing the border into peril! (6,4)

12. Who might be your slayer of extraterrestrial villains? (6)

14. The inner workings of soil, in essence, will determine its grease content. (8)

15. Phrases strangely composed by angels. (7)

17. Parts of a song by Simon and Garfunkel. (7)

20. Jailbird made to pay for speeding – though only within a specific area. (8)

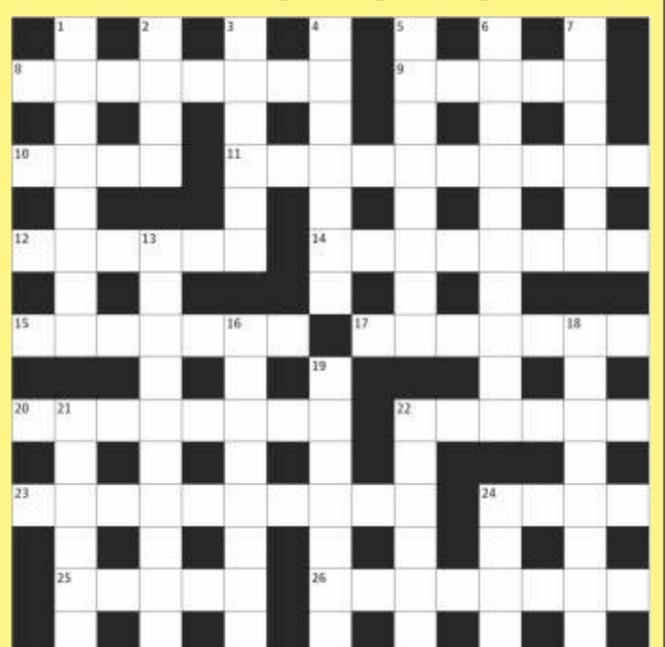
22. What the Slavic fellow used his spit for. (6)

23. Would you put it down when you heard Mr McConaughey was popping around? (7,3)

24. Internally, Shirley Edwards had checked out. (4)

25. Should he be pulling the dolly apart? (5)

26. One might be game to have the market in total. (8)



Down

1. Times turned to a person of note. (8)

2. On the ship, Ms Derek was the main person. (4)

3. A nicer batch of German children. (6)

4. Little Jonathan's on the product label along with his father. (7)

5. One who always gets roped in to climbing activities. (8)

6. 'No lad, I fell badly,' said the ex hero. (6,4)

7. This handsome character made quite a bit of fuss over the returning badness. (6)

13. That's a fine person to avoid. (7,3)

16. We heard she's waiting for unmachined stuff. (8)

18. A sort of wind arriving early outside blows the set up. (8)

19. Above me is a made up Japanese soya snack. (7)

21. Excessively done with Leigh I heard. (6)

22. There's 10 included in Patrick's invention paperwork. (6)

24. A trade fair in the old post office. (4)

Last edition solutions: Across: 1. Patchy 4. Scolds 9. Political Asylum 10. Revere 11. Arborate 12. On the Sly 14. Reader 15. Flabby 18. Price War 21. Indianan 22. Nepali 25. The Chips are Down 25. Sprigs 26. Ascend **Down:** 1. Phone in 2. Tribe 3. Heiress 5. Chamber 6. Layer Cake 7. Shuttle 8. Galaxy 13. Hybrid Car 16. Lynchies 17. Yanking 18. Innards 20. Allowed 23. Padre

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1. To Rent

Bachelor Flat - to rent from 1 Nov 2019 R2500pm. Non-smoker, no pets, W & E incl. Refs required + deposit R2500. Call 044 343 1383 / 072 281 0459

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2. Accommodation Wanted

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Sedgefield STATIONERS

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Exciting new family event - the Outdoor Art Fair @Mosaic on the 1st Sunday of every month from 11 till 3pm. Over 60 Local Artists exhibiting! Live music and kids entertainment. Food and Wine.

FRESHSTART SEDGEFIELD needs your pre-loved children's clothes, shoes & toys. Items will be traded in the Smutsville Recycle SwapShop by the children who collect recyclable material. Contact Chalk on 082 413 8363 or drop in the box at Dr Slander.

If you want to DRINK it's your business. If you want to STOP it's ours. Alcoholics Anonymous meetings at St Anthony's Church hall, cnr Flamingo & Sysie - Fridays @ 7:30pm. Tel: 076 244 1704/083 458 4444

Looking for a gift for someone special? Why not get a voucher for books or coffee/cake from Deo Gratia. Homebaked cakes and delicious coffees, milkshakes, toasted sarmies plus a good variety of new and secondhand books. 082 9020 649

Peter & Partner - Thanks for an excellent job cleaning our upholstery. Thank you Chris for the time spent making sure our dishwasher is working perfectly. Maureen & Paul.

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VACANCIES

Pick n Pay Sedgefield

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- Packers

Kindly drop off your CV At Pick n Pay Sedgefield.

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Based in Sedgefield
Deliver between Mosselbay and Plet

them a call 044 343 1722

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Rowing boat with trailer suitable for fishing in the lagoon. This boat could be used with a light outboard motor. Has oars and seats. Length 3m Width 2m. Needs painting. Open to offers. Cell 082 823 5805 Ann/Reg

6. Building & Related Services

All DIY Hardware and Tools available @ Sedgefield Hardware. Tel 044 343 1960

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Architectural Draughting Services. Phone Tracy 082 695 3119 / 044 343 1421

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9. Clothing

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10. Computers

Computer Help & Support - Martin - 082 576 5038

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address: 20 Plum Tree Trading Post, 52 Main Road, Sedgefield

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11. Crafts & Home Industry

Artisanal handcrafted works, homemade goodies, jewellery and fashion. With good food and great coffee. Something for everyone. Mosaic Market. Every Sat 8 till 2.

12. Education & Tuition

MUSIC LESSONS - Piano, music theory and clarinet. From beginners to advanced, for all ages. Please contact Ann Carroll on 0832757576, adrcarroll@gmail.com. www.touchwoodmusic.co.za

PIGLET'S PEN PRE-SCHOOL Call 076 737 3490

SINGING LESSONS all welcome from beginners to advanced. All styles from Opera to Modern. Please call Lynne Brown on 044 343 2842/083 660 4749

The Garden Route Theatre Project presents Drama Classes for Adults at Studio 42. Come enjoy the Art of Play every Monday evening. For more info contact Gareth 0826967882

TONY COX SCHOOL OF ACOUSTIC GUITAR - 'Thank you for showing me how to truly PLAY the guitar. And thank you, above all, for showing me how to love music through your own exceptional example' - Stephan Kirsten - For all details email: guitarplayer@netactive.co.za

13. Electrical

Electrical Hardware @ Sedgefield H/Ware

Faulty Microwave? Phone Hands on Electrical for free quote. 083 297 1929

HEUNIS Plumbing & Electrical. All Maintenance & Construction Qualified in both trades COC Certificates. Call 082 972 3911 manie.heunis@gmail.com

Is your stove working properly & safe? If not call Hands on Electrical - 083 297 1929

14. Employment Offered

Cashier and kitchen staff needed with experience. Email CV to filos@telkomsa.net Must be fluent in English and Afrikaans.

15. Employment Wanted

Farida is available for domestic work on Tues & Fridays. Refs 062 841 9550

Lincy, a hard working M/w is looking for domestic work on Wed. Refs. Call 078 494 3118

Building Samola - 065 704 8494

Domestic
Alice - 073 117 7755
Beauty - 063 247 5173
Colleen - 073 117 7755
Efenes - 063 958 6862
Ellen - 083 774 0992
Evance - 083 740 1560 Chef
Evelyn - 071 718 9852
Joyce - 073 117 7755
Judith - 078 487 8289
Lincy - 078 49 3118
Shupieh - 060 357 5540
Sphiwe - 062 127 6299
Tryness - 078 487 8289 Ref
Vylet - 083 774 0992

Garden
Bernard - 074 488 3882
Chrispine - 063 260 0675 Painting ref
Clement - 074 525 4993

Painting
Charles - 071 951 9775

17. Food & Wine

Authentic food stalls that cater for every imaginable taste. Enjoy with a glass of wine in our beer garden with live music. Child friendly. Mosaic Market. Every Sat 8 till 2

Food and Wine - Indulge your senses with our amazing food stalls, while you take in the variety of talented artists exhibiting at the Outdoor Art Fair @Mosaic on the 1st Sunday of every month from 11am till 3pm. Licensed.

18. For Sale

Pine Writing Desk R1200 1995 World Cup Mirror R350 Smirnoff Bar Mirror R295 King mattress R999. Hell Cat Boat R3000. Large Copper Jug R850. Ph 082 215 1933

Rust Stain Remover for Fabric. 50ml for R25. R45 for 100ml. Available from the Edge offices. Enquiries Verity 076 619 3659

30 Motorcycle models + Display cabinet. R2350. Call 076 808 9027

19. Home & Garden

Add that finishing touch to your Home Decor with a piece of fine art, by a local artist - come explore the visual wonders at the Outdoor Art Fair @Mosaic on the 1st Sunday of every month - 11am to 3pm!

Wool & Things

Contrary to rumours the Shop is not for sale but open for business as usual.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN DECEASED ESTATE

Estate Late: MARTHA SOPHIA ANDERSON
Identity Number: 2508240002089
Estate Number: 015457/2019
Last Address: 69 Swallow Drive, Sedgefield, 6573
Date of death: 28 July, 2019

All persons having claims against the abovementioned Estate are required to lodge their claims with the undersigned within 30 days from the date of the publication of this advertisement.

JORDAAN VAN WYK ATTORNEYS Inc
65 MAIN ROAD, SEDGEFIELD, 6573.
Tel: 044 343 2126
Executor : Anton Jordaan

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ESTATE NOTICE Estate No. 5413/2018

The First and Final Liquidation and Distribution Account in the Estate of the late Hendrik Jacobus van der Merwe (ID no: 4109055096080, who died on 25 March 2018, will be open for inspection at the office of the Master, Cape Town, and the Magistrate's Court of George, for a period of 21 days from the date of publication hereof.

If no objection is lodged with the Masters during this period, the Executor will proceed to make payments in accordance with the accounts.

JORDAAN VAN WYK ATTORNEYS Inc
65 MAIN ROAD, SEDGEFIELD, 6573.
Tel: 044 343 2126
Executor : Anton Jordaan

SEDGEMEER PARK
NON PROFIT ORGANISATION FOR THE AGED (REG. NO. 003-718)
P.O. Box 487 Sedgefield 6573 | Tel: 044-3431983 | email: sedgemeer@telkomsa.net

REGISTERED NURSING SISTER

An opportunity has arisen for the appointment of a Registered Nursing Sister in our organisation to continue providing the necessary care to our elderly residents.

The ideal candidate must reside in Sedgefield, have the required registration with the Nursing Council of South Africa and a passion for the care of the elderly.

Relevant experience in a similar environment will be a distinct advantage.

Required skills would include:

- Palliative or Geriatric Care for the elderly
- Infection and Medicine Controls
- Official and General Administration with regards to residents and the organisation as required
- Co-ordination and Supervision of Personnel
- Liaison with the public and other related organisations

Candidates who meet the above criteria are invited to send their detailed CV to sedgemeer@telkomsa.net or alternatively these can be dropped off at Sedgemeer marked for the Manager's attention.

For any further enquiries phone 0827941141

Closing date for applications: 18 November 2019

Garden Route
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FSP No. 15204

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20. Health & Beauty

Adult Incontinence Nappies available at Sooz's, Pick n Pay Centre 044 343 1813/082 771 0694

Aloe Ferox Products whole range in stock @ factory prices. The Aloe Lady : 044 343 2214 @ Wild Oats Market on Saturdays.

Any problems with epilepsy or other disabilities? **EPILEPSY SA** on 044 382 2155 or visit Off Rio Road, Knysna We can help!

IMAGO Relationship Coach and Clinical Counsellor. Specializing in Marriage/Relationships, Anxiety & Depression Management, Bereavement, Grief & Loss & Personal Development. Please phone Merle Lifson-Dettori on 083 709 0467

LIQUIDATION AND DISTRIBUTION ACCOUNTS IN DECEASED ESTATE LYING FOR INSPECTION

Should no objection thereto be lodged with the Master concerned the executor will proceed to make payments in accordance with the account.

Estate No: 00527/2019
 Surname: SHIELD
 First names: MICHAEL JOHN
 Identity No: 4304075011181
 Last address: 11 Quail Street, Sedgfield 6573
 Magistrate's Office: KNYSNA
 Master's Office: Cape Town
 Executor : André Kleynhans, Box 602, Sedgfield 6573

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ESTATE NOTICE Estate No. 5480/2019

The First and Final Liquidation and Distribution Account in the Estate of the late Lars Stockenström Nayler (ID no: 3101045023085, who died on 4 March 2019, will be open for inspection at the office of the Master, Cape Town, and the Magistrate's Court of Knysna, for a period of 21 days from the date of publication hereof.

If no objection is lodged with the Masters during this period, the Executor will proceed to make payments in accordance with the accounts.

JORDAAN VAN WYK ATTORNEYS Inc
 65 MAIN ROAD, SEDGFIELD, 6573.
 Tel: 044 343 2126
 Executor : Anton Jordaan

The Greenmere Studio (est in 1994) offers Exercise classes for Health and Vitality; Therapeutic Massage; Post Surgery Rehabilitation and Support. For your optimal health and well-being, contact Briony: thegreenmerestudio@gmail.com/084 487 7140.

Sedgfield Pharmacy, Woodpecker Mall. Tel 044 343 1628, Fax 343 1110. Mon-Fri 8am-6pm, Sat 8am-1pm, Sun & Pub Holidays 9:30am-12.

Silver Scissors Unisex Hairstylists - 21 Tiptol Street, Sedg. Tel 044 343 2112

Total Foot Care by app and home visits. Sr Gillian 071 877 2638 / 072 672 4162

22. Home Improvements

BUILDERS... Contact CX Tippers & Diggers for all your planthire & aggregate requirements. Quality products & service at your doorstep. Tel 044 382 1645

Cobble Paving, Sedgfield. For all types of paving, best prices, best paving, free quotes. Don't delay - Pave Today! Call Norman or Antoinette: Tel: (044) 343 2404 / 083 305 0346

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 General Repairs & Maintenance, Tiling, Painting, Glazing, Carpentry, Plumbing, Roofing & Soak Ways. No job too small. 084 400 5437. Luke 072 022 5977

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25. Motor Cars/Bikes

AUTO CARE CAR WASH Next to Forest Lodge. Open Mon-Fri until 5pm. Tel. Marinda 071 446 7133

BMW G650GS 2011 Top box high screen, pannier racks. New tyres chain and sprockets. 22,500km. R38,000. Full service history. Ian 082 443 6000

Peugeot 307, 1.6, 2003, 193,000kms. Prime condition. R40,000onco. Call 044 343 2538 / 083 960 2014

PLOMS Auto Mobile personal service on your vehicle. Phone Peter 083 455 6224

27. Pets & Livestock

All pet food or other donations for Animal Welfare to be dropped off at Simply Pets or Knysna Vet Clinic. 044 384 1603

Knysna Animal Welfare office 044 384 1603 or emergency call 073 461 9825. (24hrs)

PDSA - People's Dispensary for Sick Animals from 11:30am-1pm on the first Monday of the month near Police Station. Call 044 875 8300

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN DECEASED ESTATE

Estate Late: LINA BUSER
 Identity Number: 2909220056188
 Estate Number: 016283/2019
 Last Address: 4 Cormorant Street, Sedgfield, 6573
 Date of death: 8 August, 2019

All persons having claims against the abovementioned Estate are required to lodge their claims with the undersigned within 30 days from the date of the publication of this advertisement.

JORDAAN VAN WYK ATTORNEYS Inc
 65 MAIN ROAD, SEDGFIELD, 6573.
 Tel: 044 343 2126
 Executor : Anton Jordaan

SEDGE PETS - Jock Dog food avail now. Forest Lodge Complex. 071 111 5605

28. Plumbing

Heunis Plumbing & Electrical. All Maintenance & Construction Qualified in both trades COC Certificates. Call 082 972 3911 manie.heunis@gmail.com

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Smith Plumbing for personal service. Call Peet 084 889 2578

30. Restaurants & Pubs

Montecello Restaurant. Open Monday-Saturday Closed Sundays. Tel 044 343 1780

31. Security

Alarm and Gate Batteries. Tel 3431960

JVM AUTOMATION - Alarm systems. Automated Garage Doors, Gates, Remotes & Batteries. Installations, replacements & repairs. Sedgfield based. Call Jaco Venter 072 083 1977

32. Services Offered

AIRPORT & CHARTER TRANSPORT, GARDEN ROUTE and KAROO. Call 083 253 0838.

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Karen's Holiday Home Management while you are not at your holiday home, we will be! Regular monthly checks, reports on all aspect of your home Karefree Home Management. Call 072 586 1086.

KNYSNA ARMATURE WINDERS
 Repairs & sales of all Electric motors, all kinds of pumps, generators etc. Call 044 382 6888

Masithandane would like to borrow or hire a Drum Kit for 14 December 2019. If you can assist please call Jackie on 082 414 2132

MR PRESSURE RENTALS Carpet, vacuum & pressure cleaners. Car Wash - Pensioners discount every Tues. Gas Shop - new cylinders & refills. Deon 044 343 2154

Rust Stain Remover for Fabric. 50ml for R25. R45 for 100ml. Available from the Edge offices. Enquiries Verity 076 619 3659

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SHUTTLE TRAVEL & EVENTS
 Airport, Local transfers. Day tours. Call 082 702 3092

Smutsville, Sizamile Youth Advisory Centre, Mon- Friday 7:30am-4:30pm. Enquiries Edna Thompson 079 749 5181

Spikes Irrigation. Laupie 082 595 5376

DOG SHOW
SATURDAY 9 NOV. 2019
@ SEDGE PETS
 Shop 7 Forest Lodge Complex
 Ph. 071 111 5605
 Registration: 10h00 Start: 10h30
All Doggies Welcome
 Entrance: R20 per class
CATEGORIES:- Best Looking Dog, Happiest Dog, Best Rescue Dog, Golden Oldie, Cutest Puppy
 Dog name tags also available at only R50 each
 Independent Judges
GREAT PRIZES ON OFFER!
 Coffee & Muffin Special only R30
 All proceeds to Sedgfield Animal Matters

W. L. Services - Electrical, Plumbing, Handyman Services. Len 062 165 2494

36. Wanted/Swop etc

Stamp collector wishing to buy old South African & Common-wealth collections. Also prepared to value your collection. Peter 082 567 6947

GREATER KNYSNA SMME INCUBATOR PROGRAMME CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

Knysna Municipality is embarking on a programme to assist dynamic and committed entrepreneurs to grow their own business. A broad scope of non-financial assistance will be provided to successful applicants which will include business development interventions and training. A rigorous selection process will be followed.

Only applicants operating an existing business that they would like to grow and expand, need to apply. Please note: this programme is not targeted at start-up businesses and previous beneficiaries of the SMME incubator programme are not eligible to apply.

IMPORTANT: Applications must be done through submission of an official Application Form. All interested parties are required to submit an application form to be obtained from: Knysna Municipality, Economic Development Department, 2nd Floor, Old Main Road Building, 3 Church Street, Knysna and on the municipal website.

The following supporting documents must be attached

- **Application motivation letter and Business Plan for Incubator Programme**
- **6 months Profit and Loss Summary (or recent Financial statements, if available)**
- **Confirmation of employees (Document attached on the application form)**
- **ID Copy and proof of address of all applicants**

Businesses should be at least 51% black owned.

Selection will follow a three stage process: The first step is to complete the application forms and submit all relevant attachments. Selected applicants will then be invited to do an assessment. Finally, selected shortlisted applicants will be required to present and pitch their business expansion proposal to a selection panel.

Applications close at 12h00 on the 29 November 2019

For further information, please contact: Ntombekaya Sibali at - nsibali@knysna.gov.za or on 044 302 6359 or 044 302 6233.

DR SW VATAALA
 MUNICIPAL MANAGER



ABOUT

The National Lotteries Commission (NLC) regulates lotteries and sports pools in South Africa. The largest of these lotteries is the South African National Lottery.

From these regulatory activities, revenue is collected for distribution to qualifying non-profit organisations that work to uplift communities nationwide.

The NLC funds organisations working in the four main sectors of:

- Sports & Recreation
- Charities
- Arts, Culture and National Heritage
- Miscellaneous

SCAM ALERT

GRANT FUNDING:

National Lotteries Commission would like to caution the public, stakeholders and applicants on a scam that affects the organisation. The scam is currently operating in **Gauteng, North West** and **Free State**. 22 of the applicants and other members of the public have been affected by this scam across the provinces.

HOW THE SCAM OPERATES (MODUS OPERANDI)

The NLC's forensic unit is investigating several complaints from applicants and the general public. The common traits of these complaints include:

- The syndicate targets organisations that have applied for funding from National Lotteries Commission.
- The scammers will then contact the applicants from different organisations informing them about a Quantum or IVECO 26 Seater that will be given to their organisation, to speed up the funding process.
- The syndicate utilises various names, including those of NLC executives.
- They always have the applicants full details; name of organisation, telephone, address and project numbers.
- Applicants are then instructed to complete a fraudulent **Zurich Private Car Insurance** form and submit with an amount of **R5000.00** rands for insurance and a tracker. Zurich Insurance no longer operates in South Africa.
- A Gmail Account is then created and applicants are then instructed to send banking details, all the forms for completion.
- After the syndicate has received the funds, they can longer be traced.

ADVICE FOR APPLICANTS:

- The NLC **does not employ agents** to facilitate applications and grants payments;
- The NLC **does not require payment** for the processing of applications, or to pay out grants;
- **All NLC services are free of charge**
- Report these activities to your local police station and contact us if your organisation has been approached in this manner
- Contact the **NLC anti-fraud line 0800 212 129** if you notice any suspicious activities related to the NLC;
- Call us on 08600 65383 or send an e-mail to nldtf@nlcsa.org.za to verify information if you are contacted by so-called agents for any reason; and
- Members of the public can access information and assistance at our provincial offices free of charge.

Fraud and corruption are criminal offences, and those found guilty of such will be prosecuted.

Visit: www.nlcsa.org.za for more information



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AFM / AGS Sedgfield
9am on Sunday
at Ballan House, Main Rd
Sedgfield (next to Fire Station)
Past Bernard & René Pieters
084 212 8000

AGS Lighuis
H/v Waterfront Dr & Tide Str
Knysna (Oorkant Fruit & Veg)
Dienste : Sondag: Erediens 9h30
Sondagskool (Snr & Jnr) 8h45
Woensdae : Selbyeenkoms 19h00
Donderdae : Bybelskool 18h30
Kontakt : Kerkkantoor 044 382 6551
Sekretaresse 072 189 0215

Anglican Chapelry of St. Aidan's,
Wilderness
(Just above the Wilderness Hotel)
Service time from 1st Sept 2019
Sundays 8.00 a.m.:
Holy Communion Service.
Peter Mundell 060 985 9113 or
Paul McMillan 083 273 2601

Anglican Sedgfield :
See St Francis and
Church of the Resurrection

Church of Christ
Lynn van der Walt
Meeting 10am & 6pm
Tel: 076 068 2900

Church of the Resurrection
(ACSA - Anglican)
David Curry Ave, Smutsville
For service times contact
Churchwarden:
Petronella Buis 084 252 1698
Priest: Rev : Ms Stephanie Smit
076 041 6420 / 044 343 1491

Church Without Walls
Red Shed, Scarab Market
Sunday 9:00am
Schalk van As - 082 413 8363
(Please bring a chair)

Deo Gloria
Paradise Lake 09h30 Afrikaans.
Interkerklike Kinderkerk
Aand dienste : 18h00
Woensdagaande : 19h00 Lering
Past Danie & Karin de Bruyn
044 343 1301 or 084 714 7023

Elohim gemeente
Protea gemeenskapsaal - Karatara
Sondag: 09:00,
Kinderkerk tydens diens
Kerkkantoor: 082 896 6387
Pastoor: Hansie Strydom

Evangelisch-Lutherische
Gemeinde SüdKap
Southern Cape Evangelical
Lutheran Congregation
Rondevelehoogte
Peter Lor 076 649 3050

Knysna Presbyterian Church
Sundays 9.30am, 14 Clyde Street,
Office 044 382 7722
Rev Tim Hawkrigde
083 324 3562

Lakeside Baptist Church
Lakeside House
Corner Main & Duiwe Streets
Sunday morning : 9:00 a.m
Sunday School and crèche
Pastor Neville Steele or Peter Wood
083 631 0154

Methodist Sedgfield:
See St Francis

Ned. Herv. Kerk Outeniqua
Erediens: George 9.00vm
11.00vm @ The Old Chapel
(Buffelsbaai pad, agter Riverdeck)
Telefoon: 044 - 8712125

New Apostolic Church
Sedgfield Congregation
Plumbago Street, Sedgfield
Wednesday 19h30pm - 20h30pm
Sunday 9.00am to 10am
Enq: Anthony Davis - 083 641 5027

NG Kerk
Dienste Sondag:- Sedgfield - 8:45
Sondagskool - 9:45
Ds. Alwyn Burger: (044) 343 1333
Karatara - 10.30 Sondagskool - 9:30
Ds. Marius Coetzee (044) 356 2651
Kerkkantoor (044) 343 2033

NG Kerk Die Vleie, Hoekwil
Kerkstraat.
Kerkkantoor 044 850 1610
Sondag Erediens:
April - September: 09:30
Oktober - Maart: 09:00
Leraar: Ds. Dawie le Roux
Tel. 044 850 1640; 084 532 9958

Pinkster Protestantse Kerk
Pentecostal Church
Masedonië Gemeente Smutsville
Sondag: 9 - 10vm Sondag Skool;
10 - 12nm Ere Diens.
Ouderling Jakobus Grootboom
078 158 2042
Chris Solomons 071 617 5630.

Presbyterian Sedgfield :
See St Francis

Sedgfield Christian Church
Sunday services @ 09h30
Friday evenings Kairos Youth
Pastor Juan & Tammy Pienaar
081 749 2534
info@sedgfieldchurch.co.za

Sedgfield Seventh-day
Adventist Church
Saturday mornings:
9:15 Song Service and Bible Study,
11am Divine Service in
Sedgfield Municipal Boardroom.
Ph 081 270 7212

St Anthony's Catholic Church
Mass - Sundays 8:00am
Weds & Fridays 9:30am
Cnr Sysie / Flamingo Streets
044 382 1391

St Francis United Church
Communion Service 8.00am
Family Service & S/School 9.30am
Communion Service 9.30am -
(4th Sunday of month)
Ladies Joy Fellowship
(4th Tuesday at 2:30pm.)
Cnr Swallow Drive / Pelican Lane
All welcome! 044 3431702

Suid-Kaap Christen Familie
Laerskool Sedgfield Primary School
Sondag: 09:30; Woensdae: 19:00
Pastor: Leon & Elmarie Terblanche
081 271 1551. 1ptrebom@gmail.com
profrossouw@gmail.com
072 341 7099

Kom in net soos jy is,
Stap uit soos Jesus.

Truth Centre Church
Sedgfield Town Hall
Sunday 9.30am
General Overseers:
Dr Levaal and Ps Alicia Davis
084 804 6558 or 078 992 4723

Wilderness Christian Fellowship
Sunday Service & Children's
Church 9.30am.
Evening service (last Sunday) 6.00pm
7 Cedric Avenue, Wilderness East,
Wilderness
Pastors: Chris & Trudie Smit
044 877 0307 or 084 240 5414

Entertainment Arts & Culture

CAR BOOT SALE

Sunday
10th November
8am - 12.00 noon
at Steam Whistle
Station.
Cost is R50 per vehicle.
If the weather is bad it
will be postponed to
the next Sunday.
Call Joe - 044 343 1052
072 487 0395

Oh So Sweet Cakes & Sweet Treats

at the Outdoor
ART FAIR
@ Mosaic Village
Sunday
3 November
11am - 3pm

Celebrate Summer with a

Picnic in the Park and RWC After Party

2nd November 2019
12:00hrs - 16:00hrs
Lake Pleasant Caravan Park
R80.00 per person
Children under 12 FREE
Bring your own picnic basket, hats, umbrellas,
blankets and chairs.
Tickets are available @ Fijnbosch Restaurant in
Sedgfield or contact Adrienne Bartlett 083 781 304-
Picnic platters can also be ordered through Fijnbosch



Live music kindly donated by Shaza, Gary White and Mux



Ryder Cup 2019

Off The Mat Sedge Bowling Club News

27 OCTOBER 2019
Congratulations to the team from
Sedgfield and Plettenberg Bay
(combined) who beat Knysna
and Leisure Isle (combined) to
win the Ryder Cup on 24
October. The competition was
hosted by Knysna Bowls Club.
It was a very hard fought day
with our team winning 27 - 25.
This is an annual competition

and we look forward to bringing
the Cup back to Sedgfield again
next year. Well played all.

The Eden Bowls Junior Masters
Singles competition was held at
Sedgfield last Saturday This is
the first time that we have been
asked by Eden Bowls to host
this. The competition consisted
of three different sections and
filled two greens.
Luke Hugill of Sedgfield won

the Junior Mens Invitational
section. Congratulations Luke!
Thanks must go to all the people
who assisted in running this - too
many to name - it is a big event
for us and went very well.

The Club Championship Singles
finals will be played on Tuesday
29 October - a report and the
results will be in the next edition
of The Edge. The Ladies Singles
will be between Francie Stewart
and Ronel Eloff and the Mens

Tiffany's

Bed 'n Breakfast
Tea Garden & Pub
**RUGBY
WORLD CUP**
Friday 1 Nov 11am
NZ vs Wales
Hamburger & Draught R40
Saturday 2 Nov 11am
SA vs England
Followed by a Braai
R75 per person
(NB Book by Friday 1 Nov
12 noon)

RWC PUB SPECIALS

- Castle 500ml R24
- Windhoek Draught
500ml R27
- Double Red Heart Rum
& Coke R30
- Double Brandy & Coke R25
(Ts & Cs)

Christmas Lunch

R120 per person
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3 Desserts
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between Dave Jooste and Neels
Theron.

Gordon Pearce has had his knee
op and can be seen hobbling
around Sedgfield on his
crutches. Hope to see you back
on the green soon Gordon.

Till next time ...
Good bowling everyone.

BAREFOOT BOWLS INVITATION

* Friday 8 November * Friday 15 November
* Friday 22 November * FINAL Friday 29 November
Time: 4.30 - 5.00 pm

- Entry fee R40.00 per player, includes playing fees and free boerewors roll
- Team consists of 4 players (any combination of men, women and youths)
- Bowls will be made available to all players
- Dress: casual, shoes must be flat soled to avoid damage to the greens
- 1st and 2nd prizes each week to the teams with the highest scores
- Final game - R1 000 prize to the team with the highest score.

To enter a team(s) contact Rosalie Horning
on 083 245 5251 or 044 343 2435

TIDE TABLE

30 October - 13 November 2019

Next Full Moon:
12 November 2019
○ Full Moon ● New Moon

Date	Tide	Time	High Tides	Low Tides	Time	High Tides	Low Tides
Wed 30	low tides	10:36	04:46	sunrise	05:31	16:57	21:36
Thur 31	low tides	11:12	05:23	sunrise	05:30	17:33	22:38
Fri 1	low tide	11:49	06:02	sunrise	05:29	18:10	23:36
Sat 2	low tides	00:18	06:43	sunrise	05:28	18:50	-
Sun 3	low tides	00:56	07:33	sunrise	05:27	19:41	00:27
Mon 4	low tides	01:48	09:01	sunrise	05:26	21:17	01:12
Tue 5	low tides	03:47	11:11	sunrise	05:25	23:30	01:52
Wed 6	low tides	05:59	12:19	sunrise	05:24	13:29	02:26
Thur 7	low tides	06:50	00:37	sunrise	05:23	14:24	02:58
Fri 8	low tides	07:25	01:19	sunrise	05:22	15:19	03:27
Sat 9	low tides	07:54	01:53	sunrise	05:22	16:13	03:55
Sun 10	low tides	08:21	02:23	sunrise	05:21	17:09	04:23
Mon 11	low tides	08:48	02:52	sunrise	05:20	18:06	04:53
Tue 12	low tides	09:15	03:21	sunrise	05:19	19:05	05:24
Wed 13	low tides	09:43	03:50	sunrise	05:19	20:05	05:59

WILDERNESS BRIDGE CLUB

16th October 2019
1st Pam Leppan / Iain Campbell
65.63%
2nd Marcia Kriek / Ann Lamprecht
58.33%
3rd Eda Greenway / Toni Williams
53.13%

23rd October 2019
1st Pam Leppan / Iain Campbell
68%
2nd Marcia Kriek / Ann Lamprecht
61%
3rd Eda Greenway / Toni Williams
51%

We meet every Wednesday at the Wilderness Hotel.
Registration at 1.15 pm, play starts 1.30 pm. Visitors and new members
most welcome. Contact Johan 044 810 0334 or Marcia 082 925 3550

SEDGEFIELD BRIDGE CLUB

14 October 2019 :
1 58.33% Mike and Rodney
2 52.78% Mary and Rudy
3 51.39% Ann and Reinet

21 October 2019 :
1= 62.50% Pam and Toni /
Bernard and Paddy
3= 55.36% Ina and Johannes /
Irene and Linda

We meet in the Catholic Church hall, Sysie/Flamingo Streets
every Monday evening at 6.15pm for 6.30pm. New pairs very welcome.
Enquiries : Geoff 044 343-2998 or Bernard 044 343-2741.

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FUN TENNIS AFTERNOON AT LEISURE ISLE TENNIS CLUB

To celebrate the resurfacing of the Leisure Isle Tennis Club (LITC) courts, certainly now the brightest ruby red and emerald green courts in the district, a fun afternoon was held on Saturday 19 October with players from Sedgfield Tennis and LITC.

The afternoon was sponsored by Warwick Wealth who provided prizes, delicious snacks, refreshments, and made a brief presentation. The twenty players who took part had an age range of 40 to 80 years and enjoyed a competitive afternoon

of tennis. The afternoon consisted of doubles only which, with frequent swapping of partners, resulted in a great mix of opponents and the experience of a variety of playing styles and strengths. The weather was kind, there was plenty of social interaction and a very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all.

The refurbished courts are attracting a number of visitors and Leisure Isle Tennis Club welcomes new members (contact Dave 082 790 6176 / 044 384 1453 or Klaus 072 479 8002/044 384 0485).



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Sedgfield Gentlemen's Golf

17/10/19

A misty morning greeted the golfers who had arrived to celebrate the Gentlemen's Club's 20th year of existence, with seven of the founder members in attendance much to the appreciation of all. Once again the club would like to thank Jaendre and Pine Lake Marina for the first two fantastic prizes of which the first, a two night stay at the Marina worth R2000, was won by Willem de Villiers and the second, a boat trip for five worth R500, was won by Peter Schnetler.

Peter also donated fantastic meat prizes which were won by Danby Welham, a founder member, Denis Booyesen, Harry Manser, also a founder member, Doug Stephen, Trevor Pahl, Barry Cross, a founder member and Fred Bickley. It was especially wonderful to see the old boys showing how it should be done.

After the prize-giving, the golfers were treated to boerie rolls sponsored by Skybound Financial Services, arranged by the old friend of the Club, John Tomlinson.

The day turned out spectacularly both in terms of attendance and the fact that Brian Anderson had a hole-in-one on the 11th. This

gentleman, who normally does for golf what the film "Jaws" did for swimming in the sea, then proceeded to buy a round. The double Johnny Walker Blue with Coke was extremely well received, so many thanks to him as we celebrated his achievement.

24/10/19

It was great to see the return of Des Munro after his world travels. He immediately stamped his supremacy by winning first prize i.e. "the Duck" for being the worst player of the day. This, however, was met with some misgiving because he won it on a countout with Ian Wright. Some golfers, in particularly Ian's playing partners, felt that Ian had been hard done by. Terry Savage was particularly vociferous in this regard.

The A division was won by Glen Mauchline, after a

countout with Peter Schnetler, both with a net 54. They were followed by Malcolm Goldhill with 56 and then Trevor Pahl, the local hippy, with 57.

The honours in the B division went to Dennis Booyesen who accumulated 39 points, followed incredibly enough, by Guy Maingard with 34. This scorecard needs some scrutiny. Brian Gerard was third with 32. Brian confesses that the favourite meal that he cooks is vegetable soup. Although it must be confessed that to others it tastes like hot water in which a cabbage has been well rinsed. He was followed by Dave Wright and Quentin Robinson, both on 31. The day's events were concluded with the final arrangements for the annual tour, sponsored by Pam Golding Properties, which this year will be played in Swellendam and Montague.

Ladies Golf

Friday 18th October 2109

A delightful array of the colour pink adorned 23 ladies who arrive to play Pink ball alliance, two scores to count by the pink ball being rotated and the score for the player with the pink ball being doubled. Three teams lost their pink ball which then meant they played at a disadvantage of not doubling that score. The added challenge for the day would be for the ladies to pay R1 for each short putt, to raise funds for CANSA as October is breast cancer month. Colleen St Clair, Moraig McLeod and Martha Smith enjoyed a round of applause for wearing the most pink. A Big thank you to all the ladies for dressing in pink and showing great spirit and for donating much more money than they had to pay for their short putts. The day was won by Colleen St Clair, Alice Vorster and Janet Wood on 130 points. Excellently done ladies. Charlene Blacker won the nearest the pin prize and 23 birdies were shot with Helen Pahl, Janet Wood, Marina van der Westhuizen, Marie Joubert and Colleen shooting 3 each. Wow! Seems it really worked to focus on not making short putts.

Friday 25th October 2019

Happy 10th birthday to Sedgfield Ladies Golfers! Time to celebrate 10 wonderful years of golfing fun, friendship and 'fabulousness' of the ladies who play golf at the Links. 21 ladies arrived all dressed up in their very smart Chas Everitt Sedgfield sponsored club shirts for our monthly medal and putt/individual Stableford challenge. 17 birdies were shot by 11 ladies with Helen Pahl shooting a whopping 6 of those. But the exciting news of the day was that Helen broke the course record by scoring a gross of 54, which is 4 under par for our course. Congratulations Helen!

Thank you for once again being an inspiration! The results were as follows:
 Gold Warwick Plate winner Helen Pahl on a net of 50, Runner up on a net of 56 Almarie Mead.
 Silver Warwick Plate winner on a count-out went to Kandy Grieve on a net of 56.
 Runner up Wendy Mack on 56.
 Bronze Warwick plate winner Liz Stewart on a net of 58
 Runner up Cheryl Smart on 59.
 The beautiful Innovative Trophies & Silverware for the least putts was awarded to Eda Greenway on a count-out with



Helen and Almarie all on 25 putts for the day.
 Individual Stableford Trophy winner Christine Coetzee on 33 points.
 Nearest the pin went to Helen and the lucky draw Fire Ball went to Kandy. Congratulations ladies. Great play!
 Then it was time for Bubbles and

Bagels to celebrate together. We recognised all the ladies who have been playing golf since its inception in 2009. What a great privilege to be part of such a wonderful group of enthusiastic, passionate ladies! Happy birthday to us! Here's to many more years together gals!



RUGBY WORLD CUP

3 Big Screens Join us for the
NEW ZEALAND vs WALES playoff
 Friday 1 November @ 11am
SPRINGBOKS vs ENGLAND FINAL
 Saturday 2 November @ 11am

SUNDAY LUNCH R75

Roast Pork, Roast Potatoes, Rice & Vegetables

BOERIE BASH 31 October 5.30pm (In aid of COP)

Halloween Fancy Dress - Prize for Best Dressed
 Children's Trick or Treat Walk with Fidelity ADT

QUIZ Night : 13 November

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