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SA'S TOP MASTER ON BOARD



Paul Basson in action at the South African National Bodyboarding Championships. (Picture by Nix Pics)

On Thursday, 5 October, Sedgefield's Paul Basson (47) won the South African Bodyboarding Championships in the Masters category, pitting his skills against the best of the boarding best.

The event, held at Betty's Bay near Hermanus, was sponsored by Aida Onrus. With extreme weather conditions playing havoc with the coastline in the weeks leading up to the national competition, many feared it may not go ahead, but thanks to the Overstrand community getting involved and a quick switch from Onrus Beach to Betty's Bay, it was all systems go.

"After all these initial challenges, the SA Bodyboarding Champs

in the competition after winning provincial colours for Cape Winelands earlier this year, as well as gear sponsorship from Reef South Africa and Ocean Eyewear.

"And winning the SA Championships was a huge achievement for me, especially riding and competing against the best in the country!



We're not sure if Mark 'Kaftan Kid' Nell (the Pick n Pay car park security man) is Sedgefield's BIGGEST Springbok fan, but we felt that his brilliant outfit certainly gave us a great opportunity to add our very excited shout-out to the boys in green and gold.

If their semi-final (9pm Saturday 21 October) against England is anywhere near as close to Sunday's match against France, there will likely be a nationwide shortage of 'Rescue Remedy' What absolute cracking entertainment this Rugby World Cup







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Notes from T'Ed's Head

n an effort to subsidise my meagre 'retyrement plan' (I think I should have enough to replace the two in the front by the time I'm 65) I have come up with a rather cunning idea.

A brilliant, master plan.

A plan that could change the face of the world!

(Cue evilly manic, cackling laughter and musical crescendo)

"Hoo hoo ha HAHAHA!"

Yes. This plan is that good!

It hit me as I was driving down Kingfisher Drive one morning.

Not the idea, the steering wheel.

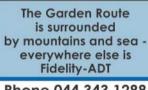
Because ... Well ... Kingfisher Drive ...

If we are going to be honest, it's not really a drive anymore, is it? Not in the 'Generally-trundelling along,-happily-minding-your own-business-whilst-gazing-in appreciation-at-the-lagoon-on the-left' sort of drive we have become used to in the course of our years in Sedgefield.

No. Because these days it is so riddled with potholes it really should be called Kingfisher Danger Zone ... shouldn't it?

Or... if I am to be rather cleverly (I thought) cryptic, we could just remove the second 'r' on the road-sign (because it's just not right anymore) and call it 'Kingfisher Dive'. After all, that is exactly what one's vehicle tends to do when hitting one of those gaping tar-craters, isn't it?

And as our illustrious national leaders are quite keen on renaming roads perhaps we should apply ...









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But then it's not just Kingfisher that has such a plethora of plunges, is it? No. It's ALL of our roads. Indeed, continuing on this profound preamble, one might say (if one was a movie-buff) that we Sedgefielders are living the 'Life of PI', where PI stands for Pothole Impact.

And don't get me started on how aptly named 'Swallow' Drive is (I gather the search is still on for old Mrs Ramsbottom who disappeared with her bicycle on the way to the Market last month).

Sigh...

But wait. What am I saying? This is not a BAD thing.

No! Not at all. As I mentioned earlier, on that particular day, after I had plunged into that particularly pesky pothole and ended up with a steering-wheelshaped bruise on my forehead, a VW emblem on my chin and a dent in my front left wheel rim that caused a little limpylump kriddakriddakridda vibration whenever I went above 80km (this is particularly bad when I am going around one of our traffic circles), THAT's when I had my BIG IDEA.

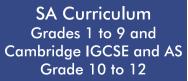
My GREAT IDEA.

And we all know that with the right IQ levels (I have O-level English and would have passed my Standard 9 Maths if I hadn't accidently had a hangover) a GREAT IDEA can become A MASTER PLAN.

A MASTER RETIREMENT PLAN...

(A bit more music here, please Maestro - perhaps with a *mysterious lilt to it....?)*

When this plan entered my mind I was so excited I turned the car around and drove straight home to tell Mrs Ed. Well, as straight



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as one can drive on our roads ... (I swear it's 10km longer from home to my office these days).

"I've got it! I'VE GOT IT!" I cried, rushing into the kitchen.

"Is it fatal?" she asked, hopefully.

"OUR RETIREMENT PLAN!" I shouted. "I'M GOING TO SELLPOTHOLES!

And, of course, she leaped to her feet and launched herself lovingly upon my breast, overwhelmed by pure appreciation of the fact that I had solved the dilemma that we had been dilemminating over since we lost faith in our ability to win the lottery all those tickets ago.

No. She didn't.

The ungrateful old bat didn't even get to her concretecalloused clodhoppers.

"You've tried that before," she yawned, flipping through her edition of 'Brick-layers Weekly' whilst simultaneously spitting a wad of industrial-strength tobacco into my motorcycle helmet..

'Wha....?" I said, intelligently.

Sighing, she hefted her goodly self to as close to upright as those from the Homo heidelbergensis gene pool are able to manage, and lumbered across the lounge floor, somehow even ignoring the yaps of Yoda, the horrid hound of the Barkervilles.

Retrieving a book from the depths of bookcase no 12, she flipped through it, stopped at a particular page and announced "17 March 1999. T'Ed's Latest Greatest (patent pending) Master plan to make enough money to pay for children's education: Sell potholes to unsuspecting Americans."

Snatching it from her, I read on, amazed at the sheer brilliance emanating from my 32 1/2 year old past self.

It was hand-written, and entitled (in green crayon):

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"And," observed Mrs Ed, "They

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"That's just typical," I sulked,

"All my efforts toward achieving

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though casting my mind back, I

somehow couldn't remember

what we had spent all our profits

on. "Why aren't we millionaires?" I asked Mrs Ed in

She looked at me quizzically

through her good eye and

grunted through 'Black-Bob'

"This is the only paperwork that

With that, she handed me a court

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UPLIFTING KITE FESTIVA

Masithandane was blown away by all the support received for the 7th Garden Route Kite Festival on Sunday 8 October, held in Karatara for the third time.

"The Children's Bursary Fund will receive a healthy injection of funds of more than R30 000," announced Chairperson Jacky Weaver. Final figures are still being calculated.

Although, thanks to heavy rains the day before the event,

Masithandane became 'Marshythandane' for the day, kite-flyers, children and families arrived in numbers and had great fun all round, even enjoying the

Against a backdrop of beautiful clouds, the sky was filled with stunning kites - inflatables, traditional stick kites, revolution and stunt kites and one-of-a-kind creations. The kite-flyers who provided these amazing displays included Knysna's Keith Mould, initiator of the festival, Mari Ware-lane from Cape Town, Team Binsbergen Pieter, Leone and Xavier from Gqeberha and Team Fourie - Jacques, Danielle and Pierre from Pretoria.

And the entertainment wasn't just 'up in the air', the Happy Dogs Agility Show provided a treat for the dogs, dog handlers and the visitors, whilst new attractions to the Festival included the Family Fun Run



organised by the Sedgefield Striders and the Kaskarretjies provided so generously by Alewijn Dippenaar.

There was also a Children's Carnival Games arena with lots of prizes to be won and a tea garden serving delicious fare all donated - and the Food Stalls had a variety of tasty food on

It was a wonderful team effort on a regional, local and family

"Huge thanks go to WESGRO our Destination Partner and supporter, Garden Route District Municipality, Knysna Municipality, Rotary Knysna, Rotary George, Edge Community News, Specialised Broker Services (SBS), Happy Dogs, ADT, 4 Front Consultants, Kites By Design, Sedgefield Hardware,

Sedgefield Lions, Beacon Island Resort, Blue Planet Power, Montecello, Rosie's Steak House, Fijnbos Café, Kays, Dolphins, Ice on the Run, WoW Church without Walls, St Francis United Church, NG Kerk, the Food and Craft Stalls and each and every volunteer, supporter and visitor," says Jacky.

Whilst being a great fundraiser, the 2023 festival also continued to market the Garden Route and Western Cape as a tourist destination, promoted economic growth through job creation and income generation for an array of individual entrepreneurs and small businesses and provided low-cost, healthy, family outdoor fun. Funds raised will benefit children from marginalised groups who have infrastructure and employment challenges.

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GEORGE POULTRY TESTS POSITIVE FOR AVIAN FLU

Western Cape Minister of Agriculture, Dr Ivan and disclosed to the Department of Agriculture, Meyer has announced that the first case of H7 Land Reform and Rural Development High Pathogenicity Avian Influenza (HPAI) has (DALRRD) and the World Organisation of been diagnosed in the George area.

This following the recent, much publicised detection of the H7 high pathogenicity avian influenza (HPAI) heighten biosecurity measures as far as possible in the Gauteng, Mpumalanga, Free State and Limpopo provinces.

It is believed that the virus reached George following the introduction of chickens from an infected province in the North. The George farm has been quarantined and culling on the farm has already

The minister also warned that the H5N1 HPAI virus that caused seven outbreaks in the Western Cape from Dr Noluvuyo Magadla continues to appeal to April to June 2023, is still a threat from wild birds. "In poultry owners to adhere to general the past three months the Western Cape hasn't recommendations to prevent transmission of the experienced any further outbreaks in the commercial poultry industry. All the outbreaks reported in the period between April and June have been resolved. Whilst under quarantine, the farms had been depopulated, cleaned and disinfected twice with the To learn more about Avian Influenza, visit the State Veterinarian's inspection. The quarantine was website:

Animal Health (WOHA) respectively," he said.

"Western Cape poultry owners are urged to and be extremely cautious as to bringing in any new chickens or allowing visitors or vehicles into poultry farms. Moving chickens from infected provinces should be avoided at all costs as this has a severe impact on the entire Western Cape province if more cases of H7 HPAI are detected, added Minister Meyer.

State veterinarian and Director of Animal Health, disease between farms. She discourages interprovincial movement of birds and advises farmers to avoid these movements until avian influenza outbreaks are under control.

lifted, and the outbreaks were reported as resolved www.westerncape.gov.za/dept/agriculture



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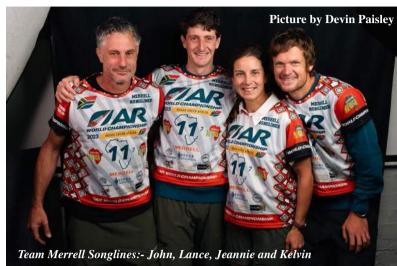
Whilst our sponsorship of the Ladies Golf League is normally just about golf sometimes it can be about other fun stuff too! This week we were proud to join cosponsors Engen/Wimpy in being a part of the Villagers vs Islanders Challenge, which included a hilariously entertaining war-cry / song and dance routine by each team. Well done all you sweet Carolines! Good times never felt so good!

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READY TO ROCK THE | SEDGEFIELD EVENT FOR 2024 AR WORLD CHAMPS

The 2023 Adventure Racing World Championship hosted by Expedition Africa is set to start tomorrow (19 October), and our prediction is that local man John Collins and his Merrell Songlines teammates will be in it for a win!

109 four-person teams (that's 436 competitors) from all around the world will line up at the start at Cape St Francis Resort, including the best of the best of the world's adventure racers as well as teams taking part just to make it to the end. Whilst the front runners may finish the gruelling, 800-kilometre course in four days. others will be out for anything up to



It is hoped that the Songlines foursome (Captain Kelvin Trautman, Lance Kime, Jeannie Bomford-Dreyer and John Collins) will use their 'home soil' advantage and grab themselves a podium position.

Unlike sports that take place on courts and in arenas, Adventure Racing courses include multiple disciplines of trekking, mountain biking, paddling and navigation and are staged over a vast area incorporating mountains, valleys, rivers, lakes, the sea, wilderness areas, nature reserves, and farms. In addition, the teams keep moving day-andnight in this non-stop, expedition, race format. Yet it's still a spectator sport:-Adventure races may be followed by supporters - from the comfort of their offices and homes - through live online tracking, and the reports, photos and videos posted by on-theground media.

Whilst Merrell Songlines (race time. #11) is currently the top team in Africa, their compatriots in Team Merrell (#13) are also highly ranked and both will be racing for the top places. Two other teams of locals taking part are "Pinegold" (#34) and "4 the Love of Buschy" (#17).

With one day to go, prepare to be captivated, enthralled, and inspired by astounding performances cunning navigation decisions. courageous efforts, and displays of fortitude and perseverance by teams striving just to get to the

For families, friends, supporters and adventure racers at home, there are many ways to follow this 800-kilometre event, but probably the most exciting is what is known as 'Dot Watching' via live GPS tracking.

Each team carries a SPOT tracking unit that transmits a signal giving their position at any

For the duration of the event, 'Dot Watchers' will be suitably distracted from their everyday activities in their efforts to follow their teams dots moving in real time from checkpoint to checkpoint and through transitions. Watch rivalries unfold, observe teams searching for a checkpoint, and select multiple teams to compare their route choices.

To aid your viewing, the satellite base map has an overlay indicating the locations of checkpoints and transitions as well as a track showing the most likely route that teams will take from one point to the next.

Connected to the tracking page is a leaderboard that shows current rankings. By clicking on a team name, you can see a team photograph and the names of the team members. Each dot shows the last time updated and the team's current speed. You will be

KNYSNA OYSTERFEST Organisers of the Knysna Oyster Festival are keen on getting Sedgefield on board for the 2024 edition of this popular event, set to be held

in July next year.

"They are hoping for some sort of mid-week event to bring visitors this way - possibly something combined with our markets," says Ratepayers Committee's Ari Seirlis, who is representing Sedgefield at the Festival's monthly meetings, "But we certainly don't want to make a decision as to what that activity or offering could be without getting input from other interested local parties." A unique, Sedgefield event could certainly make an attractive addition to the Oyster

making the village part of the week-long celebration and encouraging visitors to spend time in Sedgefield and get to know all it has to offer.

Anyone wanting to give input may contact Ari via email ari@iafrica.com.

It's a wrap!!!!! It was ballsy, it was brave, it was different, and it was a Friday the 13th spectacle! The same gutsy guys who came last year were back again to join others running the 2023 Hollard Dare-Devil Speedo Run. Organiser Shelley van Eden Vorster was delighted with the turnout, as were the spectators and passers-by who witnessed the flash of purple rushing down Main Street from the Café Vienna starting point. "We are super proud and thankful to the twenty men for representing the Garden Route Area," she said, "Courageously coming out of their comfort zones for this great cause and spreading awareness of prostate and testicular Cancer.'

Those Speedy Speedo Daredevils do the dash again!

able to view the tracking and see up-to-date news feeds from all of the main ARWS channels on www.expafrica.live.

You can also follow the event on Facebook (look for AR World Series), Instagram (@arworldseries), and You Tube (Adventure Racing World Series)

Buckle up and get ready for a week of action and adventure. Live vicariously through the 436 courageous racers who will line up at the start of this mammoth event. Share in the wonderous sights and locations that teams experience through the variety of media channels that strive to envelop you in the magic of the 2023 Adventure Racing World Championship.





Sedgfield went PINK on Saturday 14th October as people came out in force to support the Breast Cancer Awareness walk. Starting at Sedgefield Engen Garage, against a backdrop of masses of ribbons that had been tied onto the petrol station's back fence during the course of the week, the walk took all the pink participants – women, men, girls and boys - on a scenic route around the Island.

"WOW, what an amazing eventful day!" said walk organisers Adele

and Carel van Zyl, "So beautiful with all the ribbons and so many wonderful people supporting such an awesome cause. Thank you Sedgfield for making a difference - your support means the world to

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AUDIOLOGY AWARENESS MONTH

DID YOU KNOW? STAGES OF HEARING LOSS

It is important to understand that hearing loss is a progressive degenerative disorder that can significantly increase your risk of dementia, falling and a host of other comorbid disorders. According to Dr Keith Darrow, in his latest book – Preventing Decline – Advances in the medical treatment of hearing loss and tinnitus hearing loss can best be categorized into 3 stages of hearing loss.

Clients with STAGE 1 hearing loss have the greatest prognosis for treatment. Sooner is always better than later! Assessments indicate marked damage to the nerves that connect the ear to the brain, which have implications for memory loss and forgetfulness

Difficulty hearing details of speech - missing the beginning or the end of what others are saying, environmental auditory awareness e.g. hearing phones, alarm notifications, car indicators or door knocks, conversation in background noise and television is becoming more difficult.

STAGE 1 HEARING LOSS is correlated with 200% increased risk of developing cognitive decline and dementia. Early treatment of hearing loss can dramatically reduce that increased risk of dementia. Stage 1 hearing loss increases the risk of falling by 140% - the number 1 cause of hospitalizations in older adults!

STAGE 2 HEARING LOSS. Clients with a moderate to severe hearing loss have most likely waited anywhere from 3-6 years before deciding to act. Prognosis for treatment is however, high! Although there is notable damage to the neural connections from the ear to the brain, there remains enough treatable hearing to provide proper cognitive stimulation and overcome the deficits in clarity, tinnitus and auditory deprivation. Stage 2 clients often report the following symptoms: annoying tinnitus, speech sounds like 'mumbling', missing when someone is speaking to them, difficulty hearing when someone is walking next to them, missing environmental auditory cues such as an alarm or car indicators or missing what young children are saying.

With Stage 2 hearing loss the goal is to provide maximum neurocognitive stimulation, which the brain needs to run on all cylinders. In fact, if you don't mind the 'engine' reference, living with untreated hearing loss is like driving at 60kph in

second gear — which over time will wear the system and cause significant damage.

Stage 2 hearing loss increased the risk of developing cognitive decline and dementia by 300%! Again, treatment of hearing loss can reduce those risks as well as risk of falling (number one cause of injury-related deaths in older adults)

clients, in addition the Stage 2 symptoms, commonly avoid social gatherings and often isolate themselves. There is marked damage to the neural connections from the ear to the brain, which expand beyond the auditory centres, and reach deep into the memory, sensory and emotional parts of the brain. There is also a 400% increased risk of developing cognitive decline and dementia.

Even at this stage treatment using appropriate hearing aid technology can make a difference. Hearing aids can't cure your hearing loss but they can help prevent cognitive decline, social isolation and making sure you are actively part of a conversation and not a passive bystander!

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Wednesdays 8 for 9am Golf Day @ The Links. All members welcome. 4 - 8pm Mosaic Food Fare 5:30pm Sedgefield Striders Walking / Running time trials on road adjacent to Bowls Club. Beginners welcome

Thursdays

6:30am Eden Cycling Club Group Social outride departs Cycle Worx. All welcome. 8 for 9am Sedge Gentlemen's Golf @ The Links 12:30pm Social Bridge School at St Anthony's Catholic Church hall All levels welcome. Lessons 12:30, Play from 13:45. Enquiries: Gail 0834577647. 13:15pm Bowls. Tabs in

Fridays

8am Ladies Golf @ Links Course

Saturdays

6:30am Eden Cycling Club Group Social outride departs Cycle Worx. All welcome. 8am-12 Wild Oats Community Farmers' Market 8 for 9am Saturday Competition Golf @ Links Course 8am-2pm Mosaic Market 8am-2pm Scarab Craft Market 13:15pm Bowls. Tabs in.

Every 4th Saturday

3 or 4pm Garden Route Centre of the Astronomical Society of Southern Africa. At Catholic Church, Cnr Sysie & Flamingo St. Visitors welcome. Peter 083 445 4634 for more info.

Sundays

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

Sunday 8 October

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

WRRA Talk on protecting the Cape Cannets

> 6pm on 18 October at Faerie Knowe

-Brushstrokes=

The Sedgefield Art Society's October meeting welcomed members as well as visitors to our monthly meeting held at the Lions Hall on the 9th October.

The large number of visitors and the members were treated to a demonstration by the widely acclaimed guest artist Anthony

Noble who uses his amazing talent in art pottery and painting to teach. The Art Society was very privileged to experience this incredible talent, it was truly inspiring. Anthony painted two canvases one of which was sold!

The Society also finds its members preparing for various upcoming art exhibitions and events. The present art exhibition at Remax, at which a number of member's paintings

by Beryl Stiles

the Conservancy.

unsightly litter.

AT WORK ON THE ISLAND

have been sold, runs until the end of October, so come along and who knows, you might find your next masterpiece there.

For enquiries on the benefits of membership of the Sedgefield Art Society please contact Patsy Scanes on 073 256 6021 or by

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by Melanie Baumeister Shaun Oelf, acclaimed director,

choreographer and dance performer, is a son of the little village of Karatara, just north of Sedgefield. Indeed his family still lives there. With his vast creative talents, this young man has brought to the fore the story of the town that he was born and raised in through his awardwinning production named

And now this highly acclaimed piece of artistry is coming home:- 'KARATARA' will be performed in the town's community hall at 7pm on Saturday the 21st of October 2023.

KARATARA tells the story of the devastating Knysna fires of 2018. How on the 29th of October in the middle of the night, a blazing inferno incinerated so many homes belonging to poor members of the community. The residents lost everything, some even their lives. This deeply personal

the lagoon in Dr Malan Street. In chilly wind, Kayla transformed this ordinary bench into a beautiful art work with stunning pictures depicting local birds, plants and frogs. Well worth a visit!

The Conservancy also had a presence at Wild Oats Market, which raised awareness of our group. Thank you to Rose for giving us this opportunity.

Anything That Floats will now take place on the 4th November 2023. The Conservancy will have a table at Fish Eagle Green showcasing indigenous plants and information.



Sedgefield Animal Matters has had an exceptional month with a successful Festive **Decoration Sale on Saturday** thanks to the SAM volunteers and especially to Wendy MacMillan, a well-known local and SAM supporter who the sale.

This was followed by a wellsupported PAWS Run on Sunday 15 October which saw 150 magnificent motorcycles gather at Pick-n-Pay. Riders and their pillion passengers from all over the Garden Route participated in the run, purchasing pet food which they donated to SAM. Our very own Scooter Club was represented by Mario Ferreira and his cool blue 'steed' looking sharp amongst the BMWs, Ducatis, shiny red Honda Goldwing, Harley Davidsons and many more.

The entire group then rode their where they had a social gettogether, and Kirsty Hofhuis, the SAM Chairlady, was able to thank those generous folk for their kind and very welcome support. A special thanks to Dave Ibbetson of Ulysses SA for arranging this fun event.

Ulysses Motorcycle Club's motto is 'Grow Old Disgracefully', and we think that went down particularly well with the locals who came along to have a look at the many motorcycles parked on the Green.

According to founder member Gary White, the PAWS Run was originally launched in 2006 in aid of Plett Animal Welfare, but over the years the decision has been made to extend it to include animal welfare services from

Mossel Bay as well as Plett. 'So Sedgefield's SAMS will benefit once every five years!" he said.

The motorcyclists pet food donation filled 2 ½ bakkies and was enough to keep the feeding scheme going for at least six weeks. SAM would like to express sincere appreciation to all the motorcycle clubs involved.

The SAM field team seems to get busier by the day. Although our core focus is sterilisation, Colleen, the SAM Animal Welfare Officer, spends a considerable amount of time transporting sick and injured animals to and from KAWS in Knysna. The cost of these trips ounting up with the consta fuel price increases, and the SAM Caddy is not getting any younger (it is a 2006 model with over 300 000km on the clock). It has therefore been decided that if a pet owner has a vehicle, they will be requested to transport their pet to KAWS for treatment that may be necessary.

Fairview towards the end of September when a number of the local residents' dogs had an altercation with a troop of baboons. Most were taken to KAWS for treatment, but unfortunately one did succumb to its injuries. Baboons are best kept at a distance where possible!

The third week of October will bring one of the field teams'

dance-drama deals with the loss of family, home, community and land. It examines the complex racial and social history between the communities of the area, and how political powers and the media exploited this tragedy.

'KARATARA' IN KARATARA

The production of KARATARA debuted at KKNK 2022 with a sold-out run. It won the award for Best Debut Production at the festival and was nominated for Best Theatre Production, Best Director, and Best Theatre Design.



For bookings contact Joan Oelf on 073 724 8552 or Pearl on 073 935 5183.

In Loving Memory Liz West

17.02.1955 - 07.10.2023



Granny, Mom and Matriarch. May you fly the highest skies and swim the deepest oceans

WHERE TO FIND IT Sedgefield Business Directory

Free Listings: We're currently updating our 2024 directory Whilst we try our listings. utmost to be as accurate as we can, it's not possible for us to phone every free listed business to check if there are any changes to your address, contact numbers or email addresses. The onus is on you to send us updated information.

Attention New Sedgefield Business Owners: kindly email us your business info if you wish to have a free listing in our 2024 Directory. Please note that our closing date for free listings is Friday 27 October 2023.

For Display ad bookings, kindly contact Joy on 082 389 2024 or email sales@edgenews.co.za



kennel drop! Thanks to the community support another 20 kennels will be allocated to needy animals during the week. This will be SAM's fourth and final kennel drop for 2023 and it is with pride that they recorded a total of 85 kennels allocated to needy animals this year. In the heat of summer, the rain and the cold of winter, all animals need and deserve a safe, dry place to call their own. Sincere thanks to Mare Collett of the Sugarbush Nursery in Wilderness for handmaking pillows for each and every kennel that is allocated with removable covers so that they are easy to keep clean.

The last stretch lies ahead before the SAM team and Colleen take a break in December. Please note that we do not have an Animal Welfare Officer on duty on weekends or public holidays, and pet owners are requested to kindly contact one of our local vets or KAWS should their pet require emergency care during those times.

Missing Cat

SADIE has been missing since Monday 2 October 2023. She is female, spayed, small-built but very fluffy. All 4 paws are white, and she has a white chest and greenish eyes.

Originally thought to be somewhere in the Groenvallei area but could be anywhere. She is shy and wary of people. She might be stuck in a yard, tree, outbuilding, or bush area.

If anyone has any information whatsoever about her whereabouts, please contact 0832733131



A BUMPER MONTH FOR SAM

Sedgefield Island CONSERVANCY

The past weeks have seen the Sedgefield Island

Conservancy hard at work getting ready for

Spring. Lawrence Boatwright and Helia van Zyl,

with the help of Pam Booth and her team from

Knysna Municipality, cleared all the alien

vegetation from the verges of Paul Kruger and

Jan van Riebeeck Streets. Illegally dumped

garden waste was also removed. Any further

dumping of garden waste could incur a fine, so be

warned. Please report any illegal dumping of

garden rubbish to the Knysna Municipality or to

In addition to all this, three new dustbins have

been planted in this high traffic area to reduce

Not content with this, the Conservancy

contracted Kayla Lee Le Roux, our very talented

local artist, to beautify the concrete bench facing

14 October. This success was spent hours hand-making lovely festive decorations for

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Exciting Garden Route Indigenous Plant Fair for 2023 RE/MAXLAKES

Garden Trust is pleased to announce that they are relaunching the popular Garden Route Indigenous Plant Fair that will take place from 3-5 November 2023, on the grounds of the Botanical Garden.

A large selection of indigenous plants will be on sale, with experts on hand to assist and advise on your gardening requirements. Supporting the plant sales will be food and drinks stalls, botanically themed crafts, books, a children's play

to the Botanical Garden on the Plant Fair days will be free to all.

The members of the trust have formed a Plant Fair Committee and are actively seeking local community participation and collaboration, as well as sponsorship. George Municipality has shown its commitment to environmental events, as the main supporter of the event, providing value-inkind services such as porta-loos, additional electricity connections and marketing and infrastructure support, to the

Group Editors are committed as the main media sponsor, matching the marketing contribution of the Plant Fair to the value of ten thousand rand. Follow the Group Editors print and online news for more information on the event.

Tourism Manager, Joan Shaw says 'We are so pleased that this popular event is back on the calendar for George, as it not only highlights the importance of our indigenous flora but serves to educate the public on this incredible natural treasure, provides an opportunity to purchase unusual species that may not be readily available. I believe that there will be a spectacular range of fynbos on sale, and since I strive both at the Tourism Office and at home, to have water-wise indigenous garden, I personally cannot wait to attend.

If you wish to participate in the plant fair as a sponsor, stall holder, or simply volunteer to work at the fair, please contact Karla on 044 874 1558, or email info@botanicalgarden.org.za.

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e'Pap celebrates 20 years and 11 million meals

Over the weekend of 7 and 8 October, the founders of the e'Pap project Shelley Godsell, Lally Viljoen and Peter Godsell hosted an event at which some 80 volunteers and school staff were able to celebrate what has been achieved over 20 years. It was a joyous occasion celebrating many aspects of the project. but especially the fact that to date over 11 million meals have been supplied to children of the Garden Route.

The e'Pap feeding project was started in 2003 with the aim of feeding a pre-cooked porridge to pre-school children in Knysna. It was a very small initiative, just 60 children from two preschools were given the health generating breakfast each school day. The children were monitored and it was very clear that e'Pap made a big difference to their health, and so the project started to grow.



Twenty years on, the e'Pap Children's Feeding Project has expanded - reaching preschools in George, Sedgefield, Knysna and Plettenberg Bay. Over 5,500 children in some 140 pre-schools now receive regular meals of e'Pap.

Shelley Godsell said "Many of

our donors are from the Garden Route. Others are from other overseas - we thank them all.

parts of our country and

They have enabled us to feed and improve the health of a generation of children. On behalf of all these children, thank you, enkosi kakhulu and baie dankie.

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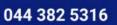








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IN DECEASED ESTATES

STREET, SEDGEFIELD, 6573 WESTERN CAPE Date of death: 2023-07-07

Last Address: 4 ROBIN

ID Number: 3909125066083

All persons having claims against the abovementioned Estate are required to lodge their claims with the undersigned within 32 days from the date of the publication of this advertisement.

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IN DECEASED ESTATES

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ROAD, SEDGEFIELD, 6573 WESTERN CAPE Date of death: 2023-06-06

CARE CENTRE, 13 MAIN

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JORDAAN, VAN WYK ATTORNEYS INC 65 MAIN ROAD, SEDGEFIELD, 6573. Email: estates@jvwlaw.co.za Tel: 044 343 2126 Executor: Anton Jordaan

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VORM JJJ VERLORE OF VERNIETIGDE **TITELBEWYS**

Hiermee word kennis gegee dat kragtens die bepalings van regulasie 68 van die Registrasie van Aktes Wet, 1937, dit die voorneme is om aansoek te doen om 'n gesertifiseerde afskrif van Deed of Transfer T39219/1999 (VA7658/2015) gepasseer deur MUNISIPALITEIT VAN GEORGE ten gunste van ANDILE RODA,

Identiteitsnommer 690304 6226 089 Ongetroud, ten aansien van:

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wat verlore geraak het of vernietig is.

Alle persone wat teen die uitreiking van sodanige afskrif beswaar het, word hierby versoek om dit skriftelik in te dien by die Registrateur van Aktes te Kaapstad binne twee weke na datum van publikasie van hierdie kennisgewing

Gedateer te GEORGE op hede die 9de dag van Oktober 2023

Aansoeker: Jonck & Kie Prokureurs Adres: 8 St. Johns Straat, GEORGE E-pos adres:

friedel@ioncklaw.co.za Kontak nommer: 0448733539

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Identiteitsnommer 690103 0251 089 Ongetroud, ten aansien van:

ERF 5288 PACALTSDORP, in die Munisipaliteit en Afdeling van George, Wes-Kaap Provinsie

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FORM JJJ LOST OR DESTROYED DEED

Notice is hereby given in terms of regulation 68 of the Deeds Registries Act, 1937, of the intention to apply for the issue of a certified copy of Deed of Transfer T78515/1994 passed by South African Housing Trust Limited, Co. No 86/04846/06 in favour of TEKI JOHN LALAPHI, Identity Number 550312 5412 084 and SPASINA LALAPHI, Identity Number 620722 0193 010, married in community of property to each other, in respect of certain

ERF 2526 TYOLORA, in the Municipality and Division of George, Province of the Western Cape, which has been lost or destroyed.

All interested persons having objection to the issue of such copy are hereby required to lodge the same in writing with the Registrar of Deed at Cape Town within two weeks from the date of publication of this notice.

Dated at GEORGE this 9th day of October 2023

Applicant: Jonck & Co Attorneys Address: 8 St. Johns Street, **GEORGE**

Email address: friedel@joncklaw.co.za Contact number: 044 8733539

inclusive || innovative || inspired KNYSNA MUNICIPALITY BY-LAW ON SPATIAL PLANNING AND LAND USE MANAGEMENT (2021)

PROPOSED DEPARTURE AND REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS: ERF 1516, SEDGEFIELD

Notice is hereby given in terms of Section 45 of the Knysna Municipality By-law on Spatial Planning and Land Use Management (2021), that the abovementioned application has been received from:

Applicant's name: Joannes Alkemade

Contact person: Henry Erasmus Architectural Draughting Services E-mail: henry@hletrading.co.za Application number 2946 Reference number: Property description: Erf 1516, Sedgefield

Physical address: 5 De Le Ray Street, The Island, Sedgefield

Nature of application:

- i. Application for a Departure in terms of Section 15(2)(b) of the Knysna Spatial Planning and Land Use Management By-law (2021), to relax the south-western building line from 2m to 1,57m to allow a second dwelling unit; and
- ii. Application for a Removal of Restrictive Title Deed, condition D.5 from Title Deed Number T54988/2012 of Erf 1516, Sedgefield, in terms of Section 15(2)(f) of the Knysna Spatial Planning and Land Use Management By-law (2021), which relates to the number of dwellings allowed on site in order to allow a second dwelling unit.

A complete copy of the application is available on the municipal website at: https://www.knysna.gov.za/do-business/planning-development/current-land-use-applications/

Members of the public are invited to submit written comments, together with the reasons therefore in terms of Section 50 of the Knysna Municipality By-law on Spatial Planning and Land Use Management (2021).

Comments must be addressed to the Municipal Manager and submitted via email at knysna@knysna.gov.za and mmhlanga@knysna.gov.za before or on 20 November 2023, quoting your name, address, electronic contact details and telephone number, interest in the application and reasons for comment. The municipality may refuse to accept comments received after the closing date. Persons who cannot write may contact the Town Planning Office during office hours, where the responsible official will assist you in putting your comments in

Telephonic enquiries may be made during office hours to the Town Planner, Ms Menelisi Mhlanga at tel. 044 302 6339 or via email mmhlanga@knysna.gov.za.

KNYSNA MUNISIPALITEIT VERORDENING OP RUIMTELIKE BEPLANNING EN GRONDGEBRUIKSBESTUUR (2021)

VOORGESTELDE AFWYKING EN OPHEFFING VAN VOORWAARDES: ERF 1516, SEDGEFIELD

Kennis geskied hiermee ingevolge Artikel 45 van die Knysna Munisipaliteit Verordening op Ruimtelike Beplanning en Grondgebruiksbestuur (2021), dat die bogenoemde aansoek ontvang is vanaf:

Naam van aansoeker: Joannes Alkemade

Henry Erasmus Architectural Draughting Services Kontakpersoon:

henry@hletrading.co.za E-pos: Verwysingsnommer: Aansoeknommer: 2946 Eiendomsbeskrywing: Erf 1516, Sedgefield

Fisiese adres: De La Raystraat 5, Die Eiland, Sedgefield

Aard van aansoek:

- i. Aansoek vir die **Afwyking** ingevolge **Artikel 15(2)(b)** van die Knysna Munisipaliteit Verordening op Ruimtelike Beplanning en Grondgebruiksbestuur (2021), vir die verslapping van die suid-westelike boulyn vanaf 2m tot 1,57m, om 'n tweedewooneenheid toe te laat; en
- ii. Aansoek vir die Opheffing van Beperkende Titelakte, voorwaarde D.5 van toepassing op Titelaktenommer T54988/2012 van Erf 1516, Sedgefield ingevolge Artikel 15(2)(f) van die Knysna Munisipaliteit Verordening op Ruimtelike Beplanning en Grondgebruiksbestuur (2021) wat verband hou met die hoeveelheid eenhede op die eiendom.

'n Volledige afskrif van die aansoek is beskikbaar op die munisipale webtuiste by: https://www.knysna.gov.za/do-business/planning-development/current-land-use-applications/

Lede van die publiek word ingevolge Artikel 50 van die Knysna Munisipaliteit Verordening op Ruimtelike Beplanning en Grondgebruiksbestuur (2021), uitgenooi om skriftelik kommentaar te lewer, met die redes vir die kommentaar.

Kommentaar mag aan die Munisipale Bestuurder gerig word, en per e-pos ingedien word aan knysna@knysna.gov.za en mmhlanga@knysna.gov.za, voor of op 20 November 2023, met vermelding van u naam, adres, elektroniese kontakbesonderhede en telefoonnommer, belang in die aansoek en redes vir kommentaar. Die munisipaliteit mag weier om kommentaar wat na die sluitingsdatum ontvang is, te aanvaar. Persone wat nie kan skryf nie mag die Stadsbeplanningskantoor tydens kantoorure nader, waar die betrokke amptenaar u sal help om u kommentaar op skrif te stel.

Telefoniese navrae kan gedurende kantoorure aan die Stadsbeplanner, me. Menelisi Mhlanga by tel. 044 302 6339 of per e-pos: mmhlanga@knysna.gov.za gerig word.

MR. / MNR. OP SEBOLA MUNICIPAL MANAGER / MUNISIPALE BESTUURDER



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On Sunday afternoon, 8th October, Carpe Musicam! were back in Sedgefield at the NGK Church Hall, playing a two hour concert,

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unmarried in respect of certain ERF 3946 TYOLORA, in the Municipality and Division of George, Province of the Western Cape, which has been lost or destroyed.

All interested persons having objection to the issue of such copy are hereby required to lodge the same in writing with the Registrar of Deed at Cape Town within two weeks from the date of publication of this notice.

Dated at GEORGE this 16th day of October 2023

Applicant: Jonck & Co Attorneys Address: 8 St. Johns Street, **GEORGE**

Email address: friedel@joncklaw.co.za Contact number: 044 8733539

by Mike Young

called "Fantasia", to a packed audience aged from 4 to 90+.

After a brief musical introduction, the first item was a medley based on the music from Andrew Lloyd Webber's musical "Phantom of the Opera". which the audience certainly loved. They were then treated to all sorts of musical delights, including the Italian composer, Vivaldi, and a piece made up of extracts from various classical composers which was called "Classical Musical Mashup". This was followed by "Conquest of Paradise (1492)", in memory of Christopher Columbus, who sailed across the Atlantic to discover America that year.

Whilst the music was orchestral the first hour, in the second hour the choir played their part! There were also two Spanish dancers with castanets, who performed "España Cañi" with the orchestra.

At one point, as you can see in the picture, the conductor, Norman Carless, tried to have us rename him "Pan" as he played his pipes!

At the end of the concert, the whole audience stood up to applaud, rightly so because it was a memorable event indeed. This standing ovation had the right effect as the orchestra and choir treated them to a soulstirring rendition of "You Raise Me Up" as an encore.

Carpe Musicam! is already working on their planned Christmas concerts (15 December



in George and 17 December in Mossel Bay). Keep an eye on their website to stay informed: www.carpe musicam.co.za

Ward 1 Councillor Levael Davis was more than a little incensed on Tuesday when he was informed of out and out vandalism on the Island – this after a public braai facility was destroyed on Fish eagle Green. "This is what our society has come

to," he said, "A few years back, we spent a lot of money to get these braai areas built for the community and family enjoyment. The behaviour of some people really disgusts me. If you see any people vandalising



municipal property or our

plate if they have a vehicle. We will catch the culprits." I have

recreational areas, please take a video or photo of the number informed the parks team."

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Prevention:

1. Maintain a Healthy Lifestyle:

Adopting a balanced diet, regular exercise, and maintaining a healthy weight can reduce the risk of breast cancer. Include plenty of fruits, vegetables, and whole grains in your diet and limit alcohol consumption.

2. Limit Hormone **Replacement Therapy:**

If you must undergo hormone replacement therapy (HRT) for menopausal symptoms, consult with your healthcare provider about the lowest effective dose and the shortest duration to

Breast cancer is a prevalent and minimize the risk of breast

women worldwide. However, 3. Breastfeed: If you have the opportunity, consider breastfeeding your children. It has been linked to a reduced risk

> 4. Regular Self-Exams: Conduct monthly breast selfexams to become familiar with the normal look and feel of your breasts. Report any changes, lumps, or abnormalities to your healthcare provider promptly.

Early Detection:

- 1. Mammograms: Regular mammograms are essential for early detection. Women aged 40 and older should have annual mammograms. Women at higher risk may need to start earlier.
- Clinical Breast Exams: Have your healthcare provider perform clinical breast exams during your regular check-ups. They can detect any anomalies that you might miss during self-

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3. Know Your Family lifestyle can significantly History: Understanding your family's history of breast cancer can help you and your healthcare provider assess your risk accurately. If you have a family history, you may need more frequent screening.

4. Genetic Testing: Consult a genetic counsellor if you have a strong family history of breast cancer or if you test positive for the BRCA1 or BRCA2 gene mutations, which increase the risk. These individuals may need more aggressive surveillance or even preventive surgeries.

5. Stay Informed: Keep yourself informed about breast cancer awareness campaigns and any new research regarding early detection and prevention methods.

Early detection and prevention are pivotal in the fight against breast cancer. Regular checkups, mammograms, and a healthy

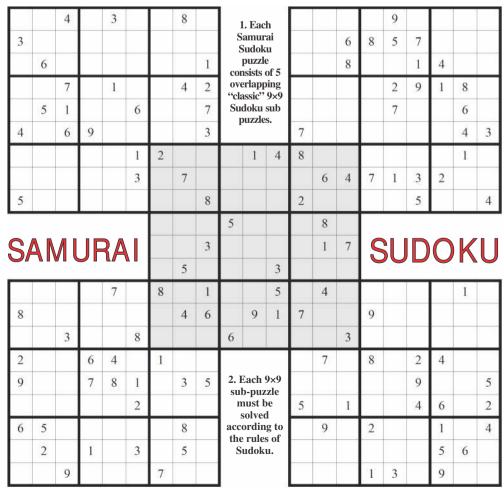
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Ladies Golf

Friday 29th September 2023

We had a full course with 18 ladies pairing up with a gentleman partner playing better ball and judging by the laughter, it was a successful day.

The winners were:

1st Sam Bowen and Chris on 45 points, count out

2nd Daleen Schooling and Graeme on 45 points 3rd Joy Herbst and Juandre on 44

points, count out 4th Marina van der Westhuizen

and Peter on 44 points 5th Brenda Howden and Werner

on 44 points 6th Sylvia de Moor and Roy on

43 points 7th Martha Smith and Garth on

42 points count out 8th Christine Coetzee and Paul on 42 points

9th Charlene Blacker and Theo 42 points

Nearest the pins were won by Sam Bowen on 5/14 and Brian on

Well played Ladies and Gents!

Friday 6th October 2023

Just another reminder that the weather in Sedgefield can never be predicted! Pretty much perfect weather for a game of golf with only a slight breeze.

Team Alliance won the votes and we set off in our 5 x 3 balls.

The highlight of the day was Charlene Blacker scoring an Eagle on the 9th, well done, fabulous! Christine Coetzee played 3 under her handicap and Charlene 5 under!

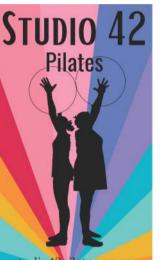
The winners were:

1st Almarie Mead, Charlene Blacker and Marina van der Westhuizen with 101 points. 2nd Christine Coetzee, Daleen Schooling and Joy Herbst on 99

points. Nearest the pin was won by

Daleen on the 16 and below and Clare Garner on the 17 and above.

Birdies were shot by Almarie Mead 8, Linda Evans 8 Sylvia de Moor 14, Sam Bowen 13, 18. Well played all!





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Friday 13th October 2023* Islanders vs Villagers

Sponsored by Pick and Pay and Wimpy.

WOW what a day it was! Such fun from start to finish. A sincere thank you to everyone for making the day so special and definitely one to remember!

The 1st War Cry Winners were: *The Villagers*

The winners of the Captains Cup: *The Islanders* 347 to 343. Well

Special mention to the leading points scores: Joy Herbst 41 Eda Greenway 40, Charlene Blacker 39, Almarie Mead 39

THANK YOU'S go to:

Our War Cry Judges - Tjaart from Sedgefield Pick n Pay Family Store Sedgefield, John from Sedgefield Wimpy, Jo from Sedge Links, Joy and Bomber from The Edge.

Beau Garner, Clare Garner and Martha Smith for the food and shopping. Christine Coetzee for always doing the scores. Sam and team for the Sedge Links

course. DJ Garth Garner was in the club and definitely kept the party going! Guy and Ronnie

Maingard for the Amarula. Brenda Howden for the sherry and muffins.

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CHURCH SERVICES

Afrikaanse Protestante Kerk Cearn Saal, Leisure Isle, Knysna 10am Service Christo Matthee 083 769 9313

AGS Lighuis Kontak: Kerkkantoor 044 382 6551 Sekretaresse 072 189 0215

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Elohim gemeente Kerkkantoor: 082 896 6387 Pastoor: Hansie Strydom

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Lakeside Baptist Church 3 Duiwe Laan Pastor J D - 066 160 7029 Sunday 9am

1. Sounds like one going the

wrong way in the hinterland.

6. Direction favoured by

Combi Association members.

watched about proof of

11. Staffed or not, it's all about

12. Aspire to be part of a

13. Arrive uninvited, causing

brief internationally uncivil

14.Demand for information

leaves those in Tonga interior

17. Earlier, Bond was

21. Was the Apache a person

cut up about low quality

22. They create a whole lot of interest in their nefarious

24. Having explored new

territory, a calculation, one may

25. Perform with a student in

support of the broken or

26. South African iron

periodically in a good position.

27. Disorderly situation in

horse's home means rest get

1. Carries family in warm coat

from unwilling supplier, no

2. Average buzzing home is

3. The unimportant yet arrogant

totally confused. (5,4)

note, was negative balance. (9)

despite all the sweets. (13)

strangely 'eco fit' on the inside, 24

making compromises. (5-4)

10. Part of the serial I binge-

Across

innocence. (5)

church. (7)

moment. (7)

displaced. (13)

schemes. (7)

fractured. (5)

Down

doubt. (8)

seasonal. (5)

THESE ARE THE CHURCH **DETAILS WE HAVE ON FILE** PLEASE SEND UPDATED DETAILS. THERE IS LIMITED SPACE SO PLEASE ONLY LIST THE TIME AND CONTACT No.

> Ned. Herv. Kerk Outeniqua Telefoon: 044 - 8712125

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NG Kerk Sedgefield: 08.45am Karatara: 10.30am Ds. Marius Coetzee 079 873 3832 Kerkkantoor (044) 343 2033

NG Kerk Die Vleie, Hoekwil Ds. Dawie le Roux 084 532 9958 Kantoor: 078 965 3651

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Sedgefield Christian Church Sunday services @ 09h00 Kairos Jnr & Snr Youth SAT 6pm-8pm Pastor Juan & Tammy Pienaar 081 749 2534 info@sedgefieldchurch.co.za

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4. Soon, the gorilla in captivity

5. Mats turn-over in a show of

7. Fine eccentric uncle who has

9. They are the voice of those who

27. Sear 28. Legends 29. Admirer

8. Care in hospitals is terrible she 19. The first two beneath the

cannot speak in the entertainment political party on board the ship.

15. Horologist annoyed at those 23. Previous wife I leave short in

Across: 1. Lengths 5. Spooner 10. Lose 11. Spin Doctor

19. Dishonour 23. Ligament 24. Mortar 26. Look down on

12. Listed 13. Educator 14. Landscape 16. Wagyu 17. Leant

Down: 2. Exotica 3. Guest 4. Hasidic 6. Podium 7. Once again

who have gotten some things a far-off place. (5)

was constantly moving. (2,3,2)

staying power. (7)

relates. (6)

industry. (14)

done, at least. (6,3)

power in some circles. (9)

SEDGE GENTS' GOLF

5/10/23

Some golfers rarely associate with the same ball long enough to establish a meaningful relationship. Sometimes they reject assistance in looking for a ball, wanting to be alone in their moment of loss. Then they miraculously find their ball not in the deep rough where it was headed, but on the edge of the fairway. This is the work of the Golf-ball Fairy. This wood nymph is tacitly credited with a wide variety of deeds that improve the lie of the ball. However, golf is an honourable game which relies on the individual recording his or her correct score and the only other sport to demand this is fishing.

The day's competition was betterball stableford, and the winners, all with the correct score (as the G.C. club has no fairies) were firstly Glen Mauchline and Garth Schooling with a credible 47 points. They were followed Pierre de Villiers and Henry Crowther on 45 after a count-out with Theo Pelser and Warren Geyser. In fourth position were Derek van Zyl and Jan Potgieter with 44 points.

Some players were also simultaneously playing the final games of the Annual I.P.S. Knockout competition and this year's cup winner is Jan Potgieter who demolished his opposition with a great score of 41 points.

The players welcomed back Andre de Wet after a six month excursion in the U.S. of A, the Captain especially mentioning how deeply thankful they were that Andre had not assumed a Donald Trump accent.

16. Sense that the number

surrounding the affirmative is..

18. Sailor has beard trimmed

before drink affects his hearing.

20. Set your sights on the

sound of rumbling. (7)

12/10/23

It was another glorious day for golf and for the Pink Walk which is another name for the pink ball fourball alliance competition. For the uninitiated this works as follows: each player in the fourball is given, alternately, a chance to play the pink ball to the hole. The significance of this is that the pink ball counts double and in so doing improves the team's chance of winning some wine. However, if a player loses the ball the team's chances of winning are zero and herein lies the rub as each player has the stress of firstly hitting a reasonable drive and then at least parring the hole to double the points he would normally have received. One can imagine the excitement (or angst) this generates amongst the members. The Captain was devastated at the end of the game to learn that no pink balls had been lost. The top teams were firstly Messrs Potgieter, Hubberstey, Herbst and Spencer who just pipped Lotter, Moult and Pahl with a ghost player (as they were a three ball).

The day did not go without miracles and at least two were attributed to Brian Stewart. On the long par four 3rd hole his drive of the pink ball managed to bounce five times on the water before it reached the

SEDGEFIELD COMMUNITY **CHARITY EVENTS CALENDAR 2023**

Venues and times will be published closer to the event date.

November 04/11 NG Karatara Bazaar 04/11 Anything That Floats 04/11 Dynarobics Amazing Race 11/11 Lions Battle of the **Buskers** 19/11 TLG Golf Day

embankment and then on the 13th after driving the pink ball short of the hole, his following shot was rocketing over the green when it hit the flag, not the stick, only to land next to the hole to earn him six points. Such is the power of prayer.

There was much joy when the Captain reminded all that the following week's competition would be the monthly Legends Restaurant competition.

broomstick accidents reported

CLUB COMPETITIONS:-

Final of the Singles

Championship played on

Tuesday 17 October will be:

Men - Luke vs Neels, and

Ladies - Wendy vs Mary. Good

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luck and good bowling.

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Club News

BEWARE - MAN AT WORK It's that time of the year again when the greens have to be closed so that fertilising, levelling and refurbishing can be done. Jolly hard work, and we are so thankful that we have Charles and his helpers keeping them in tip top condition.

LADIES' COMPETITIONS:

The Sedgefield Ladies have been out and about playing in various 'Ladies' Days with lots of success. In the Knysna Ladie's Day they won 1st, 3rd and 7th place! The Witches of the club then climbed onto their broom sticks and flew down to Mossel Bay for Halloween time and came within the first places! (No

PROTEA 6'S **COMPETITION**

9th November - List on the notice board for teams.

EDEN COMPETITIONS:

Congratulations to Robin Gibbs and Luke Hugill on being chosen to play in the Eden Open Masters Competition on the 28/29 October at George Bowling Club. Good luck and bring the trophy home.

ENTERTAINMENT: A big thanks to GERRY BOTHA for organising the bring and braai on both Saturday and Sunday for those watching the rugby games. There will be a big turnout for the next games so get your stuff ready to spend plenty of time at the club. I am sure Gerry will need lots of helpers controlling the crowd and lighting the fires.

As October is cancer awareness month Wednesday and Saturday social bowls will be in pink or nearest, or fines will be paid.

WELCOME BACK – Croeso yn ol adref (welcome back home) to Taffy Edwards.

That's all for this week- be good, be safe and enjoy the game!

NEAREST THE KITTY

The Wine Ghost

The Wine Ghost tasted -Beyerskloof Synergy Cape **Blend 2015**

This wine's front label is very traditional and the back label indicates a fair amount of information about the typical Cape Red Blend (Pinotage,

Merlot, Cabernet, Shiraz) The solid cork showed no form of leakage or deterioration, although the wine had lain down for quite a few years. The colour is dark and shows a

brown rim in the glass, which indicates that it is an older wine. Interesting short legs.
No flaws on the nose. Red

plum, All Spice and Cloves were some of the aromas experienced. It is a very well balanced wine

that covers the whole mouth. The red plums carry through from the nose to the mouth. Hints of walnut lead to a slight bitter taste.

The Synergy has a long mouth feel. Nuances of the silver paper in a Van Rijn's cigarette box, walnuts and red plums



The Wine Ghost was privileged to taste such an excellent wine, true to Beyerskloof, with a juicy piece of Sirloin steak! If cellared carefully, this wine will continue to develop in the bottle for up to ten years.

The price range is between R120 and R140.

In Vino Veritas, till next time.

SEDGEFIELD BRIDGE CLUB

59.0% Judy + Toni 55.5% Mary + Terry 3 Irene + Linda 54.1% 9 October:

56.5% Irene + Linda 53.5%

SOCIAL BRIDGE SCHOOL

5 October

1st: Clive & Brian 2nd: Louise & Jeannie (tie): Koos & Thinus

12 October

1st: Christine & Gail B 2nd: Mike & Mark 3rd: Louise & Jeannie

fellow is the one who cracks it! 8. Economy 9. Side splitting 15. Don't ask me 18. Episode 20. Hominid 21. Unaware 22. Second 25. Rosti (14)

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Pam + Colin

2 October:

3 52.9% Paul + Rodney

THE SPORTS EDGE

NEXT EDGE: Wednesday 01 November 2023 - Issue 677 PLEASE NOTE OUR DEADLINES DISPLAY ADS: Email to editor@edgenews.co.za by 26 October 2023 **DS:** (stuff for sale, jobs, get-rich-quick schemes, secret treasure hints) accounts@edgenews.co.za by Monday 30 October 2023

OTTER DONE & DUSTED

Wow what a journey, even after having run this race before it felt as if it was the first time. The weather forecast of heavy winds and buckets of rain leading up to the event had everyone on tenterhooks., the organisers most of all. Luckily the weather played out a lot tamer. We did start in the rain, but within two or so kilometres it was of no consequence as our bodies acclimatised and warmed up. Ultimately it turned into a lighter drizzle and large parts of the day were rain free, leading to a pretty much perfect running day.

It was slippery and muddy underfoot, so going was more cautious than on a dry year. Bloukrans was on show and provided us with an exciting crossing which included the use of ropes with buoys slung across the river mouth with numerous lifesavers on duty in and out of the water. No such luck of being able to skip across as in prior years, this was a full baptism. Although the tide was going out, the waves would push back and crash over us. Fortunately the ropes did their job, and all crossed successfully.

"Dit was flippen lekka; Oh my hat!!" said Zelda Delport at the finish line. Its bigger than big in its intensity, but beautiful at the same time. What stood out was the comradery on the field, hectic Bloukrans crossing and taking it easy enough to enjoy



Local Otter runners and their times:- Back row. Chris de Jager 7hrs40min, Danielle de Jager 6h59m; Ida van de Wetering 7h41m, Hans van de Wetering 7h29m, Matty Smith 7h41m, Kyle Smith 6h26, Front row: Nicolette Brouwer 7h43m (1st Lady master), Megan Belton 7h17m, Sveta Becker 6h21m (Not in pic:- Zelda Delport 8h46m)

the forest and views. As captured by a friend "I love that about running...its that together-alone

Fellow-runner Matty Dalen-Smith captured our feelings in a message on our running group "To all you rockstars who make running so much fun. Lekka support, love, motivation, encouragement, and friendship...cheers!! We have a pretty solid trail group!'

Here's to future Otter's for those who the race beckons!

Our local U/13 soccer stars 'Young Boys' have done it again - bringing home the winner's trophy in the Knysna Municipality sponsored 'Spring Cup' tournament.

This followed on from their victory earlier this year when they took the top honours in the Oyster Festival Tournament.

Proud coach Joseph Mxoleli described his young team's rise through this most recent competition without loss.

"We played our first matches on 3 October in Hornlee. Firstly against Angels FC, winning 6:1 , and then against Oupad who we beat 4-1," he said.

This took the Young Boys through to the semi's on 6 October, when they met with their fellow Sedgefielders of the Smuts United team on the Smutsville sportsfield. The Young Boys continued their winning streak, knocking their close rivals out of the tournament 4 - 2 and securing a place in the finals.

An exciting match against Pine Stars FC on their nome soil in Rheenendal ensued, with Young Boys' Captain

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YOUNG BOYS FC WIN AGAIN



Lindokuhle Nkohla leading the goal while he was outside the Titans, and with the home team talented team of young lads unable to answer with any score further afield to play other teams, at all, the Young Boys were and he is eager to find a sponsor

"I am so am very happy about way by scoring his team's first their performance," said the coach, "Especially now they box. Later in the match a second have won two trophies in a row!" was scored by left winger Kuhle Joseph would like to take this

to assist with costs of fuel and additional soccer balls. These young players look set to excel in their sporting careers and will certainly become mentors for other children to emulate in the future.

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TIDE TABLE

18 Oct - 31 Oct 2023

Wed Oct 18 2023 low tides 11:02 23:32 high tides 05:14 17:20 sunrise 05:44 sunset 18:44 moonrise 07:44 moonset 22:45

Thu Oct 19 2023 low tide 11:36 high tides 05:48 17:57 sunrise 05:43 sunset 18:45 moonrise 08:29 moonset 23:50 Fri Oct 20 2023

high tides 06:28 18:43 sunrise 05:42 sunset 18:46 moonrise 09:25 moonset -

Sat Oct 21 2023 low tides 00:55 13:23 high tides 07:26 19:53 sunrise 05:41 sunset 18:47 moonrise 10:28 moonset 00:50

Sun Oct 22 2023 low tides 02:11 15:57 high tides 09:20 22:02 sunrise 05:40 sunset 18:48 moonrise 11:37 moonset 01:42

Mon Oct 23 2023 low tides 05:08 18:00 high tides 11:36 23:56 sunrise 05:38 sunset 18:49 moonrise 12:49 moonset 02:27

Tue Oct 24 2023 low tides 06:28 18:57 high tide 12:37 sunrise 05:37 sunset 18:50 moonrise 14:01 moonset 03:05

Wed Oct 25 2023 low tides 07:13 19:39 high tides 00:56 13:21 sunrise 05:36 sunset 18:51 moonrise 15:11 moonset 03:39

Thu Oct 26 2023 low tides 07:51 20:17 high tides 01:41 14:00 sunrise 05:35 sunset 18:51 moonrise 16:21 moonset 04:09

Fri Oct 27 2023

low tides 08:25 20:53 high tides 02:21 14:37 sunrise 05:34 sunset 18:52 moonrise 17:31 moonset 04:39 Sat Oct 28 2023

low tides 08:58 21:28 high tides 02:59 15:14 sunrise 05:33 sunset 18:53 moonrise 18:40 moonset 05:09

Sun Oct 29 2023 low tides 09:31 22:02 high tides 03:36 15:49 sunrise 05:32 sunset 18:54 moonrise 19:51 moonset 05:42

Mon Oct 30 2023 low tides 10:03 22:35 high tides 04:12 16:25 sunrise 05:31 sunset 18:55 moonrise 21:01 moonset 06:17

Tue Oct 31 2023 low tides 10:36 23:07 high tides 04:47 16:58 sunrise 05:30 sunset 18:56

Full Moon 28 October 2023

