

FABULOUSLY FLORA EVERGREEN PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION

Budding flora photographers have a chance to bloom in our new annual competition to find the best photograph depicting a spray of flowers, shrubs and /or trees from our village.

All residents are invited to get out their cameras and start clicking away, taking pictures of the fabulous show in our gardens.

Pictures must be submitted by the 25th of each month to stand a chance to win fame and fortune in our annual competition. Submissions will be posted on our Evergreen Facebook page and the winner will be announced in December.

Submit your favourite photograph to Andrea Witte at and it may find itself on the pages of our monthly national Evergreen newsletter. Please note that the image resolution must be a minimum of 300dpi

If you have any queries or require any further information, please contact the Village Manager,





MUSIC NIGHT

WEDNESDAY, 19 APRIL AT 7:00pm

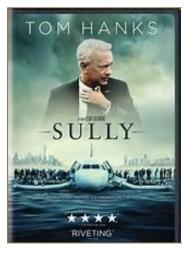
Our monthly music night will take place on Wednesday, 19 April at 7:00pm and as usual, a delightful programme will be presented.



You are welcome to bring your own wine and refreshments on the evening. Please call Herman Poelmann on Ext 115, if you would like to attend, for catering and seating purposes.

MOVIE NIGHT - SULLY -

SATURDAY, 22 APRIL AT 7:00pm



Tom Hanks stars in this thrilling portrait of a heroic airline pilot Chesley "Sully" Sullenberger, reenacting his incredible successful emergency landing of an Airbus A320 full of passengers on the Hudson River.

The film follows Sullenberger's January 2009 emergency landing of US Airways Flight 1549 on the Hudson River, in which all 155 passengers and crew survived with only minor injuries, and the subsequent publicity and investigation.

You are welcome to bring your own refreshments.

Please contact Elda Diana-Oliario on Ext 155 for any additional information.

TECH-TALK COFFEE BREAK



MONDAY, 24 APRIL at 10:30am

We will be holding our IT/Technology Coffee Break in the clubhouse at 10:30am on Monday, 24 April to talk about the benefits of WhatsApp and smart cell phones. All residents, are welcome to attend. Send the Village Manager an e-mail highlighting your problems to ensure that Kyle Knight, our IT specialist, can address these issues.

Please contact Andréa on Ext 300 and confirm your attendance for seating purposes.



EASTER SUNDAY TRADITIONAL ROAST LUNCH

SUNDAY, 16 APRIL - 12:30

Pickled Fish

Roast Lamb served with mint sauce, Roast Potatoes & Seasonal Vegetables

Easter Surprise R150.00 per person

Please book and pay for lunch with Andréa at reception on Ext 300.

A Sunday Roast Lunch will be held on the third Sunday of every month. For additional information, please call Yvonne Whitford (Ext 114)





THURSDAY, 4 MAY at 9:00am

Our next men's only breakfast is set to take place on Thursday, 04 May at 09h00 and all men are welcome. Come and enjoy a hearty breakfast and coffee. Please make every effort to attend.

Please book with Andréa at reception or call Ext 300. Price R60pp.

For additional information, please call Ton Weber on Ext 105



WEDDING **ANNIVERSARY** CELEBRATIONS

We would like to congratulate Les & Sylvia Lategan; Koos & Trula Human and Ton & Anneke Weber who will be celebrating their wedding anniversaries this month. Congratulations!



The following shows are being presented by the Fugard in April/May:

MADAM BUTTERFLY The Royal Opera House

23 April

HEDDA GABLER

The National Theatre

30 April

CONTEMPORARY **EVENING**

The Bolshoi Ballet

7 May

AMADEUS

The National Theatre

14 May

The Fugard Theatre is fitted with state-of-theart cinema equipment that transforms the beautiful space into a fully functioning Bioscope. Screenings have proven very popular amongst the theatre audiences with record attendances.

To book your seats, please call the Box Office on 021 461 4554



Two beauty queens meet up by chance (L-R) Toetie van Reenen and Penny Rey celebrating "the good times" at a mutual friend's birthday party.

BEAUTY QUEENS LINK-UP

Two very beautiful ladies met at a birthday party last week to celebrate a mutual friend's birthday. Toetie van Reenen (Avelyn MaCaskill - Miss South Africa, 1948). After her reign she went to London where she attended the Royal Academy of Dramatic Art, Capab Opera Chorus and the Philharmonic Choir (1983). She married Ronnie van Reenen and eventually settled in Cape Town and they retired to Evergreen Bergyliet.

Penny Rey (Penny Coelen - Miss South Africa and Miss World in 1958). After returning to South Africa, she married her first love, Michael Rey, whom she met when she was 16. Michael was a sugar-cane farmer at Umhlali, outside Durban.



MONDAY & WEDNESDAY 12:30 - 14:00

Main Course & Coffee/Tea – R65.00pp And with dessert – R80.00pp

A light lunch meal is offered in the clubhouse on a first come, first served basis each Monday and Wednesday between 12:30pm and 2:00pm.

An SMS will be sent out by 10am on the day advising you of the menu or call reception on Ext 300 to find out what is being served for lunch. These meals are also available to take-away. Last orders must in by 1:30pm

Please book and pay for lunch with Andréa at reception on Ext 300.

SOUTH AFRICAN 'DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER' THEME DINNER

FRIDAY, 28 APRIL at 7pm



Join us for a lovely South African three course buffet 'potjie' dinner in the clubhouse on Friday, 28 April at 6:30pm for 7:00pm.

R150.00 per person

Please book and pay for dinner with Andréa at reception on Ext 300. We kindly ask that you book and pay by no later than 12-noon on Tuesday, 25 April for catering purposes.

No-shows or cancellations after this date will unfortunately have to be charged.

MAINTENANCE



We kindly request that should you wish to report any internal maintenance issues that you complete the form available at reception and hand this signed form in to Andréa for her to log the job with our maintenance team.

No job will be log without this form.



TRAVEL TALK

WEDNESDAY, 3 MAY at 3:30pm

Flight Centre Constantia invites all Bergvliet residents to Trafalgar's Travel Talk to be held in the clubhouse on Wednesday, 3 May at 3:30pm which will be followed by a cheese & wine get-together.

Please RSVP to Andréa on Ext 300 by Tuesday, 18 April for seating and catering purposes.

TRAFALGAR



I wandered lonely as a cloud

I wandered lonely as a cloud That floats on high o'er vales and hills, When all at once I saw a crowd, A host, of golden daffodils; Beside the lake, beneath the trees, Fluttering and dancing in the breeze.

Continuous as the stars that shine
And twinkle on the milky way,
They stretched in never-ending line
Along the margin of a bay:
Ten thousand saw I at a glance,
Tossing their heads in sprightly dance.

The waves beside them danced; but they Out-did the sparkling waves in glee:
A poet could not but be gay,
In such a jocund company:
I gazed- and gazed- but little thought
What wealth the show to me had brought:

For oft, when on my couch I lie In vacant or in pensive mood, They flash upon that inward eye Which is the bliss of solitude; And then my heart with pleasure fills, And dances with the daffodils.

William Wordsworth

CLUBS & ACTIVITIES

AGELESS GRACE – Held every Thursday morning at 10:30am.

The **BRIDGE CLUB** meets every Monday at 2:00pm. Please call Herman Poelmann on Ext 115 to confirm attendance.

The **BOOK CLUB** meets on the first Wednesday of every month at 11:00am and is run by Vivienne Docherty. Please call her on Ext 158 for further details.

The **COLOUR-IN ART GROUP** meets every Friday at 10:30am. Please call reception on Ext 300 to confirm attendance.

The **LIBRARY** in the clubhouse is now well stocked and residents are very welcome to make use of it.

PETANQUE/BOULE - We encourage residents to come along on any Friday afternoon at 3:00pm, weather permitting.

SCRABBLE is going strong with enthusiastic ladies pitting their wits against each other on Tuesday afternoons at 2:00pm



ALL ABOARD STEAM TRAIN TRIP TO CERES

SATURDAY, 20 MAY (6am - 5pm)

The Ceres Railway Line offers a unique way for visitors to experience the Ceres valley whilst being immersed in 100-year old history. The trip features breath-taking scenery, and the excitement of travelling in a restored and refurbished old locomotive and coach.

Our plan is to travel by steam train from Cape Town to Ceres, be collected by a coach at the station, have a delicious lazy lunch at Waverly, a beautiful organic wine farm in the area and then wend our weary way home in comfort. The cost for the day's outing will be in the region of R600.00 excluding refreshments, lunch and wine.

If you are interested in experiencing a bit of old world charm, please RSVP by no later than Wednesday, 26 April for us to secure our berths aboard this majestic train. Call Andréa on Ext 300 to book your place.

TUESDAY SOCIAL DINNER

7:00pm – Clubhouse RAMBLING ROSE

TUESDAY 04 APRIL 2017

Mild and Fruity Chicken Curry served with fragrant rice and sambals

OR

Braised Steak & Onions served with mash potatoes and seasonal vegetables

Old Cape Brandy Tart /Vanilla Ice Cream Coffee / Tea

TUESDAY 18 APRIL 2017

Roasted Chicken Breast wrapped in bacon

OR

Pork & Pineapple Skewers

served with sauté potatoes, caramelised onions and season vegetables

Bread & Butter Pudding & Cinnamon Custard
Coffee / Tea

TUESDAY 11 APRIL 2017

Beef Stroganoff

OR

Grilled Hake with a rich tomato sauce

served with parsley rice and seasonal vegetables

Crepe Suzette and Ice Cream Coffee / Tea

TUESDAY 25 APRIL 2017

Chicken, Leek and Mushroom with pastry crust

OR

Kassler Chop and Apricot Glaze

served with new potatoes and honey roasted vegetables

Fresh Fruit Salad & Vanilla Ice-Cream Coffee / Tea

All reservations must be booked with Andréa at reception on Ext 300. The meal price is R115.00 per person.

We kindly ask that you book and pay by no later than 12-noon on Monday for catering purposes. Unfortunately NO late bookings will be accepted. No-shows or last minute cancellations will unfortunately have to be charged

Please note that NO crockery/glassware will be allowed out of the clubhouse going forward. Should you not wish to take advantage of our take-away dishes then you will have to bring your own container, clearly marked with your name, prior to the evening meal.

