



Village Times



OCTOBER 2017



ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR

The *Bergvliet Arts & Crafts Fair* was an incredibly successful day. It featured arts and crafts of creative residents from all Evergreen Villages who displayed their paintings, pottery, sculptures, needle craft, hand-made-toys as well as greeting cards and photography. One of the highlights was Felicity Walker's miniature Doll House (left) which featured extraordinary detail in the tiny exhibition.



Top (L-R) Jill Dower makes beautiful paper Christmas decorations and sweet felt mice; Maria Koen's homemade cards to celebrate any occasion.

(Middle row L-R) Jenny Barclay sews tablecloths, napkins and placemats; Elda Diana-Oliaro's family home grown and bottled LongThin Farm olive oil; Yolanda Bondsmith makes traditional Christmas Cakes to order

(Bottom row) Toetie van Reenen's painting and tapestry chair.

Pictures courtesy of Don Campbell

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COFFEE BREAK

MONDAY, 23 OCTOBER AT 10:30AM

We will be holding our IT/Technology Coffee Break in the clubhouse at 10:30am on Monday, 23 October to talk about the benefits of IT. Kyle Knight, our IT specialist, will address any questions you may have.

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



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5	Nadine Jones	Unit 47
9	Amanda Bester	Unit 34
13	David Gretton	Unit 03
16	Anneke Weber	Unit 05
	Chris Newton	Unit 61
	Rona Siegfried	Unit 50
18	Colin Levine	Unit 12
23	Gill Blackman	Unit 29

MOVIE NIGHT

- **KING ARTHUR** -

SATURDAY, 21 OCTOBER AT 7:00pm

After the murder of his father, young Arthur's power-hungry uncle Vortigern (Jude Law) seizes control of the crown. Robbed of his birth right, Arthur (Charlie Hunnam) grows up the hard way in the back alleys of the city. But once he pulls the sword from the stone, he is forced to acknowledge his true legacy.



You are welcome to bring your own refreshments.

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

SUNDAY LUNCH

15 OCTOBER - 12:30



Salmon, Feta & Spinach pastry

Beef fillet served with béarnaise sauce

Potatoes Wedges

Seasonal Vegetables

Peppermint, caramel & cream tart

R150.00 per person

Please book and pay for lunch with Andréa at reception on Ext 300 by no later than Thursday, 12 October. For additional information, please call Yvonne Whitford (Ext 114)



THURSDAY, 2 NOVEMBER at 9:00am

Our next men only breakfast will take place on Thursday, 02 November at 09h00 and all men are invited to enjoy a hearty breakfast and coffee. Please make every effort to attend. 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 John & Gill Blackman who will be celebrating their wedding anniversary this month. Congratulations!

STAFF NURSE APPOINTED

Staff Nurse Yandeka Mhkize has joined our healthcare team at Bergvliet and is available in the clinic from Monday to Friday from 7am – 4pm. She has extensive nursing experience and we are glad to welcome her to our village.



EN Mhkize will be doing follow-up health assessment to update your records and will be calling residents to set up appointments. Please call her on Ext 206 if you need any assistance.



Our Lucky Draw is a way to raise funds by the village entertainment committee in order to provide live music, décor and a variety of items for the benefit of residents.

SEPTEMBER DRAW WINNER: HERMAN POELMANN

Three tickets costs R50.00 and the draw sheet is available at reception. Buy your ticket for our next draw which will take place on **Tuesday, 31 OCTOBER 2017**



Mayor Patricia de Lille has declared the City of Cape Town a disaster area, in order to manage the drought and the city's dwindling water supply, which is predicted to run out in 121 days if dam levels and water consumption remain unchanged.

The disaster plan includes throttling to reduce water pressure, zoned water outages and the introduction of limited water supplies available at designated water collection points. This is what is in store for residents in the Western Cape.

De Lille said she had informed the provincial Disaster Management Centre of the declaration, as well Anton Bredell, MEC for local government, environmental affairs and development planning and as only the national Disaster Management Centre could authorise a disaster area.

BABYLONSTOREN



THURSDAY, 26 OCTOBER

08:00am to 4:00pm

R180 per person

Set within eight acres of cultivated fruit and vegetables, the big garden at Babylonstoren is at the heart of the farm. It was inspired by the historic Company's Garden in Cape Town, which supplied sailing ships of the Dutch East India Company with fresh vegetables and fruit during the days when the Cape was a halfway station between Europe and Asia. But we also link back to the mythological hanging gardens of Babylon. Those were thought to have been created by Nebuchadnezzar in the sixth century BC, for his wife who longed for the mountains and valleys of her youth.

Join our large group of Evergreen residents. Contact Andréa to book and pay for your ticket by no later than Wednesday, 11 October - our extended deadline

Please note that payment of R180.00 secures your booking*

*The trip is subject to a group of 28 residents and includes return bus transport and one entry ticket. It does not include any meals or refreshments.

Remember to wear comfortable shoes, bring a hat, in summer and wellies plus an umbrella in winter and put on some sunscreen.

A famous Swedish proverb holds:
There ain't no bad weather, just the wrong clothes.

THEME DINNER

FRIDAY, 27 OCTOBER at 7pm

R150.00 per person

Join us for our "Halloween" theme dinner in the clubhouse on Friday, 27 October.

Please meet for pre-dinner drinks at 6:30.



Book and pay for dinner with Andréa at reception on Ext 300 by no later than 12-noon on Monday, 23 October for catering purposes. No-shows or cancellations after this date will have to be charged.

We encourage all residents to "DRESS-UP" and enter into the spirit of Halloween – it promises to be a fun evening.

MAINTENANCE

We kindly request that you report any internal maintenance problems by completing the form available at reception and handing it to Andréa, who in turn will log the job with the maintenance team.



Please note that no action will be taken without this maintenance form

The Good-Morrow

I wonder, by my troth, what thou and I
Did, till we loved? Were we not weaned till then?
But sucked on country pleasures, childishly?
Or snorted we in the Seven Sleepers' den?
'Twas so; but this, all pleasures fancies be.
If ever any beauty I did see,
Which I desired, and got, 'twas but a dream of thee.

And now good-morrow to our waking souls,
Which watch not one another out of fear;
For love, all love of other sights controls,
And makes one little room an everywhere.
Let sea-discoverers to new worlds have gone,
Let maps to other, worlds on worlds have shown,
Let us possess one world, each hath one, and is one.

My face in thine eye, thine in mine appears,
And true plain hearts do in the faces rest;
Where can we find two better hemispheres,
without sharp north, without declining west?
Whatever dies, was not mixed equally;
If our two loves be one, or, thou and I
Love so alike, that none do slacken, none can die. .

John Donne

CLUBS & ACTIVITIES

The **BRIDGE CLUB** meets every Monday at 2:00pm. Please call Paddy Ball on Ext 107 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 or Sunday morning at 10:00, weather permitting.

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

VILLAGE MUSIC NIGHT

WEDNESDAY, 18 OCTOBER AT 7:00pm



André Rieu is a Dutch violinist and conductor. He is best known for creating the waltz-playing Johann Strauss Orchestra.

He has turned classical and waltz music into a worldwide concert touring act, as successful as some of the biggest global pop and rock music acts. The Orchestra, which began in 1987 with 12 members now performs with between 40 and 50 musicians globally.

It promises to be a very well-supported night and we encourage you to call Herman Poelmann on Ext 115, if you would like to attend, for seating purposes and catering (salty snacks). You are welcome to bring your own wine and refreshments on the evening.

LADIES PAMPER MORNING

WEDNESDAY, 11 OCTOBER



½ HOUR FREE FACIAL SESSION,
½ HOUR MANICURE OR ½ HOUR PEDICURE

By appointment only between 09h00 -12h00
Cost R50– R70

Book and pay Andréa
by no later than Tuesday, 10 October



Bring & share a plate of finger snacks/cakes to enjoy
with a cup of tea/coffee/juice or BYO

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2017

October

5	Men's Breakfast
11	Ladies Pamper Morning
15	Sunday Lunch
18	Music Night
21	Movie Night
23	IT Coffee Break
26	Babylonstoren Outing
27	Halloween Theme Dinner

November

2	Men's Breakfast
11	Movie Night
19	Sunday Lunch
24	St Andrews Theme Evening
27	IT Coffee Break

December

8	Year End Function
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January

2	First Tuesday Social Dinner
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**Events are subject to change without notice*

COMMENCEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION IN BARNE ROAD

Please be advised that phase 4 construction of thirteen houses in Barne Road will commence shortly. The property will be accessed from Barn Road for construction purposes. Civils 2000 (Pty) Ltd has been appointed to proceed with construction of roads and services.

We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause and we appreciate your understanding as we continue to improve our village experience.



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Above (L-R) Peter & Jean de Villiers from Diep River who make knitted beanies and “singing” cards; Lake Michelle’s Knitwit groups produce a range of embroidered tablecloths, cushions and clothing



Above (L-R) Paddy Ball displayed a selection of paintings; Colleen Welsh from Diep River has a lovely range of knitted toys and Clare Bergh displayed her artwork.



(L-R) Don Campbell had a fantastic selection of photographs and Chris Kihn from Diep River, displayed his homemade storage



Above (Left) Mike Uys knitted this pure wool jersey, Clare Bergh’s handmade pottery and Christine Dempers displayed her handmade plates and ceramic painting. (Right) Mike Uys displayed his detailed tapestry work.

TUESDAY SOCIAL DINNER

7:00pm – Clubhouse

RAMBLING ROSE

Tuesday 10 October 2017

Chicken breast with spinach & feta stuffing served with savoury rice

OR

Mince curry served with basmati rice, roti & sambals, sautéed cabbage and cinnamon carrots

Milk tart with fig coulis & cream
Coffee / Tea

Tuesday 17 October 2017

Oriental chicken with sesame & ginger served on noodles

OR

Crumbed pork steak and apple sauce served with sauté potatoes, roasted butternut & broccoli/cauliflower bake

Chocolate mousse & cream
Coffee / Tea

Tuesday 24 October 2017

Beef lasagne & roasted rosa tomatoes, garlic bread & mixed salad

OR

Baked fish with olive and anchovy sauce served with seasonal vegetables and sauté potatoes

Tiramisu
Coffee / Tea

Tuesday 31 October 2017

Fish cakes on mashed potato served with a tomato 'smoor'

OR

Bangers and mash with a caramelised onion gravy served with seasonal veg

A trio of ice cream with toasted almond
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 be charged**

Please note that NO crockery/glassware will be allowed out of the clubhouse going forward. We kindly request that you provide your own container, clearly marked with your name prior to the evening meal, if you have ordered take-away meals.