

COLD BUFFET LUNCH 16 DECEMBER 2018 - 12:30 R175.00 per person



Please book and pay for the Xmas Cold Buffet Lunch with Andréa at reception (Ext 300) by no later than Friday, 14 December.

For additional information, please call Yvonne Whitford (Ext 114).

MAINTENANCE DURING DECEMBER



Please log any <u>urgent</u> maintenance with Andréa at reception during December. Our maintenance team is available to attend to urgent matters and we have a list of contractors who are available over the festive season.

END OF YEAR MESSAGE

I am truly blessed to work for Evergreen in a wonderful village such as Bergvliet. I wake up every morning and am grateful that I get to spend my work days with lovely, friendly residents in parklike surroundings, working with staff who are kind and helpful.

I can't believe that the year has flown by so quickly. It seems like only the other day that we were talking of new developments, building 13 new houses and 22 apartments as well as a brand new clubhouse down the line. And we are about to open our doors to welcome residents moving into the newly built houses of Phase 4 and looking to residents moving into the apartments in Phase 5 later in the New Year.

I know that we shall do all we can to make our new residents feel welcome and get them settled into our wonderful community.



One of the joys of the holiday season is the opportunity to say thank you for your patience and goodwill. We appreciate your support throughout the year.

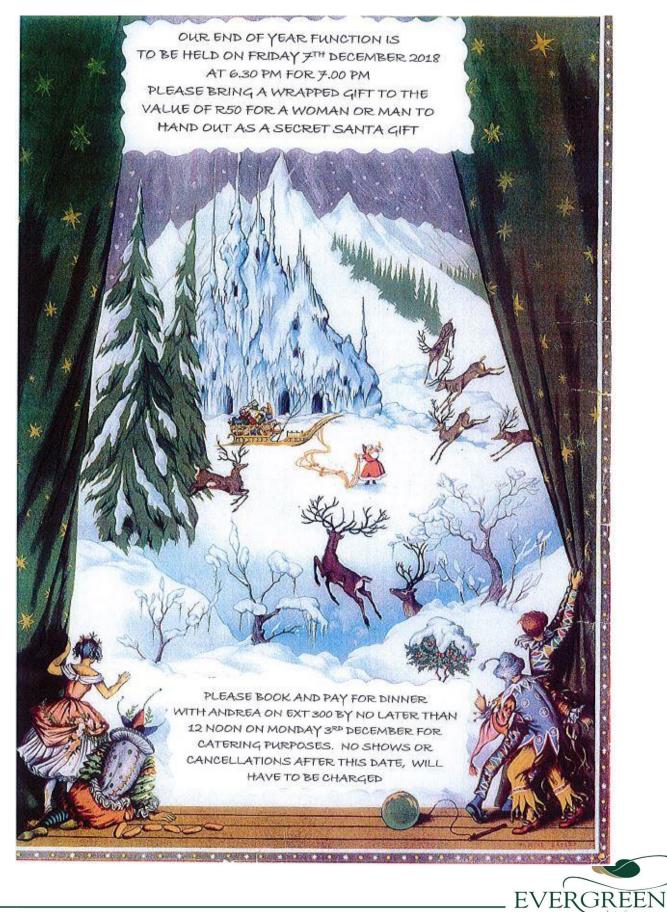
As we head into the festive season I should like to wish you and your family and friends season's greetings and every happiness throughout the coming year.

Yours sincerely Christine Dempers, Village Manager



BERGVLIET VILLAGE YEAR END FUNCTION

FRIDAY, 7 DECEMBER 2018 6:30pm for 7:00pm R185.00 per person



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EVERGREEN BERGVLIET SUNDOWNERS



THURSDAY, 10 JANUARY 2019 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Evergreen would like to invite all our residents to join management and staff for sundowners and snacks on the patio at the clubhouse on Thursday, 10 January at 6pm.

Please call Andréa at reception on Ext 300 to book for catering purposes

BINGO NIGHT



FRIDAY, 11 JANUARY at 6:00pm R60 per person

Please join us on Friday, 11 January at 6:00pm for a fun-filled Bingo evening in the clubhouse.

A light supper will be served. You are welcome to bring your own liquid refreshments.

There will be some lovely prizes on offer.

Please call reception on Ext 300 to book for catering and seating purposes.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES - DECEMBER/JANUARY -CONGRATULATIONS



We would like to congratulate Geoff & Jo Nixon, who will be celebrating their wedding anniversary in December and John & Amanda Bester and Robin & Annmaree Carter who celebrate their wedding anniversaries in January 2019. Congratulations!

MOVIE NIGHT - A GOOD YEAR-

SATURDAY, 5 JANUARY 2018 AT 7:00pm

London banker, Max Skinner (Russell Crowe) inherits his uncle's (Albert Finney) vineyard in Provence, where he spent many childhood holidays. He discovers a new laid-back lifestyle as he tries to renovate the estate to be sold. Upon his arrival, he meets a woman (Abbie Cornish) from California who tells Max she is his long-lost cousin and that the property is hers.



You are welcome to bring your own liquid refreshments. Please contact Paddy Fordyce on Ext 152 if you are planning to attend, for seating purposes. Our movie nights will be screened on the first Saturday of the every month.



MONTHLY MEN'S BREAKFAST



THURSDAY, 7 February at 9:00am

Our next Men's Breakfast will be held in February next year. We will hold it on the first Thursday every month.

Please make every effort to attend. Book with Andréa at reception or call Ext 300.

All Welcome.

For additional information, please call Ton Weber on Ext 105



Our monthly Lucky Draw is a way to raise funds by the Village Entertainment Committee to provide live music, décor and a variety of items for the benefit of residents.

OCTOBER 2018 WINNER # 49 – JEAN VAN RHYN

One ticket costs R20.00 and three tickets cost R50.00. The draw sheet is available at reception.

Buy your ticket for our next draw which will take place on **Tuesday, 27 November**

HAPPY BIRTHDAY DECEMBER 2018

3	Ton Weber	Unit 05
4	Eileen Rickard	Unit 09
7	Paddy Oberhofer	Unit 01
13	Michael Uys	Unit 08
15	Michelle Samson	Unit 26
17	Patrick O'Connell	Unit 62
20	Ronnie van Reenen	Unit 04
21	Donald Campbell	Unit 41
28	Dave Phillips	Unit 56
JANUARY 2019		
2	David Orton	Unit 31
6	Charlie Momsen	Unit 16
19	Jenni Uys	Unit 08
23	Marion Thompson	Unit 39
27	Haydn Jones	Unit 47
28	Jacky Orton	Unit 31

BABY GRACE NORAWANA



Baby Grace was born on 3 October at 7:30am to Amanda and Mfundo Norawana. She is already seven weeks old and a delight!





UPDATE ON DEVELOPMENTS ON BARN ROAD & STARKE ROAD

The house development in Barn Road has almost been completed and eight units are ready for handover to our new residents in December. The remaining five units are being finished off. Phase 4 has been incorporated into the village. The boundary fence has been removed and units 66 – 78 will now form part of Evergreen Bergvliet.

Apartments – The structure is almost complete (80%) and brickwork on the ground floor and first floor is underway. The first sections of the roof will be installed within the next two weeks.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

DECEMBER 2018

Fri, 7	End of Year Christmas Dinner	
Fri, 14	Pub Night	
Sun, 16	Sunday Cold Christmas Buffet	
Fri, 21	Carols Evening	
Mon, 31	New Year's Party	
JANUARY 2019		
Sat, 5	Movie Night	
Thu,10	Evergreen Sundowners	
Fri, 11	Bingo Night	
Sun, 20	Sunday Roast Lunch	
Fri, 25	"Burns Night" Theme Dinner	
FEBRUARY 2019		
Thu, 7	Men's Breakfast	
Thu, 7	Quiz Night	
Thu, 14	Evergreen Sundowners	
Sun, 20	Sunday Roast Lunch	
Fri, 22	Pub Evening	
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A RED, RED ROSE

O my Luve's like a red, red rose, That's newly sprung in June: O my Luve's like the melodie, That's sweetly play'd in tune.

As fair art thou, my bonie lass, So deep in luve am I; And I will luve thee still, my dear, Till a' the seas gang dry.

Till a' the seas gang dry, my dear, And the rocks melt wi' the sun; And I will luve thee still, my dear, While the sands o' life shall run.

And fare-thee-weel, my only Luve! And fare-thee-weel, a while! And I will come again, my Luve, Tho' 'twere ten thousand mile!.

ROBERT BURNS

CLUBS & ACTIVITIES



The **BRIDGE CLUB** meets every Monday at 2:00pm. Please call David Walker (Ext 142) or Herman Poelmann (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 **LIBRARY** in the clubhouse is 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 10:00am, weather permitting.

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

CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT FRIDAY, 21 DECEMBER – 6:00pm



Please join us for an informal 'Carols by Candlelight' evening in the clubhouse on Friday, 21 December at 6:00pm.

Andréa Abrahams will lead the carols and will be accompanied by a pianist.

Snacks will be provided by the CE&E committee and you are welcome to bring liquid refreshments.

Please book with with reception on Ext 300 by no later Thursday morning for seating and catering purposes.



END OF YEAR STAFF GIFT POLICY



We currently have a "no gift" policy with regards to our staff at all Evergreen villages.

This policy is relaxed over the Christmas period and we accept voluntary cntributions to a "Christmas fund" that will be managed by two members of Mancom and which will be distributed equally amongst the village staff just before the holidays.

Some residents may also wish to make specific contributions to individual staff members who they feel have given an above average personal service. Similarly, some residents might want to make additional contributions to "staff clusters" such as security, domestic and utility workers or gardening staff, to be shared between the specific teams. The "earmarking" of specific contributions is not discouraged, but the preferred option is to collect as much as possible for the general "Christmas fund" so that all employees receive a meaningful gift.

Please hand in your envelope to Andréa at reception who will collect it on behalf of Mancom, by no later than close of business on Monday, 10 December for distribution to village staff on Thursday, 13 December.





We invite all residents to join us in the Clubhouse to celebrate and welcome in the New Year on Monday night, 31 December. We are planning to have a lovely party to see in the New Year and a light meal will be provided. Please bring your own liquid refreshments (BYO).

Book and pay for the party at reception by no later than 2:00pm Friday, 28 December or call Joan Misplon on Ext 135 for further information.

BURNS NIGHT THEME DINNER FRIDAY, 25 JANUARY 2019 – 6:30pm

Born in Ayrshire in 1759, Robert Burns is Scotland's national bard. Affectionately known as 'the Ploughman Poet', his verses stand as a fitting testament to Scotland's proud literary history.

Please note that dressing up is not obligatory.

Book and pay for dinner at reception by no later than Tuesday, 22 January or call Andréa on Ext 300 for further information



SOCIAL DINNERS/THEME EVENINGS/ SUNDAY LUNCHES

The village functions including social dinners, theme evenings and Sunday lunches will continue to take place in the New Year and we would like to thank all those residents, old and new, who support this wonderful evening.

We wish to encourage everyone to attend the social dinners and theme evenings which take place in the clubhouse at 6:30pm for 7:00pm.



Our last social dinner in 2018 is on 18th December and the first social dinner in the New Year will be held on Tuesday, 8th January. It's a great opportunity to meet friends and chat whilst enjoying a delicious meal prepared by our function caterers, Rambling Rose. Please bring your own wine to the function evenings as no wine nor cooldrinks are for sale at the clubhouse.

Just a reminder that meal prices will increase on 01 December from R125 to R140 for the social evenings and from R165 to R175 for Sunday lunch (R60.00 for children under 12). Prices for the theme dinners will be advertised.

We kindly request that you book with Andréa at reception on Ext 300 by closing date to ensure that you are accommodated and the caterers can plan and prepare meals timeously.



HOPE HOUSE CHRISTMAS GIFT TOY BOX

We are doing a special Christmas gift drive for our designated village charity, *HOPE HOUSE* who offer counselling, addictions support and training to people of all races, religions and cultures who seek care and counselling at their care centres in Bergvliet, Tableview and Kuilsrivier.

We appeal to all residents to buy a small toy for a child between the ages of 0-12 years. Please place your gift in the box provided at reception and be sure to <u>identify the present</u> with a small label, including information on whether it's for a boy/girl and age. This will make it easier for distribution by "Santa" to the children.

We will be handing these gifts over to Hope House via Veronica Lamson (Unit 57) by no later than Friday, 14 December.

