



## RESCOM COMMUNIQUE

Communique No 202

18th June 2020

## Support for the Community continued

## Dear residents,

There are 138 occupied units in the village. I received 27 written responses opposing our proposals and 6 in support, so recalling my statement: "If I don't hear from you by Saturday 13th June, I'll understand that you approve of the proposals" we could have concluded that we had majority support and proceeded.

However, we were aware that our proposals had created a divide in the village. Noting that, the impassioned pleas to retain the 100+ club and with apologies to the silent majority we decided at our meeting on 11th June:

1. That the 100+ club would continue as before, i.e. approx. 50% of the proceeds will be paid out in prizes and the balance will remain in ResCom funds, to be used for the benefit of you, the residents.

We leave it to Heather and Trevor Morgan to continue their good work and to develop a system for the sale of tickets and the collection of money in this time of COVID 19. They are to decide on a date for the June draw.

- 2. ResCom would not, for now, launch a separate initiative to collect voluntary contributions to a fund to support the local community. Many residents indicated that they were already supporting their own charities and made it clear that they wouldn't support such an initiative.
- 3. Should any resident or group of residents wish to take up such an initiative, they will have ResCom's full support.

There were strongly worded, negative responses to the R6 000 donation made to the Lonehill Residents Association without your prior approval. Those views have been noted. We realise that we had erred and we apologise for that.

Hennie du Preez, Chairman.