



Dear Evergreener's

The year is over! December is filled with lots of exciting things to do. Join the Choir on Saturday 16 December at 3pm for an afternoon of Christmas Carol singing. It is also a special month for Christo as he ties the knot with Tatum on 17 December. We wish them all the best for their future. May they enjoy many memorable years together. Christine Smit has left Western Province Caterers and Ruben van Niekerk is overseeing the kitchen under the guidance of Ruan. We wish him well. Thank you to all who bought poppies to support SA Legion of Military Veterans. R412,75 was raised for this cause. Christmas Bingo takes place on 14 December with extra prizes up for grabs. Lastly, I would like to wish all our residents a blessed Christmas and joyous New Year. A big thank you to ALL our staff who work hard to make Muizenberg a great place to stay. Warm regards, Melanie.

Special Events to Diarise in December

*Friday, 1-Lunch time entertainment @ 12:00pm
*Wednesday, 6-Rescom @ 8h30am
*Thursday, 7-Mantelli's treats for sale @ 10am
*Thursday, 7-Kathy Struwig jewellery for sale @ 10am
*Thursday, 7-Kind to hearing from 10h00-13h00-Boardroom
*Thursday, 7-Deadline for handing in of Secret Santa gifts for Christmas Dinner
*Friday, 8-Christo & Tatum wedding gift handover @ 16h00
*Monday, 11-Christmas Dinner @ 7pm (Entertainment by Tony Hall)
*Thursday, 14-Christmas Bingo @ 5pm (R30: Book & pay reception)
*Saturday, 16-Christmas Carols with the Choir @ 3pm





Guy Mawika New Grinnell Supervisor



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Mrs Hassen Principle of **Capricorn Primary** accepting a gift from Evergreen Muizenberg for the school. The money raised at the Hobbies & Craft Fair in November and March were used to buy the school a much needed A3 laminating machine. What a wonderful way to end the year, by giving!

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It doesn't matter how big your house is, how much money you have, or that you wear expensive clothes. Our graves will be the same size. Stay humble.





A warm welcome to the newest members of the Evergreen family..... *Ingrid Rindfuss (Apart 346) *Fred & Marion Nelson (Apart 344) *Marieta Akhurst (Unit 7A)

We remember those we have lost..... •Joanne Banwell (Unit 12) •Brian King (Unit 48)



The **Hobbies & Craft Fair** held on 1 November was an afternoon enjoyed by both residents and visitors. Thank you to all who participated and to the committee headed by Ursula Law for all their hard work in making the day a success.















Be Happy Enjoy every moment of your life... Life is too short to waste on grudges... Laugh when you can, Apologize when you should... and let go of what you can't change...













Pat Swilling kindly donated an **all body work out machine** for the gym and did a demo to interested residents. A poster of how to use the machine is available in the gym. Thank you Pat!



Elroy Blaauw did a talk on Fire Safety on 1 November. Patrick Maile elaborated on the fire design of the building which residents found very informative.





Wittedrift Manor & Tulbagh Tourism presented on the beautiful town of Tulbagh. Residents were treated with lovely food & wine and lucky draws. Well done to Sophia McKellar who won a stay for two at Wittedrift Manor.





Angela Raynardt from **Mpact Recycling** and Michelle Becker, a finalist for Mrs South Africa spoke about the importance of recycling on 7 November. Well done to our Evergreenies for being passionate about recycling. Every little bit helps!



Residents enjoyed their trip to **Babylonstoren** on 26 October with residents from Evergreen Bergvliet and Diepriver.







Laughter is good medicine. Enjoy !

Jan, Piet, Koos en Gert speel Saterdag gholf.

So besluit die manne dat hulle op Kersdag ook wil speel maar hulle weet dit gaan moeilik by die vrouens verby kom Kersdag kom en almal daag op.

Jan: "Jissie manne, weet julle hoe duur het dit my gekos om hier te wees? Ek moes vir my vrou 'n diamantring koop!"

"Wat? Sê Piet. "Jy dink jy het duur betaal?! Ek moes vir my vrou 'n vakansie oorsee koop!!"

"Dis niks! Sê Koos. "Ek is die ergste af, ek moes vir my vrou 'n splinternuwe BMW koop!".

"Nee manne!" sê Gert. "Dit het my nie 'n sent gekos nie. Vanoggend toe ek wakker word, toe klap ek vroulief so op die boud en sê;Gholf-course or intercourse? Toe sê sy: Onthou om jou hoed op te sit!"

An elderly Irishman bought a sports car to recapture his youth and drove at 120mph. Then he saw a police car behind him, blue lights flashing. "I'm too old for this nonsense," he thought so he pulled over.

The police officer said, "Sir, my shift ends in 10 minutes. If you can give me good a reason why you were speeding, I'll let you go."

The old man said, "Years ago my wife ran off with a policeman. I thought you were bringing her back." "That'll do," said the policeman.

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A male patient is lying in bed in the hospital, wearing an oxygen mask over his mouth and nose. A young student nurse appears and gives him a partial sponge bath. "Nurse," he mumbles from behind the mask, "are my testicles black?"

Embarrassed, the young nurse replies, "I don't know, Sir. I'm only here to wash your upper body and feet."

He struggles to ask again, "Nurse, please check for me. Are my testicles black?"

Concerned that he might elevate his blood pressure and heart rate from worrying about his testicles, she overcomes her embarrassment and pulls back the covers.

She raises his gown, holds his manhood in one hand and his testicles in the other.

She looks very closely and says, "There's nothing wrong with them, Sir. They look fine."

The man slowly pulls off his oxygen mask, smiles at her, and says very slowly, "Thank you very much. That was wonderful. Now listen very, very closely: ARE - MY - TEST - RESULTS - BACK?" SINGLES AD THAT APPEARED IN THE ATLANTA JOURNAL:

SINGLE BLACK FEMALE SEEKS MALE COMPANIONSHIP, ETHNICITY UNIMPORTANT. I'M A VERY GOOD LOOKING GIRL THAT LOVES TO PLAY. I LOVE LONG WALKS IN THE WOODS, RIDING IN YOUR PICKUP TRUCK, HUNTING, CAMPING, FISHING TRIPS AND COZY WINTER NIGHTS LYING BY THE FIRE. CANDLELIGHT DINNERS WILL HAVE ME EATING OUT OF YOUR HAND. I'LL BE AT THE FRONT DOOR WHEN YOU GET HOME FROM WORK, WEARING ONLY WHAT NATURE GAVE ME.

CALL: xxx-xxx-xxxx AND ASK FOR DAISY.

OVER 15,000 MEN FOUND THEMSELVES TALKING TO THE ATLANTA HUMANE SOCIETY ABOUT AN 8-WEEK OLD BLACK LABRADOR RETRIEVER.



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