

Entertainment & Activities Portfolio.

Jenna Monk- November 2024

October has been a great month again with so many activities happening and more and more residents taking on the ownership of an activity.

This looks promising for the future and makes for activities offered for all various interests in the village.

There are now more than 30 residents running the activities and as RESCOM we would like to take a moment and say THANK YOU for your time and effort. We have started a Social Fund and will hope to grow the coffers starting with the Raffle for which we already have R4500.00. Again, residents manning the sales of the tickets 3 times a week.

The classical music appreciation slot and the movie night still need someone to spearhead them. The European Film Festival was then offered as an online link and I hope many of you enjoyed the shows with a very European slant and some quite different movies. It is thanks to Sally Rorvik H 59, as it is her brother who puts the festival together...What talent there is.... including Thespians right here in our midst...but that is for my next report...,

We had a fun Mad Hatters Brunch with wonderful display of hats and Violet Butler A302 won "Best Hat" for the 3rd time in a row...Mini Retief A102 won the prize of the most fun hat. I'm not sure if that was in the making of the hat or the reactions to the hat on the day.....)

Pub night, social dinners and the other wonderful activities that Christine and her team put on for you all have been well attended, so hopefully we have touched you all in some way this month.

Just creeping into November to say that we also "brought the shops to you" in the form of over 20 of the 32 vendors at our Christmas Market. With so many more senior residents not driving, we hope you enjoyed the experience.

There are still raffle tickets for the taking (buying) with more taking advantage of the 2 for R100.00 good value option. Let's buy some "fresh " tickets and swell the social funds to over R6000.00. We are wanting to offer a visit out of Evergreen early next year, but bus rentals are expensive and we would like to subsidise the outing price...

Watch and read!