

# SAARP SOCIAL SERVICES GROOTE SCHUUR

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Newsletter – March 2019

Dear Fellow-Members,

At our age the years seem to spin round far more quickly than “when we were young”. This perception has a simple explanation (or so they say): When you are 7 a year is one 7<sup>th</sup> of your life. It feels long. Remember the “sleeps” you hoped would soon pass so that your birthday would finally arrive? Now, when you are 70, a year is one-seventieth of your life! And so? “My goodness, how time flies!”

So it's time for our AGM again. Here is the Agenda:

## **Agenda for the AGM (Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2019)**

1. Notice convening the Meeting
2. Apologies
3. Reading of the Minutes of the 2018 AGM, acceptance thereof and matters arising.
4. The Chairman's Report
5. Treasurer's Report for the year ended 28 February 2019
6. Election of Committee for the ensuing year
7. Any other business

Please note: A member who would like to serve on the committee must be nominated by another member. The nomination must be conveyed to the Chairman before the start of the AGM

How do you benefit from your membership of SAARP?

For an annual subscription of R50 (the best deal in town!) you have a monthly meeting, a speaker/entertainer, a day-outing, and an opportunity of fellowship with fellow members.

As members of SAARP we benefit from numerous services offered by our parent body, the SA Association of Retired Persons. These include information and help regarding vehicle insurance, travel, wills and special “deals” e.g. Specsavers.

Membership is open to men and women from the age of 50.

Our club is one of several SAARP clubs, administered by Ray & Julie Hattingh. The clubs operate independently.

Our present membership is 119. We need to grow! Please play your part in recruiting new members. The old slogan still applies - “Each one reach one!”

**Janet Perrott's talk will follow the AGM**

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Last month's outing to IMHOFF for a coffee & comfort stop, and then to the Noordhoek Café & Deli for lunch, was very enjoyable. The restaurant overlooks a beautiful nursery, ablaze with blooms and greenery. The lunch was very tasty. On the way home we passed through the Farm Village – where there was not much of interest. This “local Trip” may still be described as going into “the country” even though you find yourself less than 40k's from the CBD of our bustling Mother City!

### **FOR YOUR DIARY**

This month's General Meeting – Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March. Venue – Rosebank Methodist Church Hall. Doors open at 09h15. Annual General Meeting (see overleaf)  
Followed by Speaker: Janet Perrott – “Glimpses of the Celtic World both Pagan and Christian, Old and New”.

Next Month's General Meeting: Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April. Venue & times as above.  
Speaker/ Entertainer - To be advertised in April newsletter.

### **BEST WISHES**

Congratulations and Best Wishes to those who will be celebrating birthdays and anniversaries. Our condolences to those who have lost loved ones. To those in hospital or ill at home, we wish you well.

### **THEATRES (Info supplied by Gaby Saurma-Jeltsch)**

**Artscape: (Phone 021 421 7695)**

**Many Tutus** – Ballet dancers from 7 countries – 18/20/21 April at 8pm Matinee 2pm  
Prices R190-275 20% deduction for pensioners. Phone or book at Computicket.

**Baxter: (Phone 021 680 3989 or Computicket)**

Cape Town Comedy Festival - 18 to 30 March R120

Handspring Puppets - 28/30 March R170/190 (Recall the War Horse Puppets)

### **OUTINGS**

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March: Lourensford, Somerset West, wine estate & gardens.** Lunch at the Somerset West Mall Spur. R140pp (Lunch own account) Bus leaves at 09h30 opp. the church on the Main Rd.

**Tuesday 16th April: Laborie, Paarl** – wine estate. Lunch at Simonsvlei. (To be confirmed at the March General Meeting.) R140pp. Departure time as above.

This is a new destination.

**INTO OUR KITTY:** (February 2019)

Bring & Buy (R120); Tea Monies (R65); Lucky Draw (R46)

### **GENERAL**

Please support our Bring & Buy table. Special request for cookies, etc  
Donations of clothing items, wool, materials etc are gratefully accepted. Collection bag at the attendance table. ToCH distributes to the needy.

### **SUBSCRIPTION REMINDER**

Please use one of the following methods of paying subscriptions:

(a) CASH at monthly meetings (R50.00 per member annually)

(b) EFT to ABSA Account – Number 9172732609, Branch code 632005

Providing your full name and membership number.

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