











Hangklip-Kleinmond Tourism News No.4

Hangklip-Kleinmond Tourism gives 67 Minutes for Mandela Day 2013

The predominant objective of Mandela Day is to encourage individuals to take action to help transform the world for the better, and in doing so build a global undertaking for the greater good of all. Ultimately it strives for the empowerment of communities everywhere. "Take Action; Inspire Change; Make Every Day a Mandela Day."

Individuals and organizations were free to partake in Mandela Day as they desired. The Hangklip-Kleinmond Tourism Team adhered to the ethical context of "service to one's fellow human beings" by visiting the elderly residents of Gerimed – Home for the Aged.

Gerimed is a privately owned Health Care Company and leaders at elderly health care in the Western Cape.

The Care Centre consists of sub-acute care (step-down care), frail care and assisted living care in private apartments.

Their services include skilled nursing care, assisted living care as well as local doctor services which includes Rehabilitation, Physiotherapists, Occupations Therapists and Speech Therapists.

Councilor Phillip Appelgrein welcomed everyone present and opened with a prayer. After which each of the residents received a colorful balloon, a freshly homebaked cupcake, made with love by John and Andrè from Cup-a-Cafè as well as an elegant Protea-bouquet prepared by Maksie Liebenberg from Petals. Bella from Ciao Bella in Harbour Road sponsored a pampering goodie bag for Mrs Small who celebrated her birthday on the 5th of July.

Celeste Scheepers, Trisa Hugo and Margie Wilson each read a short-story from the book My kort vir jou **Sop**, whilst everyone enjoyed their tea and cupcakes.

My Kort vir jou Sop is a rich collection of short stories which was created from the input and contributions of an extraordinary variety of South African writers, which includes familiar names such as Marita van der Vyver, Tinus Viviers, Annelie Botes, Lochner de Kock, Riana Scheepers and five of our own Kleinmonders, Frazer Barry of the band Tribal Echo, Ian Smit, Elzareé Fey, Margie Wilson and Trisa Hugo.

All funds raised from this book will be donated to charity.

We trust that our 67 minutes of service to our fellow human beings made a difference to someone and brighten up the day of a few people.

Thank you to Oom Pieta Pieterse who played cameraman and sent us some lovely pictures of this event.

Our human compassion binds us the one to the other - not in pity or patronizingly, but as human beings who have learnt how to turn our common suffering into hope for the future.

- Nelson Mandela -

























The EXPEDITION Project Tree Planting at Mthimkhulu Village Centre

On Monday 8 July 2013 The EXPEDITION Project came to the end of its third route for 2013 with a tree planting thanks to Trees4Schools. The planting took place at the Mthimkhulu Village Centre in Kleinmond.

Trees4Schools has been working with The EXPEDITION Project since the initiative's inception in 2011. The partnership came about to assist with offsetting the carbon footprint of the annual road trips and to contribute to organisations identified with indigenous trees.

In 2012 The EXPEDITION Project, covering 17000km, travelled for 250 days and visited 192 towns around South Africa and in the process identified 109 projects. In 2013 the project framework was divided into three routes with an aim to re-visit the people, projects and places from 2012 and identify new working partnerships in new areas.

On 8 July 2013, the second last stop on The EXPEDITION Project's third route was Kleinmond and within Kleinmond the Mthimkhulu Village Centre, part of Grail Programmes, was marked as an ideal tree planting location for this route.

From 9am to 12pm The EXPEDITION Project team, together with local Kleinmond youth and Trees4Schools, planted 18 indigenous trees. The remaining 12 to be planted within the next few weeks once an allocated area has been cleared and holes dug.

A great success thanks to collaboration and partnership between Mthimkhulu, Trees4Schools and The **EXPEDITION Project.**











Gravity Adventure Festival 16 – 18 August 2013

The Gravity Adventure Festival, now it is 12th year, is well established on the Cape Adventure Calendar and attracts adventure enthusiasts from all over South Africa. The festival takes place, in the Kogelberg Biosphere, outside Kleinmond, just over an hour's drive from Cape Town.

The Festival showcases a range of disciplines, all adding up to a weekend, full of adventure for participants and spectators alike. With 11 events, it allows the opportunities to partake in a number of different events. We also have 4 kids events scheduled for the weekend, for the young ones to get outdoors and try the Adventure events.

The unique aspect of the Gravity Adventure Festival is the setup of the festival hub at the Palmiet Caravan Park, with all events starting and finishing within close proximity of the hub. The Gravity Adventure Festival has a wide variety of outdoor events – pretty much something for everyone. So download the full entry pack and read up about what is on offer. And even if outdoor exercise is not your thing, there will be plenty to watch during the weekend, from rafting spills and action, to good food, cappuccinos, Film Festival, Live Band and DJ on Saturday night and more. So make sure you do not miss this year's Festival.

The 2012 festival was a huge success and we saw well over 1,000 people competing across the 10 events that were on offer.

Please visit the Gravity Adventure Festival Website for the full program, specials and other information.

http://adventurefestival.co.za











Kalfiefees 7 – 11 Augustus 2013

Vanjaar vier ons die dertiende bestaansjaar van die Kalfiefees. Ná 'n nederige begin het die Kalfiefees jaarliks gegroei en telkens was daar innoverende veranderinge wat tot meer en beter produksies en uitvoerings vir ons groterwordende getal lojale ondersteuners gelei het.

Vanjaar kan ons spog met die room van suksesvolle aanbiedings van elders in Suid-Afrika. Daarbenewens is daar ook nuwe en eie aanbiedings – en dit alles teen bekostigbare pryse!

Nog 'n vernuwing is dat die fees ook uitbundige kalfiespronge in die groter Hermanus gaan maak. Ofskoon die hart van die fees in Onrus bly, word die ouditorium baie meer gebruik en die Hoërskool Hermanus se saal word 'n nuwe aanbiedingslokaal. Die fees brei ook na Hawston uit om 'n spesiale opdragproduksie nader aan ons Kalfievriende aldaar te bring.

Vir die duur van die fees verskuif die administrasie na die NG Kerkperseel in die middedorp en die Grobbelaarsaal word die hart van die tuismark – beskut teen wind en weer. Ons sê ook totsiens vir die tent en 'n modderige parkeerterrein.

Benewens kunstenaars en feesgangers is die borge en komiteelede die dryfkrag agter 'n suksesvolle fees. Ons bedank graag ons borge, groot en klein, vir hul finansiële ondersteuning en/of vir die lewering van goedere en dienste. Agter die skerms woel en werskaf 'n gemotiveerde en hardwerkende komitee wat die fees laat Kalfies kry - my opregte dank aan almal.

Gaan besoek gerus die Kalfiefees se webtuiste vir meer inligting en om die volledige program af te laai!

www.kalfiefees-hermanus.co.za















National Woman's Day 9 August 2013

On 9 August 1956 approximately 20 000 women, from all walks of life, participated in a march outside the Union Buildings in Pretoria. It was probably the single most famous protest by women to have taken place in the history of South Africa. The Union Building site was chosen because of its historical significance in the development of the apartheid struggle.

Women were opposing the law which forced the black population to carry a pass (or document) with them at all times to permit them entering a 'white area'. "You strike the women, you strike the rock", was chanted during the protest and this gave strength to South African women who suffered from exploitation and discrimination during the apartheid era.

Programmes such as Violence against Women and others have been established as a result of this march and the determination of women countrywide.

On National Women's Day 2000, the Women's Monument at the Union Buildings was unveiled to recognise women's contribution towards gender equity and human rights for all. In many parts of South Africa, women still bear the brunt of extreme poverty, abuse, over- exploitation, oppression and great suffering, yet they are still the "rock" upon which family life and our society depends.

On National Women's Day all women are affirmed, their courage and sacrifices over the ages acknowledged, and their aspirations and achievements applauded.

International Youth Day

International Youth Day (IYD) was established by the United Nations in 2000 as a means of raising awareness of issues affecting young people around the world. IYD forms part of the UN's wider World Programme of Action for Youth (WPAY), an initiative that aims to promote the wellbeing and livelihood of young people.

Its 15 priority areas include:

Education, employment, poverty and hunger, the environment, drug abuse, juvenile delinquency, leisuretime activities, health, girls and young women, HIV/AIDS, information and communications technology, inter-generational issues, armed conflict, the mixed impact of globalization, and the full and effective participation of youth in society and in decision-making.







Diary of Events/Dagboek

Kleinmond Craft Market/Kunsmark every Friday 09:00 - 15:00 Phone Marlene for more information 073 171 1623

3 Aug Emo Adams & the Take Note Band - Caledon

7 - 11 Aug Kalfiefees 2013 - Hermanus

9 - 11 Aug Gansbaai Winter Fynbos and Music Show

9 Aug Riviersonderend Farmers Market - Riviersonderend

14 Aug Die Vriende van Afrikaans. Kleinmond bied weer hulle Afrikaansaand aan met die tema

> vanjaar: Stof die Oue Af. Kom geniet die aand saam Wilna Snyman en die Hangklip Dayzees by die Gereformeerde Kerk om 19:00. Slegs 100 kaartjies beskikbaar by Albertyn Apteek @

R30.

27 Aug The Hangklip-Kleinmond Tourism Bureau are holding their Annual General Meeting at

The Harold Porter National Botanical Garden @ 18:00. All Members attendance will be

appreciated. Please contact the Tourism office for more information 028 271 5657.

27 Aug Child Welfare South-Africa: Kleinmond will be holding its Annual General Meeting @ 18:00

in the Youth Hall. A yearly membership fee of R10 is payable. Annual reports will be made

available. For further information contact the office on 028 271 4044.

16 - 18 Aug Gravity Adventure Festival - Kleinmond

28 Aug One Day Painting Course with Dale & Mel Elliot - Villiersdorp

31 Aug Fynbos Diensentrum Jaarlikse Bazaar by NG Kerksaal, 1ste laan, Kleinmond om 9:00am.

Hulle is ook dringend opsoek na Wit Olifante wat verkoop kan word by die Bazaar. Kontak

hulle gerus op 028-271 3602.

6 Sep TRU-CAPE KOGELBERG MOUNTAIN CHALLENGE. Race starts in Pringle Bay CBD area in

conjunction with the Windagt Festival 2013. Enter-on-line: Please contact Sandy on 079

413 6610/ sandykei@sonicmail.co.za.

6 - 8 Sep Windgat Festival, Pringle Bay. For festival information please contact coordinator Morne

Lloyd 082 894 3019, email mornelloyd@mweb.co.za and Jacques Ractliffe 079 038 3916

email jacqueswr@vodamail.co.za and see www.Tru-Cape.co.za







Uit die Fynbosskat deur Leon Louw

Na die lekker koue en reëns die afgelope tyd is dit 'n plesier om weer in ons pragtige veld te gaan stap en te kyk watter blommetjies nou hul kop uitsteek. En watter beloning is dit! Mens sou kon sweer die lente is al hier!

Die Iris-familie stal nou die eerste van sy bolplante uit. Soek die delikate Tritoniopsis lata (ek was gek oor die genus se vroeëre naam Anapolina!), die laaggroeiende Watsonia stenosiphon langs die karavaanpark by Palmiet en die pragtige Ixia micranda (pienk kalossie). Ook die Gladiolus hirsitus raak nou meer volop in die veld en langs die toegangspaaie na Kleinmond.





Tritoniopsis lata

Disperis capensis

Hoewel ons Orgidee-familie skaars is hierdie tyd van die jaar, kan jy as jy fyn soek beloon word met die delikate *Disperis capensis* (moederkappie) wat beskerming soek naby groter fynbos.

Die Protea-familie verstom mens steeds met sy wye verskeidenheid. Van die 14 genusse kom 7 hier by ons voor, naamlik Aulax (kanariebosse), Diastella (sterretjies), Leucadendron (tolbosse), Leucospermum (speldekussings), Mimetes (stompies), Protea (soms genoem suikerbosse), Serruria (spinnekopbosse) en Spatalla (die horingbosse). Van die ongeveer 360 species van die Proteaceafamilie kom 41 in en om ons dorp voor. Soek gerus vir die laaggroeiende P. longifolia met sy aantreklike blomme met gespitste kelkblare en wit tot ligpienk "baard" met die swart puntjie. Let ook op die groot "sonskynbosse" (Leucadendron laureolum) wat ons veld in geel tooi.





