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Wildfires remain one of the greatest natural threats to South Africa's landscapes and communities, often leaving devastation in their wake. Behind the scenes of these dangerous battles against flames are highly trained firefighting teams who risk their lives to protect people, property and the natural environment. One such organisation, *Working on Fire* (WOF), has become a

Vlakkenberg/Hout Bay area. *Gans-Berg News* decided to highlight this organisation and give them the recognition they deserve.

WOF forms part of the Expanded Public Works Programme (EPWP) and aims to provide employment opportunities to young men and women. It is a South African, government-funded, multi-partner organisation. The Department of Forestry, Fisheries and Environment (DFFE) provides the main funding and structure for the programme and plays an integral role in the South African Government's long-term strategy for the protection and custodianship of the country's natural environment. The Kishugu Group (formerly known as the FFA Group of Companies) was awarded a tender by the national government in 2003 to implement an aerial and ground resource plan to combat veld fires - the result was *Working on Fire*, officially launched in September 2003.



vital force in combating veld fires across the country - and their dedication and courage deserve recognition. With the devastating fires around Greater Gansbaai some time ago, the Gansbaai Fire Brigade, other organisations and volunteers played an enormous role. The assistance and firefighting work carried out by (WOF) was also phenomenal - as it also was the case during the Knysna fires.

The recent news of a *Working on Fire* helicopter that crashed on the Hout Bay mountainside - fortunately without any loss of life - has once again drawn attention to the enormous and often dangerous work done by this organisation. At the time, WOF was assisting with the ongoing fire in the

The programme was initially funded by the government and the commercial forestry sector. Embedded within the Expanded Public Works Programme, the project combines sound land-management principles and best-practice wildland firefighting expertise with the need to create jobs and develop skills. Given the impact of annual fires across rural landscapes as well as urban areas, there was a clear need for an organisation capable of training firefighting hand crews, positioning these teams locally, and deploying them nationally when

required.

The overall strategy is to apply the principles of integrated fire management in order to reduce the frequency and impact of uncontrolled veld fires. A huge bravo and thank you



to the *Working on Fire* organisation for the vital and often dangerous work they do to protect South Africa's people, communities and natural environment. (Pictures provided)

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Gansbaai Wynproegilde Blinde proe en 14 wyne maak Wynproegilde-aand besonders

"Vanaand wag daar 'n groot verrassing vir julle," het voorsitter Japie Spies tydens sy verwelkomingswoord aan Gansbaai Wynproegilde se gaste gesê. "Julle gaan veertien wyne in totaal proe, waarvan net ses beoordeel gaan word - maar dit gaan blinde proeë wees - met die res wat net gesellig geproe gaan word." Die byeenkoms was, oudergewoonte, in die Great White House op 24 Maart 2026 - die tweede wynproe-geleentheid van die jaar - met die verrassing van nuwe tafeldoeke en lekker sagte stoele wat as verbeterings aan 'n reeds uitstaande restaurant aangebring is.



Nicolette Needham (middel) saam met Erica en Deon Oosthuizen.

Japie het Nicolette Needham van De Wet-kelders aan die gaste voorgestel. Nicolette het in Worcester grootgeword en was voorheen in die regsvelde betrokke nadat sy haar LLB-graad voltooi het. Haar liefde vir wyn het haar genoop om in April 2024 by De Wet-kelders aan te sluit, en teen die einde van 2025 is sy as die proelokaalbestuurder aangestel. Nicolette het veertien wyne saamgebring - ses uitsoek- en bekroonde wyne wat geproe en beoordeel is. Die res van die wyne kon gesellig geproe word - deur diegene wat daarvoor kans gesien het!

Die verwelkomingswyn was 'n Petillant Fronté (Perlé) semi-soet wyn. Sy het die proe van die ses wyne interessant gemaak - dit was soos 'n "blinde proe", met die gaste wat die onderskeie wyne eers moes identifiseer: Witwyne - 2024 Chardonnay, 2025 Chenin Blanc en 2025 Sauvignon Blanc; Rooiwyne - 2024 Shiraz, 2025 Merlot en 2024 Cabernet Sauvignon. Sommige

gaste het getwyfel, maar 'n groot deel se identifisering was verbasend genoeg in die kol.

Net voor ete is die 2024 Leyland Chenin Blanc, 2025 Wit Mashup en 2024 Rosé Mashup geskink, en net voor die hoofgereg die 2023 Rooi Mashup. Die laaste wyne wat ná die hoofgereg geskink is, was die 2021 Rooi Muskadel, 2024 Hanepoot en 2025 Cape Ruby - in totaal 14 wyne - dit wil gedoen wees! Chris Pead, Maretha Cooper en die Great White House se spanne het, soos gewoonlik, nie met die ete en bediening teleurgestel nie: Voorgereg - Caramelised Onion Tartlet; Hoofgereg - Lamb Medallions; Nagereg - Vanilla Bean

Panna Cotta, alles met die heerlikste bykosse.

De Wet-kelder is op 15 April 1946 gestig en sal vanjaar sy 80ste bestaansjaar vier - die oudste kelder in die Worcester-omgewing. Oorspronklik het dit jaarliks sowat 3 000 ton druive verwerk, maar oor die jare het dit ontwikkel tot 'n gehaltekelder wat tans ongeveer 21 000 ton per jaar verwerk. De Wet-kelder se hooffokus is om gehalte te oortref en só 'n produk te skep wat homself bemark, terwyl hulle met 'n enorme hoeveelheid toekennings oor jare heen spog.

Soos gebruiklik is 'n Wynproegilde-voorskoot deur Deon en Erica Oosthuizen as geskenk aan Nicolette oorhandig. Soos afgelei kan word uit soveel wyne wat geproe kon word, is daar tot laataand gesellig saamgekuier.

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Suster Linda Meyer - HaS se legendariese omgee-suster



Suster Linda Meyer.

“Vader in die hemel, dankie dat my lewenspad onder U almagtige beheer staan en dat ek daarom nooit 'n reisiger na nêrens sal wees nie. Ek laat my lewe kinderlik-gelowig in U hande. Gee my U krag en vrede terwyl ek op U wag - in Jesus se naam - Amen,” was Suster Linda Meyer van Herberg-aan-See (HaS) se laaste gebed wat kort voor haar afsterwe in haar kamer gevind is. Hendrina Malinda Meyer, alombekend as Suster Linda, is op 20 Oktober 1942 gebore en op 83-jarige ouderdom op 7 Februarie 2026 oorlede.

'n Gedenkdien is op 28 Februarie 2026 deur ds Willie Kotze vanuit die NG Kerk, Gansbaai, waargeneem. “Ek weet dat Linda baie lief was vir Openbaring,” het Willie gesê. “Daarom lees ek spesifiek haar geliefde gedeelte in hoofstuk 21:5 - Nuwe Hemel.” Willie het Linda as 'n menslike mens met groot deernis en

omgee beskryf. As deel van die Skriflesing-gedeelte is die bekende 'Oorwinningslied', met 'n doedelsak as begeleiding, gespeel;. As deel van die huldeblyk is die lied, 'One Last Goodbye' gespeel. Emosiebelaaide huldeblyke is gelewer, met HaS se personeel wat almal vorentoe gestaan het en 'n besonderse huldeblyk namens HaS gelewer het, met 'n erewag wat hulle na die diens gevorm het.

Linda se kinders, kleinkinders en agterkleinkinders, wat haar lewe en haar trots was, is: 'n tweelingdogters, Rinaldi Meyer van Hermanus (ongetroud) en Yolindi Swart van Hermanus, getroud met Jacques, met 'n kleinseun vir Linda; Johan Nöthling van Hermanus, getroud met Nadia, met 'n kleindogter en agterkleindogter vir Linda; Elreda Carver van Durban, getroud met Philip, met 'n kleindogter vir Linda; Andries Meyer van Waiheke Island, Nieu-Seeland, getroud met Mireille, met 'n kleinseun vir Linda; Werner Jonck van Knysna, getroud met Monique, met 'n kleinseun (oorlede) en twee agterkleindogters vir Linda.

Linda is op 1 Desember 1994 by HaS aangestel en het vanaf 1 November 2007 tot 30 Julie 2013 as bestuurder van die tehuis gedien. In April 2011 het sy vanaf haar huis na een van HaS se woonstelle verhuis. Op 30 November 2018 het sy afgetree - ná 'n werksperiode, gevul met deeglikheid, liefde, deernis en omgee vir haar personeellede, inwoners en mede-kollegas. Ná haar aftrede het Linda steeds voortgegaan met die opmaak van lekkergoedpakkies en nog vele ander projekte ten bate van HaS. As gevolg van haar gesondheid is sy op 27 Oktober 2025 na

HaS se versorgingsafdeling oorgeplaas.

“Ons familie is oorweldig deur die ondersteuning en liefde wat ons ontvang het tydens Ma Linda se siekte en afsterwe,” het Yolindi gesê. “Ons opregte dank en waardering vir elke oproep, boodskap en besoek, asook 'n groot dankie aan HaS vir die huldeblyk en erewag tydens ons ma se diens.”

“There are some who bring a light so great to the world that even after they have gone, the light remains.”

Hardus Botha



Linda Meyer saam met 'n vriend van Pretoria, Kerneels Adlem en sy suster, Anita Botha van De Kelders, tydens 'n boottrit, geborg deur Wilfred Chivell van Marine Dynamics.



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Over 43 000 Cape Gannets breeding on Lambert's Bay Bird Island



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The conservation team at Bird Island is encouraged by the sustained strong presence of gannets on the island. Work is currently underway to enhance population monitoring and improve the accuracy of long-term data. The Cape Gannet is listed as Endangered on the IUCN Red List and Vulnerable on the SANBI Red List.

Restoring and maintaining the gannet colony has not been without challenges. In December 2005, on-land seal predation

caused the entire colony to abandon the island. Through careful management by CapeNature, mitigation measures were implemented to manage predators, and bird decoys were used to lure the birds back, enabling the colony to rebuild. Over the past year, the population has increased to well into the 40 000's, compared to consistently remaining in the 30 000's over the previous five years.

This notable growth is not only the result of local breeding success but also suggests that gannets from other colonies are selecting Bird Island as a preferred breeding site. Early indications suggest this could be one of the strongest gannet fledging seasons in several years. To date, 7 647 fledglings have been recorded, with several weeks of the season still to go. Gannet fledging is one of nature's most extraordinary events. Young birds leave the safety of the colony to embark on a two- to three-year ocean-wide journey, returning only once they are ready to breed.

In partnership with the Department of Forestry, Fisheries and the Environment (DFFE), rangers have ringed 750 gannet chicks and 250 adult birds this season, contributing valuable data to national seabird research and monitoring programmes. The island remains home to a diverse community of seabirds, including Cape, Crowned and White-breasted Cormorants; Common and Greater Crested Terns; Hartlaub's Gulls; and Kelp Gulls.

Adding a touch of character to the season, a moulting penguin has also taken up temporary residence, sheltering within the gannet colony. Complementing these conservation efforts, Bird Island's interpretive signage was updated and launched ahead of last year's summer tourism season. The signage offers visitors fresh insights into the island's inhabitants, history, and the role seabird colonies play in marine ecosystems. *(Article shortened: Hardus Botha)*

CapeNature Communications Officer: Luke Folb

Gr 5's se skelette

Laerskool Gansbaai se Gr 5 NWTeg-leerders het hulself oortref met hierdie fantastiese skelette wat hulle gemaak het. Baie kreatiwiteit en moeite het in elke projek ingegaan - baie trots op julle!



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Foot-and-Mouth Disease update

The Provincial Foot-and-Mouth Disease Joint Operational Centre (JOC) recently met to address the latest developments regarding Foot-and-Mouth Disease (FMD) in the Western Cape. During the meeting, the Department of Agriculture's Veterinary Services provided feedback on the current situation, vaccination progress, and operational measures that have been implemented. To date, 25 cases of FMD have been reported, of which 12 have been confirmed. In response, an extensive vaccination programme is underway. Thus far, 337 farms have been vaccinated, particularly in areas where commercial farming borders informal farming operations.

The province's identified hotspot areas are the Mossel Bay area, Cape Metropolitan Area, Drakenstein, and Swartland Local Municipality. A total of 75,203 animals in these areas have been vaccinated so far. A farm is only reported as vaccinated once the entire farm has been completed. The province received 100,000 vaccine doses last week, which were distributed to the relevant areas within a day. In total, the Western Cape has received 170,400 vaccine doses. However, there remains concern within the industry that vaccines may run out before all dairy farms have been vaccinated. Twenty-nine private veterinarians are currently assisting state veterinarians with the vaccination process. These veterinarians are focusing particularly on dairy farms in the Garden Route / Mossel Bay area and around Malmesbury. Producers can apply to appoint a private veterinarian to assist with the process.

Movement of animals

Provincial traffic authorities have confirmed that 19 checkpoints across the Western Cape are currently operational to monitor the movement of animals. Animals that have been vaccinated must observe a waiting period of approximately 28 days to allow the

vaccine to become effective in their systems before movement can be considered. If animals need to be moved, the necessary documentation is mandatory. A state veterinarian will decide, after inspection, what action may be permitted. Animals that are vaccinated as a preventative measure are not necessarily placed under quarantine. Inspections have already been conducted at abattoirs, but no new registrations have yet been confirmed. Animals presented for slaughter must show no clinical signs of FMD.

Feedback from regions

The Overberg and Central Karoo currently remain FMD-free. Producers in these areas are encouraged to continue applying strict biosecurity measures. In the Overberg, the situation is being closely monitored following a possible case in Bonnievale, where clinical signs were reported over the weekend. Some animals on the affected farm have already been vaccinated.

Law enforcement and traffic

The South African Police Service confirmed that visible policing continues and that cooperation between stakeholders is functioning well. Provincial traffic authorities indicated that more than 15,000 vehicles have been stopped at checkpoints. Of these vehicles, 44 were transporting animals, all of which were inspected. All livestock transporters are also being monitored at the eight weighbridges in the Western Cape.

Producers are encouraged to immediately report any suspicious clinical signs to their local veterinarian or the department, and to maintain strict biosecurity measures on their farms.

Rojeanne de Wet, Agri Liason Officer

Gansbaai SAPS appeals

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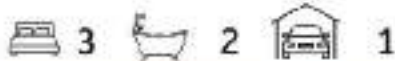
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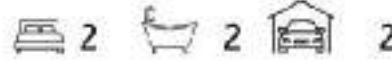
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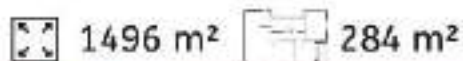
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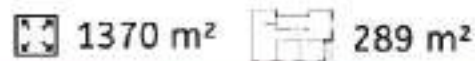
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is it a wasp? Is it a plane? It's Conopidae!

Believe it or not, Conopids are part of the order of flies (Diptera; meaning "two wings"). They are wasp mimics. This is a common defense mechanism known as Batesian mimicry where harmless organisms pretend to be dangerous ones. In the case of conopids, they "pretend" to look like wasps to intimidate hungry scavengers. That said, they themselves are parasitoids; intercepting other fly or bee species mid air to lay eggs in them. Their larvae then develop and pupate inside of the host.

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<p>OPPORTUNITY TO SUBMIT REPRESENTATIONS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Draft Integrated Development Plan (IDP) Review and proposed amendment for 2026/27 and related documents Draft Water Services Development Plan (WSDP) for 2026/27 Draft Disaster Management Plan (DMP) for 2026/27 <p>NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following documentation is available for comment as from 1 April 2026:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Draft Integrated Development Plan (IDP) Review and proposed amendment in terms of section 34 of the Municipal Systems Act No 32 of 2000. Draft key performance indicators (KPI's) and targets for 2026/27 (Draft Top Layer Service Delivery and Budget Implementation Plan (SDBIP). Draft Water Services Development Plan for 2026/27 (WSDP) Draft Disaster Management Plan (DMP) as a sectoral plan to the IDP in terms of section 36 (g) of the Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act no 32 of 2000). <p>The local community is invited to submit written representations in connection with the documents by Thursday, 30 April 2026 to the Municipal Manager (For attention Ms. R. Louw - Draft IDP review and proposed amendment, Draft SDBIP, Mr. H. Blignaut - Draft WSDP and Mr. L. Smith - Draft DMP) at the under-mentioned email addresses:</p> <p>The Council will consider the final IDP, WSDP and DMP review and proposed amendment for 2026/2027 together with all the comments and representations received during a meeting which is scheduled to take place on 27 May 2026.</p> <p>The documents will be available for perusal during office hours at the offices of the Manager: Community Liaison in Gansbaai, Stanford, Hermanus and Kleinmond, in all the public libraries in the Overstrand, the Corporate Head Office of the municipality in Hermanus and on the municipality's website at www.overstrand.gov.za under strategic documents.</p> <p>Persons who cannot write can visit the office of the Manager: Community Liaison in Gansbaai/Stanford, Hermanus and Kleinmond during office hours where such persons will be assisted to transcribe their comments or representations.</p> <p>Emails: rlouw@overstrand.gov.za (IDP & SDBIP) hblignaut@overstrand.gov.za (WSDP) lsmith@overstrand.gov.za (DMP)</p>	<p>GELEENTHEID OM VERTOË TE RIG:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Konsep Hersiene Geïntegreerde Ontwikkelingsplan (GOP) en voorgestelde wysiging vir 2026/27 en Verwante Dokumente Konsep Waterdienste Ontwikkelingsplan (WDOP) vir 2026/27 Konsep Rampbestuursplan vir 2026/27 <p>KENNIS GESKIED HIERMEE dat die volgende dokumente vir vertoë beskikbaar is vanaf 1 April 2026:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Konsep hersiene Geïntegreerde Ontwikkelingsplan (GOP) en voorgestelde wysiging in terme van artikel 34 van die Wet op Plaaslike Regering: Munisipale Stelsels, 2000 (Wet 32 van 2000); Konsep sleutel prestasie indikatore en sektors vir 2026/27 (Konsep Direktoerwings en Begrotingsimplementeringsplan (DBIP). Konsep Waterdienste Ontwikkelingsplan (WDOP) vir 2026/27 Konsep Rampbestuursplan (RBP) as 'n sektorale plan tot die GOP in terme van artikel 36 (g) van die Munisipale Stelselwet, 2000 (Wet nr 32 van 2000). <p>Die plaaslike gemeenskap word uitgenooi om skriftelike vertoë met betrekking tot die dokumente voor te lê teen Donderdag, 30 April 2026 deur die te rig aan die Munisipale Bestuurder (vir aandag Ms. R. Louw- Konsep hersiene en voorgestelde gewysigde GOP, Konsep DBIP, Mr. H. Blignaut- Konsep WDOP en Mnr. L. Smith – Konsep RBP) by onderstaande epos adresse.</p> <p>Die Raad sal die finale hersiene GOP, WDOP en RBP en voorgestelde wysiging vir 2026/2027 saam met alle kommentaar en vertoë wat ontvang is, oorweeg.</p> <p>Die dokumente is gedurende kantoorure ter insae by die kantore van die Bestuurders: Gemeenskaplike Kanteel in Gansbaai, Stanford, Hermanus en Kleinmond, in alle openbare biblioteke in die Overstrand, die Korporatiewe Hoofkantoor van die munisipaliteit in Hermanus en op die munisipaliteit se webwerf www.overstrand.gov.za onder strategiese dokumente.</p> <p>Persones wat nie kan skryf nie kan gedurende kantoorure by die onderskeie kantore van die Bestuurders: Gemeenskaplike Kanteel in Gansbaai/Stanford, Hermanus of Kleinmond besoek afle waar daardie persone gehelp sal word om hul kommentaar of vertoë op skrif te stel.</p> <p>Epos adresse: rlouw@overstrand.gov.za (GOP & DBIP) hblignaut@overstrand.gov.za (WSDP) lsmith@overstrand.gov.za (RBP)</p>	<p>ITHUBA LOKUYAKALISA IZIMVO:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ikwangciso sophuhliso oludibeneyo esiqulungwayo (idp) Uphononongo kunye nalungiso olucutywayo luka-2026/27 kunye namanwebhu amafanencinane UYilo lweSicwangciso soPhuhliso lweNlonzo zaManzi soWama-2026/27 UYilo lweSicwangciso soLawulo lweNdlolole (DMP) loWama-2026/27 <p>ESI SIZAZISO sokuba lizakwebhu oladetyo iqulungwayo okuba ibantu binokuba izimvo zabo ngama-wama- 1 uTshazimpuzi 2026:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ikwangciso esiqulungwayo sophuhliso oludibeneyo (IDP) esiqulungwayo kunye nalungiso olucutywayo ngokwacandelo lama-24 kaMibheho weNkqubo zaMasipala uNombolo 32 soWama-2000 Ukuthatya kwiziboni eziphambili zokusebenza (KPI) nazo ukujolwa kubo kowama-2026/27 (Ikwangciso esiqulungwayo okuzenzelwa lweenkqubo zokusebenza lwehlabathi (SDBIP). UYilo lweSicwangciso soPhuhliso lweNlonzo zaManzi soWama-2026/27 UYilo lweSicwangciso soLawulo lweNdlolole (DMP) njengesicwangciso sacandelo loWIDP ngokwacandelo lama-26 (g) kaMibheho weNkqubo zaMasipala, ka-2000 (uMibheho organobolo 32 ka-2000). <p>Uzama kwakuboneni kuziminywa okuba lungaba ingxelo ezahlelwayo nalungiso okuzenzelwa ngokwama-wama-39 ngu-UTshazimpuzi 2026 kaMphathi kaMasipala (Ukuma ingxelo uNk. R. Louw - Uphononongo oluYilwayo lwe-IDP kunye neqhagamlayo olucutywayo, I-SDBIP eYilwayo, Mnr. H. Blignaut - I-WSDP eYilwayo) kunye noMntu L. Smith – DMP eYilwayo) kwidilesi ze-imeyile ezikhanyanayo ngezantsi.</p> <p>Ibhungu lya kwiziboni uphononongo lokuqibela lwe-IDP loWama-2026/2027 kunye nazo zonke izimvo kunye nezimvo ezifunyenwayo ngezantsi lentsingisano ekwangciselwe okuba ngowama-27 kaMeyi wama-2026.</p> <p>Li manwebhu aza kufananela ngezantsi leeyure ezicacileyo kwizifoni eziphambili zokusebenza ezinokufanana eGansbaai, eStanford, eHermanus naseKleinmond, kuwo onke amathala ancwadi eOverstrand, kwiNdlolole eHermanus nakwi-webhusayithi kamasipala ka-www.overstrand.gov.za. Phantsi kwegama elithi: (Strategic documents).</p> <p>Abantu abangakwaziyo ukubhala bangandwendweli ofisi eziphambili zokuzibonisa lobantu e-Gansbaai, Stanford, Hermanus nase Kleinmond ngezantsi amaboneni apha lobu anolokufanana sacedo ekuboneni ezakhe izimvo.</p> <p>Emails: rlouw@overstrand.gov.za (IDP & SDBIP) hblignaut@overstrand.gov.za (WSDP) lsmith@overstrand.gov.za (DMP)</p>

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<p>OVERSIGHT REPORT WITH REGARD TO THE 2024/25 ANNUAL REPORT</p> <p>Notice is hereby given in terms of Section 125(3) of the Local Government: Municipal Finance Management Act, 2003 (Act 56 of 2003), that the Oversight Report with regard to the 2024/2025 Annual Report is available for scrutiny during office hours at the offices of the Managers: Community Liaison in Gansbaai/Stamford, Hermanus and Kleinmond and all the public libraries in the Overstrand.</p> <p>The document is also available on the municipal website at www.overstrand.gov.za under Strategic Documents.</p>	<p>OORSIGVERSLAG MET BETREKKING TOT DIE 2024/25 JAARVERSLAG</p> <p>Kennik gedied hiermee ingevolge artikel 125(3) van die Wet op Plaaslike Regering: Munisipale Finansiële Bestuur, 2003 (Wet 56 van 2003), dat die Oorsigverslag met betrekking tot die 2024/2025 Jaarverslag gedurende kantoorure by die kantore van die Bestuurders: Gemeenskapkaking in Gansbaai/Stamford, Hermanus en Kleinmond, en in alle openbare biblioteke in die Overstrand vir besigtiging beskikbaar is.</p> <p>Die dokument is ook beskikbaar op die munisipale webwerf, www.overstrand.gov.za onder 'Strategic Documents'.</p>	<p>INGXELO YOKUHLOL-WA MALUNGA NENXELO YONYAKAWAMA-2024/25</p> <p>Esi siseko sikhuthwa ngokwengqalelo yeCandelo 125(3) loMthetho kaMkulumkani waseKhaya uMthetho woLawulo lweMali kaMasipala, 2003 (uMthetho 56 ka 2003), sokuba ingxelo yokuhlolwa emalunga neNgxelo yoNyaka ka-2024/2025 yafumaneka ukuba ikhuliswe ngoyuro samso-beni kwifolisi zibePothi boNabalel-wano kuluntu eGansbaai/Stamford, eHermanus naseKleinmond, kwakanye nakuzo zonke iityabrandi zokuntu eOverstrand.</p> <p>Olu xwebhu lweofumaneka kwiwebhosayithi kamisipala ethi www.overstrand.gov.za phantsi kwe 'Strategic Documents'.</p>

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<p>ERF 480, 34 INGANG STREET AND ERF 481, 36 INGANG STREET, DE KELDERS, OVERSTRAND MUNICIPAL AREA: APPLICATION FOR REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIVE TITLE DEED CONDITIONS, SUBDIVISION AND CONSOLIDATION: WRAP PROJECT OFFICE ON BEHALF OF BJ HAASE AND EW MEESTERS</p> <p>Notice is hereby given in terms of Sections 47 and 48 of the Overstrand Municipality Amendment By-Law on Municipal Land Use Planning, 2020 (By-Law) of an application received for the following:</p> <p>Removal of restrictive title deed conditions Application in terms of Section 16(2)(f) of the By-Law for the removal of restrictive title deed conditions F (c) and (e) as contained in Title Deed T25890/2019 applicable to Erf 480, De Kelders.</p> <p>Subdivision Application in terms of Section 16(2)(d) of the By-Law for the subdivision of Erf 480, De Kelders into two (2) portions namely, Portion A approximately 612m² in extent and a Remainder approximately 518m² in extent.</p> <p>Consolidation Application in terms Section 16(2)(e) of the By-law for the consolidation of Portion A with Erf 481, De Kelders to create one property approximately 1231m² in extent.</p> <p>Full details regarding the proposals above are available for inspection during weekdays between 08:00 and 16:30 at the Division: Town and Spatial Planning, 16 Paterson Street, Hermanus, at the Gansbaai Library, o/o Main Road and Kapokblom Street, Gansbaai and on the municipal webpage at the following link: https://www.overstrand.gov.za/documents/town-spatial-planning/land-use-planning-applications/</p> <p>Any comments must be in writing and reach the Municipality (16 Paterson Street, Hermanus) / (e) landuse@overstrand.gov.za on or before 08 May 2026 with your name, address, contact details, interest in the application and the reasons for comment. Telephonic inquiries can be made to Mr SW van der Merwe at 028 313 8900. The Municipality may refuse to accept comments after the closing date. Any person who cannot read or write can visit the Division: Town and Spatial Planning where they will be assisted by a municipal official in formulating their comments.</p> <p>Please note that in terms of the Protection of Personal Information Act (POPIA), you will be entering into a public process and as such agree and consent to your name, surname, contact details and comment(s) may be disclosed / used in the (application) process.</p>	<p>ERF 480, INGANGSTRAAT 34 EN ERF 481, 36 INGANGSTRAAT, DE KELDERS, OVERSTRAND MUNISIPALE AREA: AANSOEK OM OPHEFFING VAN BEPERKENDE TITELAKTE VOORWAARDES, ONDERVERDELING EN KONSOLIDASIE: WRAP PROJECT OFFICE NAMENS BJ HAASE EN EW MEESTERS</p> <p>Kennik word hiermee gegee ingevolge Artikels 47 en 48 van die Overstrand Munisipaliteit Wysigingsverordening vir Munisipale Grondgebruikbeplanning, 2020 (Verordening) van 'n aansoek ontvang vir die volgende:</p> <p>Opheffing van beperkende titelaktevoorwaardes Aansoek ingevolge Artikel 16(2)(f) van die Verordening vir die opheffing van beperkende titelaktevoorwaardes F (c) en (e) soos vervat in Titelakte T25890/2019 van toepassing op Erf 480, De Kelders.</p> <p>Onderverdeling Aansoek ingevolge Artikel 16(2)(d) van die Verordening vir die onderverdeling van Erf 480, De Kelders in twee (2) gedeeltes naamlik, Gedeelte A ongeveer 612m² groot en 'n Resant ongeveer 518m² groot.</p> <p>Konsolidasie Aansoek in gevolge Artikel 16(2)(e) van die Verordening vir die konsolidasie van Gedeelte A met Erf 481, De Kelders om een eiendom ongeveer 1231m² groot te skep.</p> <p>Besonderhede aangaande die voorstel hier inaspe gedurende woekendae tussen 08:00 en 16:30 by die Afdeling Stads- en Sreekbepanning te Patersonstraat 16, Hermanus, by die Gansbaai Biblioteek, t/v Hoofweg en Kapokblomstraat, Gansbaai en op die munisipale webwerf by die volgende skakel: https://www.overstrand.gov.za/documents/town-spatial-planning/land-use-planning-applications/</p> <p>Enige kommentaar moet skriftelik wees en die Munisipaliteit (Patersonstraat 16, Hermanus) / (e) landuse@overstrand.gov.za voor of op 08 Mei 2026, met u naam, adres, kontak besonderhede, belang in die aansoek en die redes vir kommentaar. Telefoniese navraag kan gerig word aan Mr SW van der Merwe by 028 313 8900. Die Munisipaliteit mag weier om kommentare te aanvaar na die sluitingsdatum. Enige persoon wat nie kan lees of skryf nie kan die Afdeling Stads- en Sreekbepanning besoek waar hul deur 'n munisipale amptenaar bygestaan sal word ten einde hul kommentaar te formuleer.</p> <p>U oorsig word gevestig op die Bepalings van die "POPIA" Wet, en ooreenstem u ooreenstemming deel sal sênsaak van 'n openbare oorsigproses, u detalies toestem dat u naam, van en kontakbesonderhede openbaar gerook mag word.</p>	<p>ISIZA 480, 34 INGANG STREET KUNYE ISIZA 481, 36 INGANG STREET, DE KELDERS INDAWO KAMASIPALA YASE-OVERSTRAND: ISICELO SOKUSUSWA KWEEMEKO EZITHINTELAYO KWITAYITILEYOBUNINI KUNYE UKWAHLULWA NOKUHLANGANISA: WRAP PROJECT OFFICE EGAMENI LIKA BJ HAASE KUNYE EW MEESTERS</p> <p>Iziso sityinikezelwa ngokweCandelo lama-47 nebama-48 loMthetho kaMasipala oLungisekayo kaMasipala waseOverstrand kaCwangciso lokuSetyenziswa kaMibhalo kaMasipala, ka-2020 (uMthetho kaMasipala) wesicelo esinyerweyo soku kalandelayo:</p> <p>Sokususwa kweemeko ezithintelayo kwitayitile yobunini Isicelo ngokweCandelo le-16 (2)(f) loMthetho kaMasipala wokususwa kwengqophango yetayitile ezithintelayo F (c) kunye (e) njengoko kuphelelwe kwidigedulo weMibhalo T25890/2019 ye-Isiza 480, De Kelders.</p> <p>Ukwahlulo Isicelo ngokweCandelo le-16(2)(d) loMthetho kaMasipala ukungqobela ukwahlulwa kweIsiza-480, eDe Kelders sibe yithulo ezininzi (2) ezisezi, iSahlulo A esinokungqo nama-612m² ngobubanzi kunye neNtsabha emalunga nama-518m² ngobubanzi.</p> <p>Ukudityaniswa Isicelo ngokwemigqomo yeCandelo le-16(2)(e) loMthetho kaMasipala sokudityaniswa kweSahlulo A kunye neIsiza-481, eDe Kelders ukudala ipropati enye emalunga no-1231m² ngobubanzi.</p> <p>Iinkcubakha eziphelileyo niyela noku kusetyenziswa zyaMamamsa ukuba akhohle phakathi webinzi phakathi ko-08:00 no-16:30 kwiSiziko Town and Spatial Planning, 16 Paterson Street, Hermanus, kwiThala leNcwadi laseGansbaai, o/o Main Road and Kapokblom Street, Gansbaai nakwwebhosayithi kamisipala kule Inki lalandelayo https://www.overstrand.gov.za/documents/town-spatial-planning/land-use-planning-applications/</p> <p>Naziphi na izizwe nasizibolelwe zibe zingeniwe kaMasipala (16 Paterson Street, Hermanus) / (e) landuse@overstrand.gov.za ngomhla okanye ngaphambi komhla 08 EyeCandelo 2026, ubhale igama lakho, ibhale yakho kunye nomdla kwisicelo nezizathu sokuhlamba kwakho. Imibuzo ngelwimi ngabuzo Mnu. SW van der Merwe ku 028 313 8900. UMisipala angengumzi ukwenzisa amagqibaza okufanisa afinyanwe emva komhla wokulandela. Nabani na ongqobazayo ukufanda okanye ukubhala angayeyela Sebe: Town and Spatial Planning Igosa kamisipala lya kamceda akwazi ukufaka izizwe zakho.</p> <p>Ncedo uphelelwe ukuba ngokwemigqomo kaMthetho Wokudityaniswa kweNkqozo yokuPOPIA, uza kungenisa kwinkqubo yakubhala nasizibolelwa lobomi be ngemva yoko uyamama ubaba gama fani yakho, inkcubakha zakho zokufaniselwano nangqobuzo akho angodizwa / asetyenziswe kwiinkqubo zokufanisa izicelo.</p>

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<p>DRAFT BUDGET 2026/2027</p> <p>Notice is hereby given in terms of Section 21 of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000), and Section 22 of the Local Government: Municipal Finance Management Act, 2003, (Act 56 of 2003), that the Draft Capital and Operating Budget for the 2026/27 financial year, indicative budget forecasts for the 2027/28 & 2028/29 financial years, proposed schedule of rates and taxes, tariffs and charges for the 2026/27 financial year to be imposed as from 1 July 2026 and Budget related policies, has been tabled in Council on 31 March 2026.</p> <p>The documents will be available for perusal during office hours at the offices of the Public Liaison Managers in Gansbaai/Stanford, Hermanus and Kleinmond, in all Overstrand public libraries, the Corporate Head Office in Hermanus and on the website at www.overstrand.gov.za under Documents/Budget, from 01 April 2026.</p> <p>Comments and representations in writing on any matters mentioned in this notice must reach the undermentioned (for attention CFO at cfo@overstrand.gov.za) by Thursday, 30 April 2026.</p>	<p>KONSEPBEGROTING 2026/2027</p> <p>Kennis geskied hiermee ingevolge artikel 21 van die Wet op Plaaslike Regering: Munisipale Stelsels, 2000 (Wet 32 van 2000) en artikel 22 van die Wet op Plaaslike Regering: Munisipale Finansiële Bestuur, 2003 (Wet 56 van 2003), dat die Konsep Kapitaal- en Bedryfsbegroting vir die 2026/27 finansiële jaar, aangevulde begrotings vir die 2027/28 & 2028/29 finansiële jare, voorgestelde skedule van belasting, tariewe en heffings vir die 2026/27 finansiële jaar wat vanaf die 1ste Julie 2026 opgelê word en begrotingsverwante beleide aan die Raad ter tafel gelê was op 31 Maart 2026.</p> <p>Die dokumente is gedurende kantooreure ter insae beskikbaar by die kantore van die Openbare Skakelbestuurders in Gansbaai/Stanford, Hermanus en Kleinmond, in alle openbare biblioteke in die Overstrand, die Korporatiewe Hoofkantoor in Hermanus en op die webwerf by www.overstrand.gov.za onder Documents/Budget, vanaf 01 April 2026.</p> <p>Skriftelike kommentaar en vertoë insake aangeleenthede in hierdie kennisgewing vermeld moet die ondergemeinde (vir aandag CFO by cfo@overstrand.gov.za) teen Donderdag, 30 April 2026 bereik.</p>	<p>UHLAHLOLWABIWOMALI OLUQULUNQWAYO LOWAMA-2026/2027</p> <p>Esi sinqubo eikhutshwa ngokweCandelo 21 loMthetho weNkqubo zeLawulo loMasipala wama-2000 (Act 32 of 2000), neCandelo lama-22 loMthetho woLawulo hweMali zikaMasipala wowama-2003, (Act 56 of 2003), ukuba uYiko loHlahlo-lwabiwo-mali lokufaneleza kukamasipala yonyakamali wama-2026/27, Uqikelelo okubonisa ywebhujethi yonyaka-mali ka-2027/28 kunye 2028/29, ibheduyi eceywayo yeehala, amaxabiso kunye neentlawulo zonyaka-mali ka-2026/27 ezinye kumizwa ukususela ngomhla wama-1 kuJulayi 2026, kunye nemigqo-inkqubo enokulomene nohlahlo lwabiwo-mali, yandizwe kwiibhanga ngomhla ka-31 Mashi kunnyaka-2026.</p> <p>Amaxwebhu aza kufumaneka ngeesha lomsebenzi ukuba abantu bawafande kwi-ofisi zeBaphathi boNobelohlwano noLunta e-Gansbaai/Stanford, e-Hermanus nase-Kleinmond, kuzo zonke iityibirari zolunta e-Overstrand, ku-Ndankulu e-Hermanus nakwi-webhusayithi www.overstrand.gov.za phantsi kwamaxwebhu emidombi ephambili/ibhujethi Documents/Budget ukususela ngomhla wama-1 ka-Aprili 2026.</p> <p>Izimvo/amagqibantshintshi mawabhalwe athunyehwe kulo ungezantsi (ukuba iqwalasolwe ngu CFO apha: cfo@overstrand.gov.za) ungasidulanga uLwesine, we-30 Aprili 2026.</p>

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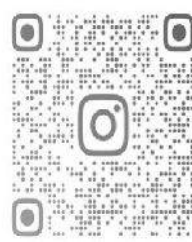
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<p>2nd ADJUSTMENTS BUDGET 2025/2026: ADJUSTMENTS BUDGET AND REVISED SERVICE DELIVERY AND BUDGET IMPLEMENTATION PLAN (SDBIP) FOR 2025/2026</p> <p>Notice is hereby given in terms of section 21A of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, 2000 (Act 32 of 2000) that Council approved the 2nd Adjustments Budget for 2025/2026 on 25 March 2026 in terms of section 28(2)(b)&(g) of the Local Government: Municipal Finance Management Act, 2003 (MFMA).</p> <p>The documents will be available for perusal during office hours at the offices of the Managers Community Liaison in Gansbaai/Stanford, Hermanus and Kleinmond, in all the public libraries in the Overstrand, the Corporate Head Office of the municipality in Hermanus and on the municipality's website at www.overstrand.gov.za under Documents > Budget/SDBIP</p>	<p>2de AANSUIWERINGSBEGROTING 2025/2026: AANSUIWERINGSBEGROTING EN HERSIENE DIENSLEWERING EN BEGROTINGS-IMPLEMENTERINGSPLAN (SDBIP) VIR 2025/2026</p> <p>Kennis geskied hiermee ingevolge artikel 21A van die Wet op Plaaslike Regering: Munisipale Stelsels, 2000 (Wet 32 van 2000) dat die Raad die 2de Aansuiwerings-begroting vir 2025/2026, ingevolge artikel 28(2)(b)&(g) van die Wet op Plaaslike Regering: Munisipale Finansiële Bestuur, 2003 (Wet 56 van 2003), op 25 Maart 2026 goedgekeur het.</p> <p>Die dokumente is gedurende kantooreure ter insae by die kantore van die Bestuurders Gemeenskapkakolng in Gansbaai/Stanford, Hermanus en Kleinmond, in alle openbare biblioteke in die Overstrand, die Korporatiewe Hoofkantoor van die munisipaliteit in Hermanus en op die munisipaliteit se webwerf by www.overstrand.gov.za onder Documents > Budget/SDBIP</p>	<p>UHLENGAHLENGISO LWESIBINI LOHLAHLLO LWABIWO-MALI LUKA-2025/2026: UHLENGAHLENGISO LOHLAHLLO LWABIWO-MALI KUNYE NOKUHANJISWA KWENKONZO OKUHLAZIYIWEYO KUNYE NESICWANGCISO SOKUPHUNYEZWA KOHLAHLLO LWABIWO-MALI (SDBIP) KA-2025/2026</p> <p>Esi sinqubo ngokweCandelo 21A loRhulumente weNingqi: iMthetho weNkqubo zikaMasipala, 2000 (uMthetho 32 ka-2000) sokuba iBhunga lphumeze uHlahlo lwabiwo-mali loHlengahlengiso lwama-2025/2026 ngomhla wama-25 Eyokwindla 2026 ngokwecandelo lama-28(2)(b) ukuya (g) kuRhulumente weNingqi: iMthetho woLawulo hweMali kaMasipala, ka-2003 (MFMA).</p> <p>La maxwebhu aza kufumaneka ukuba ahlolelwe ngeeyure zeofisi kwi-ofisi zabaPhathi Bonobelohlwano noLunta e-Gansbaai-Stanford, e-Hermanus, e-Kleinmond kunye nakwiwo onke amathala eencwadi olunta e-Overstrand, i-Ofisi eyiNdoko yeNkampani kamasipala e-Hermanus nakwi-webhusayithi kamasipala ethi www.overstrand.gov.za phantsi kwamaxwebhu Documents > Budget/SDBIP.</p>

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Dogtertjie in pa se 50-jaar-oue gehekelde dooprok gedoop



Klein Belindrie de Jager (4 maande), dogtertjie van Morne en Belindie de Jager, is op Sondag 22 Maart 2026 in haar ouma se huis in L'Agulhas gedoop - in haar pa Morne, wat nou 50 jaar oud is, se 50-jaar-oue gehekelde dooprok. Belindrie is op 24 November 2025 in Saudi-Arabië gebore.

haar in L'Agulhas, in haar ouma se huis, te laat doop. Wat 'n heuglike oomblik was dit nie vir die De Jager-egpaar nie."

Die redaksiespan van die *Gans-Berg Nuus* dra graag hul gelukwense aan die egpaar oor en wens hulle 'n aangename verblyf hier toe, asook 'n veilige terugreis na Saudi-Arabië.

"Ons woon en werk in Saudi-Arabië en het tydens die Ramadan-vakansie spesiaal na Suid-Afrika gekom om

Hardus Botha



Morne en Belindie de Jager met hul dogtertjie, Belindrie (4 maande).

Pragtige oomblik: Pa Morne de Jager met sy dogtertjie Belindrie in sy 50-jaar-oue gehekelde dooprok.

Vintage Rewind bring vintage sjarme na Gansbaai

Vintage Rewind van Michelle Loubser in Dirkie Uysstraat 6, Gansbaai is reeds vir kliënte oop, maar die amptelike opening is vir 7 April 2026 geskeduleer - 'n opening wat geen dame moet misloop nie. Die openingspryse sal almal verras en sal selfs lank ná die opening steeds aangebied word. Dit is net die regte plek vir 'n verskeidenheid materiale, naaldwerkbenodigdhede en nog baie meer.

Wat kliënte te wagte kan wees, behels 'n hele verskeidenheid naaldwerkbehoefes - 'n wye verskeidenheid materiale en naaldwerkbenodigdhede (haberdashery - 'n pragtige woord!) wat in voorraad sal wees: *Handcrafted - Restored - Reimagined*. Michelle sê die winkel bly basies dieselfde as wat kliënte dit geken het, maar baie gaan bykom: outydse materiale (*vintage*), klassieke materiale en retro-materiale, asook 'n groot verskeidenheid gare, naaldwerkmasjiennaalde en -voetjies en tolletjies - te veel om op te noem.

Michelle het baie jare se naaldwerkervaring en is reeds sowat 15 jaar 'n Gansbaaier. Sy was vir baie jare die Broeikamerbestuurder (*Hatchery Manager*) by Buffeljachts Abalone Farm. "Ek het genoeg perlemoentjies sien uitbroei; nou wil ek op my lieflingstokperdjie fokus," het Michelle skertsend gesê.



Vintage Rewind se besigheidsure is Maandae tot Vrydae vanaf 09:00 tot 16:00 en Saterdag vanaf 09:00 tot 13:00. Vir navrae kan Michelle Loubser by 076 125 4114 geskakel word, of stuur 'n epos aan haar by info@vintagerewind.co.za. Gesoek ook gerus haar website www.vintagerewind.co.za

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Cecil & Berty palm 4BBB in
Cecil Galloway en Berty Sassman wen Saterdag, 28 Maart 2026 se 4BBB Stableford kompetisie.

Woensdag, 25 Maart:
John Wellman wen die Sloegters Enkel Stableford met 37 punte, gevolg deur Clive Bailey 37, Leon Lombaard 36, Cobus Dippenaar 35, Berty Sassman 35, Dawie Viljoen 35, Jacques Louw 33, Dirk van Dyk 33, Joe Cesare 31 en Peet Pretorius 30.
Naaste aan die pen op no 11 (geel bof) - Peet Pretorius.
Spog Twee's: Cobus Dippenaar No 17 en Peet Pretorius no 15.

Vrydag, 27 Maart:
Koos Myburgh wen die 9-puntjie Enkel Stableford met 20 punte, gevolg deur Jacques Louw 19, Willem Germishuys 19, Pietie Uys 19, JP Laubscher 18, Owen Huxham 18, Lionel Kemm 17, Jacobus Bothma 17, Callie Lourens 17 en Pero Heyns 16.

Saterdag, 28 Maart:
Cecil Galloway & Berty Sassman wen die 4BBB Stableford kompetisie met 48 punte, gevolg deur Johan Coetzee & Rene Myburgh 42, Peet Pretorius & Cobus Dippenaar 41, Bev Swart & Jacques Louw 40, Werner Muller & Chris Muller 39, Faan Havenga & H Visser 39, Peet Pretorius & Hugo Groenewald 37, Clive Bailey & Marietjie de Villiers 37, Pieter Smal & Johan du Preez 34 en Joe Cesare & Dirk van Dyk 32.

Spog Twee: No 17 Johan du Preez en Naaste aan Pen op no 8: Cobus Dippenaar (geel bof).

Brodie Liga:
Gansbaai wen Arabella op Gansbaai met 5/1. Die span was: Pieter Loubser (Liga Kapt.), Francois van der Merwe, Daniel van der Merwe, Willem Germishuys, Melvin Tobias en JP Laubscher.

Vrydag, 3 April:
Steakaand.

Saterdag, 4 April:
Kompetisie is 'n 4BBB Stableford.

Verjaarsdae:
Frank Wetterer (1ste) en Neil White (7de).
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Groete,
Johan Coetzee 082 878 0534

Weather Forecast / Weer Voorspelling

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
01/4/2026	02/4/2026	03/4/2026	04/4/2026	05/4/2026	06/4/2026
21°	24°	20°	20°	20°	23°
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Dag / Day	High	High	Low	Low
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4 April	0418	1637	1026	2231
5 April	0445	1705	1052	2258
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Hoera (!) vir oop galjoenseisoen

"Die galjoenseisoen is oop - hoera!" het Elba Tredoux van die Overberg Rots- en Strandhengelklub laat weet.

"Nogtans is daar maar enkele galjoene (meestal aan die kleinerige kant) die naweek ingeweeg, met kabeljoue wat redelik volop was, maar ook maar aan die kleinerige kant." Saterdag, 21 Maart 2026, was dit weer kompetisiehengel vir die klub.

vertrou dat die see en weer vir die volgende paar maande sal saamspeel. Die lekker gees wat binne die klub heers, is aan die einde van die dag die eintlike wenner! Elba het weer die klub se dankbaarheid teenoor hul getroue borge uitgespreek, waarsonder die maandelikse hengelkompetisies nie moontlik sou wees nie - Kuslang's Restaurant, Fish Fever, Gansbaai Vismark, Chas Everitt



Elba vertel 'n pragtige gesamentlike gewig van 75 kg is aangeteken, waarvan die meerderheid vis weer teruggestit is. "Só doen ons ons deel vir die volgende geslag," sê sy, aangesien die klub 'n beleid van *catch & release* handhaaf. Die weer en waters was baie gunstig, met net 'n ligte windjie wat gewaai het. Dit was dus 'n baie ontspanne dag langs die viswaters, met heelwat hengelaars oral besig om vis te vang. "Haaklip het omtrent gelyk soos iets met 'n klomp liggrade, soos die stokke gestaan het!"

Die 'Man of the Day' was Janco Coetzee van die Knorhane-span, met 'n gewig van 11.71 kg, gevolg deur Mias Albrecht (Koningsvisse-span) met 10.35 kg. Melchi Botha (Knorhane-span) se vangste van 9.89 kg het die derde plek aan hom besorg. "Dit was dan ook nie verbasend dat die Knorhane-span die dag se wenners was nie," was Elba se kommentaar.

Met slegs drie kompetisies oor voor die klub se jaareinde, begin die wedywing nou voluit tussen die spanne en individuele hengelaars. Elba sê hulle

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Hierdie is 'n hengelklub wat seker maak hul maandelikse kompetisies eindig nie sonder topgehalte kos nie - dié keer was dit die bobaas-kokke van die Koningsvisse-span se beurt, met die Musieklab wat, soos gebruiklik, litte-lose voete-jeuk-musiek gemaak het. "Ons sien uit na ons volgende kompetisie gedurende die naweek van 25 April 2026, wat met die langnaweek saamval - kom kuier gerus saam!" sluit Elba met hengelgroete af.

Hardus Botha

OVERSTRAND MUNICIPALITY

Applications are hereby invited from qualified persons to be appointed in the under mentioned vacancy:

FIRE FIGHTER: GANSBAAI

Directorate: Municipal Public Safety

Department: Fire, Rescue and Disaster Management

Reference number: WC0323104

Basic Salary: R238 164 p.a.

Night shift allowance and shift allowance

Employment Type: Permanent

Place of Work: Gansbaai

Requirements: • Grade 12 or higher • Fire Fighter 1 course • Hazmat Awareness • First Aid level 3 • Physically and mentally fit • Medical test NFFPA 1582 • A valid Code C/C1/EC1/EC driver's licence • No criminal record • Communication skills in at least two (2) of the three (3) official languages of the Western Cape • One (1) year's operational experience.

To view detailed advertisement with all relevant information for the above vacancy please visit Overstrand Municipality's website at: www.overstrand.gov.za

For any enquiries in this regard, please contact Mr. Lester Smit on 028 313 5041.

Closing date: 15 April 2026

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Jak de Priester laat 'bejaarde' skoolkinders skaterlag



Jak de Priester in aksie.

Die bekende sanger en Afrikaanse liedjieskrywer, Jak de Priester, het homself behoortlik in 'n stampvol saal met 'bejaarde' skoolkinders vasgeloop. Die geleentheid was die knap Gasvryheid-dames, onder leiding van Elcine Hulme, se 'Back-to-School'-funksie op Dinsdag, 24 Maart 2026 in die Pretoriussaal - met sowat 200+ 'skoolkinders' (gaste). Jak het sy optrede begin met die sing van 'Ma', 'n gedig deur Antjie Krog wat hy getoonset het: "Ma, ek skryf vir jou 'n gedig sonder fênsie leestekens, sonder woorde wat rym, sonder

bywoorde, net sommer 'n kaalvoetgedig..."

Die 'skoolkinders', baie van hulle in egte skooldrag, het van meet af gelag, gesels, rondgehardloop en kartonvliegtuigies na mekaar gegooi, met Lolly Pop-suigstokkies in die mond - optredes wat enige onderwyser teen die mure sou laat uitklim het. Die tafels is soos skoollessenaars versier - met 'n tafel vir elke denkbare vak: van Afrikaans, Engels en Xhosa tot by Ekonomie en Rekeningkunde. Items op die tafels het bestaan uit twee kleurvolle balle speelklei met 'n Lolly Pop-suigstokkie binne-in, kartonvliegtuigies, syferspeletjies wat voltooi kon word en egte miniatuur-gradeplegtigheidshoedjies, kompleet met 'n goue behangseltye en 'n miniatuur, opgerolde 'diploma' bo-op - vasgebind met goue toutjies.

Op die koop toe was daar vir elkeen 'n 'karton-kosblikkie' gevul met lekkergoed, chippies en ander lekker eetgoedjies, met 'n Liqui-Fruit-koeldrankboksie vir elkeen, asook kleurvolle 'skoolkind-servette'.

Tussendeur het Jak, op sy kenmerkende manier en met sy klawerbord as begeleidende musiekinstrument, die gaste laat



Jak de Priester ontvang 'n huldeblyk van Elcine Hulme.

skaterlag. Elke liedjie het 'n humoristiese verhaal gehad wat hy vertel het voordat hy dit gesing het - sy eie liedjies wat hy geskryf het. Hierdie kunstenaar is al die afgelope 25 jaar in die musiekbedryf as Afrikaanse sanger en liedjieskrywer.

Net een van die 'verhaalvoorbeelde' is juis Antjie Krog se gedig 'Ma': Jak vertel dat hy in die laerskool altyd 'n 'lift' van die skool af saam met 'n meisie se ma gekry het - min wetende die meisie se ma is Antjie Krog, bemaamde digter. "Lang storie kort," het hy gesê, "Antjie is een van my gunstelingdigters en toe ek haar jare later per e-pos vra of sy my van skooldae af onthou, met die 'lifts' wat sy my gegee het, het sy laat weet: 'Vaagweg.' - met die klem op die punt!"

Jak het 'n groot verskeidenheid goeie Afrikaanse liedjies, wat hy self geskryf het, gesing - en toe hy met 'Groen Mamba' afsluit, het die 'skoolkinders' almal aan die dans gegaan. Nou ja, wat 'n gesellige en genotvolle oggend was dit nie saam met Jak de Priester en 'n saal vol onhebbelike 'bejaarde' skoolkinders nie.

Hardus Botha

