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From the Chair



We began this month of with a social evening for a noggin. December started with relentless and persistent rainfall ! So thanks to all those who embraced the cold rainy weather to join us. I personally really enjoy casual evenings as you get to learn about people and their stories. Sharing a warm coffee on a cold night shows what our club is about ...fellowship.

The run was a drive to Estate D' Afrique. Hosted by Rod and Sharon. I had to take the plastic unfortunately as my windscreen on the MG is more effective as a pasta colander than a waterproof barrier... so plastic was the only option and with the wet conditions experienced I am glad I took the easy way out. Before the event Kevin Kholer had messaged me asking if his brother could come in another British sports car but it wasn't going to be an MG, and of course my response was the more the merrier! Well I was amazed when those British sports cars turned out to be 2 absolutely beautiful Aston Martins, one a DB4 and the other was a DB2 mark 2. I think we all have a deep love for MG but was

wonderful to see two great cars join us and just participate in the in the fun of the club and was great for the club to see something different.

Whilst it is a venue that has hosted us a few times. It is the first time I have been able to go and WOW what a wonderful place and a spectacular view, even in misty foggy conditions. I am so grateful to Rod and Sharon for hosting this wonderful day! And lets not forget Anita for organising the security details and head counts, thank you so much! A day truly enjoyed by all!

I want to wish everyone a Merry Christmas, may it be filled with love and joy. And a very Happy New Year, may the new year and new decade bring you all happiness.

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Mike





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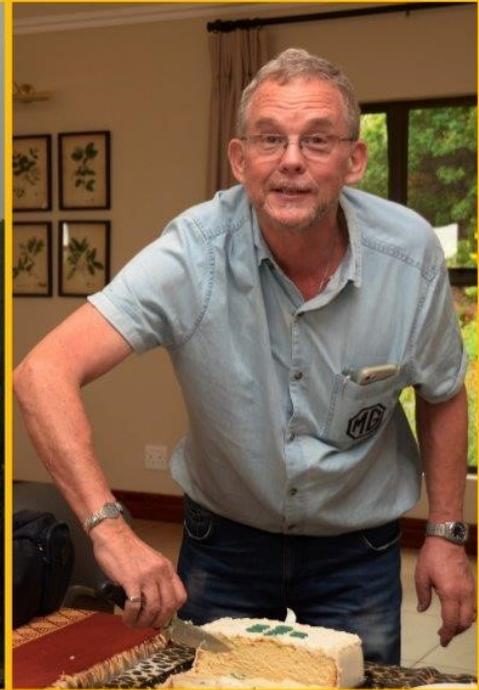
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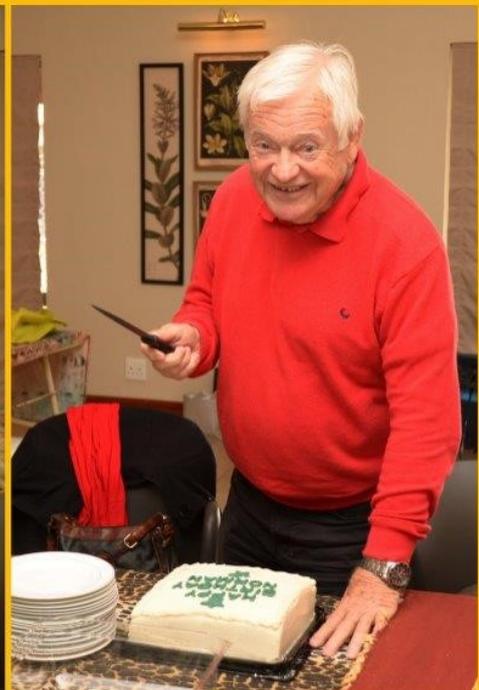
Run to Estate d' Afrique



MG Norman's b/day run
Estate d' Afrique
Sun 8th Dec '19



MG Run
Estate d' Afrique
Sun 8th Dec '19





The Royal Christmas card, A MG TD!!



Forthcoming Events

MG Noggin	Social Evening	9th January
SAMCA RUN	Stonehaven	19th January
AGM	Old Eds	6th February

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Family Membership: R420

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SAMCA BREAKFAST RUN **TO STONEHAVEN.**

When: 19th January

Meeting point: Blockhouse petrol station @ 9am.

Cost R100 pp

Volunteers needed to help with parking!!



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Minutes of 2019 AGM in Preparation for 2020 AGM

Venue:	Old Edwardian Club, Houghton, Johannesburg
Time:	20:00
Apologies:	Thomas Kirkland, John Buttress, Derek Langsford, Anita de Castro, Carlo de Castro
Proxies:	Anita de Castro gave her proxy to Joe de Castro Carlo de Castro gave his proxy to Joe de Castro
Attendess	25 at meeting. Quorum is minimum 10% of 76 paid-up members or 25, whichever is the higher.
Chairman's Introduction Bruce Dixon	Welcome Sunday 10/Feb/2019 run is to Hogsville. By a show of hands 15 expected, numbers needed for catering. Wednesday 13/Feb/2019 run to Pierino's house to see cars he has built.
Norman Ewing	Information on 50 th Anniversary plans John Meiring attended the AGM and was at the first club was at the first meeting. Plan to repeat the first Johannesburg MGCC run to Numbi, Hazyview, provisionally, 6 – 8/Sep/2019. Thumbs Up has information.
2018 AGM Minutes Rati- fication	Proposed: Tony Maybank Seconded: Jenny Loader
Chairman's Report	Bruce Dixon (Chairman)
Approval for 2018 Finan- cial Statements	Tony Maybank (Treasurer) presented the 2018 Income Statement and Balance Sheet. Still to be audited, notes to go into Thumbs Up 2018 Financial Statements Proposed by: Rodney Norton Seconded by: John Meiring
Dissolution of Existing and Election of the New Com- mittee and Chairman	Stuart Hain <u>3 members of retiring committee to remain:</u> Claudette Dutilleux Michael Trollope Jonathan Burke <u>Proposed members:</u> Norman Ewing Tony Maybank Sergio Mourao <u>All 6 nominees were duly elected</u> <u>Chairman to be nominated</u> Michael Trollope appointed.
New Chairman's Address	Michael Trollope asked Bruce Dixon to close the meeting and gave a vote of thanks for Bruce's and wife Carol's 3 years of outstanding service.

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