

#### **Est. May 2004 Committee Members**

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# **MARCH 2018**

# 27 MARCH MEETING - 10h00 to 11h00: Barry Martin

Barry Martin is the Senior Director of Water & Sanitation in the NMBM. He will discuss the current drought situation and future water supply solutions.

**24 APRIL: Prof Peter Booth** will address us on the subject of 'Fracking'.

29 MAY: Carol Victor will address us on 'The Great Fires of PE, Our Heritage Destroyed'

### APRIL OUTING: Toys & Teas. Friday 13 April at 10h00

Toys and Teas is a Toy Museum and Coffee Shop at 68 Worraker Street, Newton Park (between 6th and 7th Ave.) Normally the cost is R10 to browse the museum, but the owners have given us a special deal of R40, which will include tea/coffee, carrot cake and entrance to the museum. If you'd like to join us, please put your name down on the list at the meeting.

#### **COMMITTEE NEWS**

Subsequent to the resignation of our chairman, Aubrey Bradfield, I made an appeal to members at our meeting on 27 February to either volunteer to join the committee or to assist the committee at meetings.

I'm pleased to say that one of our new members, Claire Blain has volunteered to man the visitors' table at our meetings. We are extremely grateful to Claire for offering our organisation her services.

HOWEVER, we still have no offers to set up our sound system at our meetings, and quite frankly, if we have no microphones we might as well not have a meeting, as half the auditorium will not be able to hear our speakers. According to Aubrey, this is not rocket science!

Therefore we appeal once more for assistance from our male members.

If you are able to assist us, please contact me on: 041-583 1568 083 653 3099

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If we are not successful in securing assistance, we invite suggestions from our members regarding the future of our organisation.





March Outing - South End Heritage Tour See more pictures on our website

# **2018 SUBS**

2018 subs are now due. The subs remain R50 per person if paid before April, thereafter it will be R60. New members pay R50 plus R10 registration fee.

### **Banking details:**

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Nedbank, Branch: 198765, Savings Acc: 2007311232

# **NEWSLETTERS**

If you would like to have your newsletter e-mailed to you, please fill in the form at the next meeting, writing your e-mail address VERY CLEARLY. I recently did a test run of 65 emails and about a third bounced back back because of incorrect addresses.

### LAST WORD:

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