



KZN HUNTING SHOOTING & CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION

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MEMBERS LOGIN NOTE: All members will need to use their email addresses as the username and their ID as the password.

Dear Members

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 10 NOVEMBER 2018.

This Newsflash contains only the most important current issues relevant to the Association and its members.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

This is an Official Notice of our Association's Annual General Meeting to be held on Saturday the 10th of November 2018.

Venue: Beaumont Eston Farmers Club. R603 Umbumbulu Road

Annual General Meeting Time:

07h00 – 08h30 for hunting trophy entries.

09h00 – 12h30 for AGM

Dress code: Smart casual

Members are reminded to return the silverware, in good condition, polished and engraved. Please contact Hannelie at the office to make arrangements to drop them off before Friday the 26th of October 2018.

After the meeting we expect to auction Kameelkop hunting packages. Further details to follow.

NOMINATIONS FOR THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE FOR 2018/2019:

Please note: In terms of Clause 9.5 of our Constitution all nominations for the Executive Committee need the written approval of the Branch Committee under which the nominee falls. Attached, you will find a nomination form for members to be appointed to the Executive Committee for 2018/2019. Please complete the form in full with the necessary signatures and submit to the Association office by no later than Friday, the 12th of October 2018.

LUNCH:

A buffet lunch will be served from 13h00 – R180 per person and R100 per child under the age of 12. Please contact Hannelie at the office for bookings which need to be confirmed by the 29th of October 2018. Payment for lunch can be made in advance into the Association bank account:

Account holder: KZN Hunting & Conservation Association

Bank: First National Bank – Pinetown

Account number: 58880792280

Branch code: 221 626

Reference to use: Surname & member number followed by AGM lunch

The early birds travelling from far can purchase a light breakfast at the Club.

Trophy Competition:

Please note that EXCO has decided that only members who were 10 years and older at the time the animal was harvested may submit entries to the Trophy Competition.

Entries to the Trophy Competition will only be accepted from Members who were in good standing as at the 31st of October 2018, as per Clause 8.1 of the Constitution.

Anybody entering a trophy in the competition confirms that it was legally hunted and in the spirit of fair chase. This means:

- The hunter must be in possession of all duly completed relevant documentation, including applicable licences and Tops permits (if required)
- Fair chase is defined as the pursuit of a free ranging animal or enclosed roaming animal possessed of the natural behavioural inclination to escape from the hunter and who is completely free to do so. This means, inter alia, that the animal cannot be hunted with the aid of an artificial light source or motorised transport, and therefore automatically excludes any animals shot during a culling exercise or at night.
- The rules for the competition will be published at the venue and all entrants will be required to sign an affidavit. The trophy measurers reserve the right to request any necessary legal documentation with regards to any trophy entered in the competition. The Trophy Competition Affidavit and rules are attached.

Photographic competition:

We urge our members to enter as many photographs as they wish at no cost.

Category A:

Any wildlife picture (animals)

Category B:

An African scene (landscapes)

Category C:

Entry by a junior member depicting "A" and/or "B"

Please note that the maximum size of your photograph/s is 8 x 12"

LIST OF TROPHIES AND AWARDS 2018

Photographic Awards:

Whysall's Photographic Trophy (Overall Winner)

Photographic Certificate (Highly Commended)

Photographic Certificate (Commended)

Photographic Certificate (Highly Commended Junior entry)

Association Shoots:

Nyala Inter-Branch (trophy handed over at Nyala Shoot)

Top Gun competition (Individual event) Shotgun, Rifle, Overall

Senator Howard Odell Trophy (Junior member with Highest Score in the Top Gun)

Training Courses:

Clinckemaillie Junior Hunters Knife/ Shield (top student on a junior course) – shield remains in office

Junior Conservationist Award

Leon Kruger Memorial Trophy (top student on a senior hunters course)

Other:

Pierre Weitz Floating Trophy (most active junior of the year; all activities taken into account)

JF King Conservation Trophy

Douglas Johnstone Game Bird Trophy
Leon Du Casse Branch floating trophy awarded for most active branch
Silvain Clinckemaillie Memorial Trophy for Association Service

Trophies:

Roy Mattison Elephant Trophy
Rob Mattison Buffalo Trophy
E W Bure Impala Trophy
W A Williamson Bushbuck Trophy
Charles Humphries Duiker Trophy
V Kramer Nyala Trophy
Coenraad Vermaak Blesbuck Trophy
L A van Rooyen Mountain Reedbuck Trophy
P W van Rooyen Common Reedbuck Trophy
Mike White Kudu Trophy
Lady Lister Blue Wildebeest Trophy
Karl Heinz Arltrow Black Wildebeest Trophy
Izak Vorster Warthog Trophy
Carel de Wet Springbuck Trophy
Malcolm MacFarlane Bushpig Trophy
Graham Morrison Eland Trophy
Vryheid Branch Red Hartebeest Trophy
Albrecht Piro Grey Rhebuck Trophy
Fallow Deer Trophy
Rico de Marigny Gemsbuck Trophy
Midlands Branch Klipspringer Trophy
Alfred County Branch Oribi Trophy
Upper Tugela Branch Steenbuck Trophy
Zululand Branch Blue Duiker Trophy
Zululand Branch Red Duiker Trophy
Richard Rodd Waterbuck Trophy
Charl van Heerden Suni Trophy
Gary Graham Hippo Trophy
Handgun hunting trophy donated by John Harris

Trophies for Juniors (10 years and older)

Vryheid Branch Rooibok Lady Junior Trophy
Tim Ivins Junior Hunters Trophy
Les Ogram Trophy for Runner-up Junior hunter
Andrew Whysall most trophies entered by a Junior
C W Roseveare Impala Trophy
Klipp Brother Common Reedbuck Trophy
Midlands Branch Bushpig Trophy
Newcastle Branch Red Hartebeest Trophy
Zululand Branch Blesbuck Trophy
Durban Branch Duiker Trophy
Keith Stuart Blue Wildebeest Trophy
Roy and Lucia Stuart Black Wildebeest Trophy
Miles Robinson Bushbuck Junior Trophy

Overall Trophies

Pat Ogram Memorial Trophy – awarded to an over 65 year old
Terry Griffin Diana Trophy – Huntress of the year
Ian Player Hunters Trophy (Blesbuck, Common Reedbuck, Bushbuck, Impala)

Marty White Trophy for runner up best trophy
St Hubert – Best trophy on display

AGM Agenda: Constitution - Proposed Changes:

Kindly refer to the Constitution document on our Website – EXCO have proposed the following changes to the clauses detailed below and this matter will be up for discussion at the AGM.

7.1.5 – Senior Membership shall be conferred on a person who is 65 years old or older. With effect from 01 September 2019 Senior Members will be liable to pay the Ordinary membership fee. However, at the discretion of EXCO, a Senior Member, on written application to EXCO, may be entitled to a reduced fee of no more than 50% of the Ordinary Membership fee. A Senior Member shall have the rights of and be subject to the obligations of an Ordinary Member.

9.2.1 – The President, the Immediate Past President and, where practical and appropriate, the President Elect; and

9.6 – the Association shall have a President, an Immediate Past President and, where practical and appropriate, a President Elect.

9.7 – at the first meeting of EXCO after the AGM, EXCO shall appoint from its ranks the President and, where practical and appropriate, the President Elect. A candidate appointed to either post must have served on EXCO for at least one year immediately prior to his appointment.

9.12 – A quorum of EXCO shall consist of 4 (four) members.

9.15 – this clause is to be removed.

ASSOCIATION NEWS

Subscriptions 2018-2019:

A big thank you to those who have paid their membership fees on time or in advance. We urge those members who have not paid to do so as soon as they possibly can. You can make arrangements with Rose at the office for instalments if this method of payment is more suitable. Constitutionally subs are due on the 01st of September and are payable before the 30th of November 2018. Statements have been posted to all members.

Dedicated hunter and Sport Shoot status:

Please remember the cut-off date to submit your Warranty and activity card is the 30th of November 2018. We have to submit an annual return to CFR before the office closes and report on all members who do not conform to the legislated requirements. Warranty form attached and available on the Website.

GENERAL

Nyala News magazine: The hunting season has come and gone. There must be lots of stories and pictures that we would love to publish in the December issue of the Nyala News magazine. Please become a contributor and make our magazine even better. Please note: Emailed photos should be high resolution and sent as an attachment, not embedded in a word document.

FIRST TIME HUNTERS:

Please submit details of all first time hunters, if not done so already, to Hannelie as they will be awarded certificates at the Annual General Meeting and Complimentary membership for one year. **Please note that Junior Hunters must be 10 years or older. First time hunters that are younger than 10 years of age need to wait until their 10th birthday before they are recognised at the AGM.**

OFFICE HOURS

The office is officially open from 07h30 to 16h00, Monday – Friday.

December shutdown: The office will officially close on the 14th of December 2018 at 13h00 and will reopen on

Monday, the 07th of January 2019.

DOWNLOADS

[AGM AGENDA CONSTITUTION](#)

[AFFIDAVIT](#)

[ANNUAL PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION](#)

[KZN HUNTING SHOOTING-NOMINATION FOR EXCO](#)

[TROPHY COMPETITION RULES](#)

[WARRANTY FOR 2017/18](#)

Best Regards

Chris Jennings

Executive Officer