

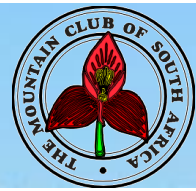
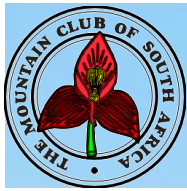
Bergklub van Suid-Afrika (Afdeling Vrystaat) | Mountain Club of South Africa (Free State Section)

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PROGRAM: JANUARIE-JULIE 2016



Date/Datum	Roete/route		Particulars/Besonderhede	Leader/Leier
6 Februarie	Algemene Jaarvergadering		Ons Algemene Jaarvergadering met 'n gesellige braai na die tyd: Plek: Kampus van die Universiteit van die Vrystaat, Plantwetenskappe gebou. 17h00 vir 17h30, die vergadering begin stiptelik om 17h30. Verdere besonderhede volg. Maak nota van datum. Bevestig asb voor 1 Feb.	Jacques Raubenheimer 0833799145
20-21 Februarie	Thaba Nchu	A	Dagstappers is welkom, maar in plaas van om net vir die dag soontoe te stap wil ons graag slaapsakke saamvat en die aan heerlik in die grot kuier. Rotsklimmers welkom.	Charlotte Augustyn 0833249474 Charlottea100@gmail.com
12-15 Maart	Cannibal	B	'n Mooi area met interessante sandsteen formasies, grotte ravine en mooi uitsigte. Waarlik een van die beeldskoonste roetes in die Oos Vrystaat. Slaap Saterdag aand in die groot sandsteen grot met goeie fasiliteite. Koste: R300 per persoon. Rugsakke kan teen ekstra ksote na die grot geneem word. Slegs plek vir 15 mense. Kontak leier voor 1 Maart.	Stephanus J van Rensburg 0826775085 jansevanrensburgsl@ufs.ac.za
18-21 Maart	Dangershoek	C-	Ons besoek hierdie gunsteling area naby die suidelike grens van Lesotho. Dramatiese berggebied met mooi sandsteen formasies, 'n hoë dubbele waterval, kristalhelder strome en imposante basalt kranse en spitse. Rowwe terrein. Tente benodig. Verkieslik voertuie met goeie grondvryhoogte. Stap in 6km tot basiskamp, en dan dagstappe. kontak leier teen Maandag, 14 Maart.	Deon du Plessis 0824122732 deon@an.tdp.co.za
25-28 Maart	Sekororo		Hierdie is 'n gesamentlike stap met die Magaliesberg afdeling. Die hoof besienswaardigheid is die asemrowende stap en klooftogte by die Olifantsrivier ravyn af, wat di teen van SA se top 10 kloofklouter bestemmings maak. Sekororo is ongelooflik mooi met dramatiese uitsigte, kristalhelder watervalle en poele, verweerde rotsformasies en inheemse bome.	Meet leader: Sarel van Rensburg Contact Jacques Raubenheimer for details: 0833799145
2 April	Sosiale Aand		Ons kuier en braai die aand by Nico en Elsa Combrink, te Castaliastr 18, Helicon Hoogte, en kyk na stapfoto's. Bring eie vleis, drinkgoed en stoele. 18h30.	Nico Combrink 0827755100 combrinknl@telkomsa.net
9-10 April	Sentinel-Ifidi cave	C-	Stap saam met ons deur die Vrystaatse deel van die Drakensberge. Ons begin by die Sentinel parkeerterrein en stap verby die Tugela valle en die bokant van die Amfiteater. Ons slaap dan in die Ifidi grot met 'n uitsig oor Kwazulu Natal. 'n sekere mate van fiksheid en tente word benodig. Koste vir permitte en slaap by die parkeerterrein is rondom R200.	Uwe Siegert 0721756119 Uwe.siegert@gmail.com
27 April-2 Mei		C+	Ons klim Thabana Nthlenyana in Lesotho, vanaf Vergelegen via Nhlangezi Pass en bring dan een of twee nagte boop die escarp deur. Op pad terug kan ons nog 'n "Khulu" klim—kaNthuba—die vierde hoogste punt in SA. Dan kom ons met die min bekende Mangaun Pas af terug tot Vergelegen kamp. So 'n avontuur is ekstreem in terme van fiksheid, alhoewel dit nie tegniese vaardighede vereis nie. Dit sal seker 4 volle date neem, plus een en 'n half dae vir reis.	Tomasz Paszkowski 0824011490 tomasz.paszkowski@harmony.co.za
27 April-2 Mei	BKSA Minikamp		Die minikamp word weer in Baviaanskloof aangebied. Kontak gerus vir Charlotte vir meer inligting.	Charlotte Augustyn 0833249474 Charlottea100@gmail.com
7 Mei	BKSA Annual Dinner		Ter viering van die 125ste bestaansjaar van die Bergklub. Kaapstad.	Petro Grobler petrogrobler@telkomsa.net
14-15 Mei	Boesmanskrans hiking trail	B	Hierdie roete naby Fouriesburg stap verby sandsteen formasies tot bo op die berg, asook deur lifelike kloue asemrowende uitsigte, boesmantekeninge en 'n kettingleer vir avonturiers. Slegs plek vir 8 stappers. Koste R240. Betaal voor 1 Mei. Beginners en gesinne is welkom.	Estelle Marais Tel 082 8556 845 Estelle.marais@mangaung
28 Mei	Twin Oaks	A	Ons neem 'n gesins- en beginners daguitstap na die plaas, Twin Oakes, 5-6 Km. Dit is die hoogste piek in die omgewing, met boesman tekeninge en mooi kranse. Perdry ook moontlik. Stappers kan ook oornag op die gasteplaas. Koste vir dagstappers is R50. Tyd en vetrekpunt sal aangekondig word.	Charlotte Augustyn 0833249474 Charlottea100@gmail.com
16-19 Junie	Ifidi/Icidi	C+	Mweni area, met twee van die moeilikste Drakensberg passe: Op met Ifidi pas, af met Icidi pas. Tente benodig. C+ net vir die fikstes en braafstes. Kontak leier vir kostes.	Chris Joubert 0844255058 ccjoubert@gmail.com
4-9 Julie	Komashoogte, Namibië	B	Nuwe vyf dag roete. Inligting sal volg indien genoeg belangstelling.	Charlotte Augustyn 0833249474 Charlottea100@gmail.com
2-16 Julie	BKSA Winterkamp	A-C	Die winterkamp is hierdie jaar in die Lotheni area, Suidelike Drakensberge	Ricci Abbott ronwedd@netactive.co.za
1-4 Okt	BKSA Nasionale Kamp		Die Bergklub se nasionale kamp word hierdie jaar in die Sederberge gehou. Moet dit nie misloop nie.	



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6 Februarie	Algemene Jaarvergadering		Our AGM with a social braai afterwards. Plant Sciences building, campus of the University of the Free State. 17h00 for 17h30, the meeting begins punctually at 17h30. Further details to follow. Note the date. Please confirm by 1 Feb.	Jacques Raubenheimer 0833799145
20-21 Februarie	Thaba Nchu	A	Day hikers are welcome, but instead of only hiking up the mountain for the day, we will take sleeping bags and enjoy the evening in the cave. Rock climbers welcome.	Charlotte Augustyn 0833249474 Charlottea100@gmail.com
12-15 Maart	Cannibal	B	A beautiful area with interesting sandstone formations, caves, ravines and fantastic views. Truly one of the most picturesque trails in the Eastern Free State. Sleep in a big sandstone cave with good facilities Saturday night. Cost: R300 per person. Backpacks can be taken to cave at extra cost. Only place for 15 people. Contact leader before 1 March.	Stephanus J van Rensburg 0826775085 jansevanrensburgsl@ufs.ac.za
18-21 Maart	Dangershoek	C-	We are visiting this favourite area near the Southern border of Lesotho. Spectacular mountain area with beautiful sandstone formations, a high twin waterfall, crystal clear streams and impressive basalt cliffs and pinnacles. Rough terrain. Take tents. Preferably vehicles with high clearance. Backpack 6km to base camp, then day walks. Contact leader by Monday, 14 March.	Deon du Plessis 0824122732 deon@an.tdp.co.za
25-28 Maart	Sekororo		This is a joint meet with the Magaliesberg section. The main attraction of Sekororo is the spectacular hiking and kloofing down the Olifants River gorge, making the area one of South Africa's top 10 kloofing destinations. Sekororo is incredibly beautiful with dramatic views, crystal clear waterfalls and pools, weathered rock and indigenous trees.	Meet leader: Sarel van Rensburg Contact Jacques Raubenheimer for details: 0833799145
2 April	Sosiale Aand		We will braai, visit and look at photos at the house of Nico and Elsa Combrink, at Castaliastr 18, Helicon Heights. Bring own meat, drinks and chairs. 18h30.	Nico Combrink 0827755100 combrinknl@telkomsa.net
9-10 April	Sentinel-Ifidi cave	C-	Join us on our hike through the Free State part of the Drakensberg. We start at Sentinel car park and take our route past the Tugela Falls and the top of the Amphitheatre. We're going to sleep in the Ifidi cave overlooking Kwazulu Natal. Certain degree of fitness and tents required. Costs for permits and sleeping at the car park around R 200.	Uwe Siegert 0721756119 Uwe.siegert@gmail.com
27 April-2 Mei		C+	Climb Thabana Nthlenyana in Lesotho, starting in Vergelegen and ascending via Nhlangezi Pass and spending one or two nights on the top of escarpment. After climbing Thabana in Lesotho, on the way back we could scale another "Khulu", kaNthuba, which happens to be fourth highest point in South Africa. Then we could descend little known Mangaun Pass back to Vergelegen camp. Such an adventure would also be classified as extreme in terms of fitness, although there will be no technical requirements. It would most probably take full 4 days plus one and a half days for travelling.	Tomasz Paszkowski 0824011490 tomasz.paszkowski@harmony.co.za
27 April-2 Mei	MCSA Minikamp		The mini camp is being presented in Baviaanskloof again. Contact Charlotte for more information.	Charlotte Augustyn 0833249474 Charlottea100@gmail.com
7 Mei	MCSA Annual Dinner		Commemorating the 125th year of existence of the Mountain Club. Cape Town.	Petro Grobler petrogrobler@telkomsa.net
14-15 Mei	Boesmanskrans hiking trail	B	This route is near Fouriesburg and passes sandstone formations, up the mountain, lovely kloofs, breath taking views, bushmen paintings and a chain ladder for the adventurers. Only place for 8 hikers. Cost R 240. Pay before 1 May. Beginners and families welcome.	Estelle Marais Tel 082 8556 845 Estelle.marais@mangaung
28 Mei	Twin Oaks	A	A family and beginners outing to the farm Twin Oaks, the highest peak in the area, with bushman paintings and beautiful cliffs. 5-6 Km. Horse riding also possible. Hikers can overnight at the guest farm. Fee for day hikers: R50. Time and point of departure to be announced.	Charlotte Augustyn 0833249474 Charlottea100@gmail.com
16-19 Junie	Ifidi/Icidi		Mweni area, doing two of the hardest Drakensberg passes: Up Ifidi pass, down Icidi pass, Needs Tents, C+ hike, only the fit and brave. Contact leader for costs	Chris Joubert 0844255058 ccjoubert@gmail.com
4-9 Julie	Komashoogte, Namibië	B	New five day route. Information to follow in there is enough interest.	Charlotte Augustyn 0833249474 Charlottea100@gmail.com
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1-4 Okt	MCSA Nasionale Kamp		The 2016 MCSA national camp is in the Cedarberg. Don't miss out!	