

# NEWSLETTER



MILL HILL  
*Residents Association*

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Dear Mill Hill Residents

Where does the time go! I think of a saying of mother Theresa - ***“Yesterday is gone. Tomorrow has not yet come. We have only today. Let us begin.”*** So as 2014 gets under way, let us make it the year we want for our families, our community and our country. Mill Hill Residents Association is committed to ensuring that our suburb remains the safe place that we all treasure and love to live in. I recently had friends who live in a smaller town stay and we went for morning walks around the suburb and they were just amazed at the beauty, the tranquillity, the friendliness of the people and the fact that people were out walking and kids playing in the park – “We never imagined this was possible in Johannesburg.” As I told them about MHRA, I was once again struck by the residents that dedicate their time, free of charge, to do the many jobs that are required to maintain Mill Hill. This especially as we find it increasingly difficult to work with the official bodies charged with running the city. A huge **THANK YOU** to each and every one of you.

**Help us BE the change we want to see in the world. Help us BE that change – let it begin with ME.**

We need more people to support the work of the Camera team and the website updating. The more people that come forward, the less work it is for everyone, and it also offers the wonderful opportunity of getting to know others living here.

If you are interested or just what to know more about what is done, call our Chairman David Graham on 0114638828.

Dear Mill Hill Residents

We the guards that work at the Mill Hill boom would like to say

**THANK YOU**

for thinking of us at Christmas and showing us your appreciation of our work in helping keep Mill Hill safe. We are really grateful for the financial gift. We consider you all as part of our family and value our work with the MHRA, Camera team, CPF and Domestic Workers Forum.

## IMPORTANT SECURITY NOTICE

The two mobile numbers to take you directly to the 2 SAPS vehicles patrolling Sector 2 have changed.

Below are the NEW numbers – Please ensure that they are programmed into your mobile phones and those of the people working for you:

**071 6757 123/117**

## RANDBURG COMMUNITY POLICE FORUM (CPF)

Towards the end of last year Randburg CPF Sector 5 (of which we were a part) and Sector 2 were merged to form one sector - Sector 2 of the Randburg Community Police Forum. This change has in effect halved our policing as the area served has doubled and the number of patrolling vehicles has remained the same!

# NOTICES

MHRA has taken up the matter with the DA Spokesperson for Safety and Security, Kate Lorimer, but the response received from the MEC of Safety and Security was totally unacceptable. This directive, from the top, is a sign of the lack of resources being given to policing and a lack of true community engagement.

As a result of the CPF changes, Jane Badham resigned from being Chair of Sector 5 CPF. The chair of the new Sector 2 is Lance Porter and he is looking for people to join his committee. If you are interested, contact him on 0836564584. The new Sector 2 manager remains W/O Hein van Heerden and he can be contacted on 0767814513.



**NEED...  
SHOPPING  
TRANSPORT  
HOUSE SITTING  
PET MINDING**

Marco, the son of Hannie and Pieter Theron, is available and is already assisting some folk in San Sereno. For more details contact Marco on 082 461 1365 or Pieter and Hannie on 011 463 3279.

**Have you  
EVER...**



➤ **wondered** what it is like to play bowls?  
➤ **wished** you could play and enjoy bowls?  
San Sereno Bowling Club is offering the opportunity to satisfy your wonder and your wish by offering free coaching on Saturday mornings and inviting new members to join the Club as the special fee of R150.00 per annum for residents of Mill Hill living outside San Sereno.  
For further details contact Aubrey Welsford on 011 4632312.

**NEWSFLASH:** Telkom will be doing an upgrade on corner Norman and Mill Hill Terrace so there will be digging on the pavements and across the road! We will keep an eye on the work and they have promised to limit the inconvenience.

## 2014 MEETINGS

### MILL HILL RESIDENTS MEETINGS

Please diarise the following dates for the Residents Association meetings this year:  
17 February / 19 May / 18 August / 17 November.  
We meet at San Sereno at 19h30 and it is a great opportunity to hear what is happening in Mill Hill and the wider community – Please join us.

### DOMESTIC WORKERS FORUMS

We urge all residents to ensure that their domestic workers attend these meetings as they are a critical part of your and our suburb security and are often the frontline when crime or an emergency strikes.

The meetings run from 13h45 to 15h00 and the meeting dates are written on the notice at the board and staff are handed notices in advance.



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