

KZN HERITAGE, CULTURAL & ENVIRONMENTAL SOCIETIES

EVENTS DIARY FOR JUNE 2019

Date & Time	Society & Venue	Speaker & Topic	Charge	Contact person
<i>Every Saturday</i> 10h00 to 14h00	PHANSI MUSEUM 500 Esther Roberts Road, Glenwood, Durban <i>(Indigenous Food on Sale)</i>	www.phansi.com Indigenous Games Saturdays incl. Codemakers, Capoeira (martial art) and Pen Pals	N/C	Thobeka Dhlomo thobekadhlo@gmail.com
<i>Saturday</i> 01 June 2019 07h30	BIRDLIFE PORT NATAL Pigeon Valley, Glenwood	Bring picnic tea and chairs for afterwards.		Terry Walls Cell: 082 871 6260
<i>Saturday</i> 01 June 2019 10h00 to 12h00	BOTANICAL SOCIETY OF SA - KZN COASTAL Leckhampton Farm Wholesale Nursery, Hammarisdale	www.botsoc-kzn.org.za Collette Norris: Tour of nursery and opportunity to buy indigenous plants.	N/C	botsoc-kzn@mweb.co.za Tel. 031 201 5111 Cell: 071 869 3693
<i>Saturday</i> 01 June 2019 13h00 for 13h30	SPEAK OUT SA - DURBAN BRANCH Glenwood Presbyterian Church Hall Esther Roberts Road, Glenwood, Durban	www.speakoutsa.jimdo.com Various speakers. Aspects of training in public speaking + communication skills.	Free for visitors	Mary Laing Tel. 031 202 8130 laingm@eastcoast.co.za
<i>Sunday</i> 02 June 2019 08h30	PALMIET NATURE RESERVE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE At end of Old New Germany Road off Jan Hofmeyr Rd opp. Westville Boys High	Linda Smith will lead a four-hour hike through the reserve.	http://www.palmiet.za.net/ Donations welcome for Reserve upkeep	Warren Friedman Tel. 031 262 2935
<i>Sunday</i> 02 June 2019 10h00 to 15h00	PIETERMARITZBURG MODEL ENGINEERING SOCIETY 78 Rudling Road, Bisley, Pietermaritzburg	Model Steam Train Rides	www.pmes.co.za Train rides: R10	Martin Hampton Cell: 083 388 3149 martinjchampton@gmail.com
<i>Wednesday</i> 05 June 2019 09h00 for 09h30	THE UNIVERSITY OF THE THIRD AGE United Congregational Church Hall, Pardy Gardens, off Musgrave Road, Durban	Angie Thistlethwaite: Memorable U3A meetings and outings, illustrated with a slide show	Tea/coffee R5 Visitors R20	Jill Seldon Tel. 031 209 3977
<i>Saturday</i> 8 June 2019 10h00	KLOOF CONSERVANCY/WESSA (HIGHWAY) Glenholme Nature Reserve/Kloof & Highway SPCA Village Road, Kloof <i>(Meet in car park)</i>	www.kloofconservancy.org.za Guided walk through rare swamp forest, grassland scarp forest to see waterfall plus local history.	N/C Donations welcome	Paolo Candotti Cell: 083 626 8684
<i>Saturday</i> 08 June 2019 13h45 for 14h00	SPEAK OUT SA - FRANGIPANI BRANCH Westville North Library, 167 Roger Sishi Road, Westville North.	www.speakoutsa.jimdo.com Various speakers. Aspects of training in public speaking + communication skills.	Free for visitors	Rehana Laher Tel. 031 262 7865 laherfam@telkomsa.net

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<i>Tuesday</i>	SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL SOCIETY	http://sanationalsociety.co.za		
11 June 2019 16h30 for 17h15	KwaMuhle Museum, Braam Fisher Rd (Ordnance Road), Durban	Documentary: "Apollo 17: The Untold Story of the Last Men on the Moon"	R40 Non-member R20 Member	Angie St George Cell: 083 555 5705
<i>Wednesday</i>	HILLCREST CONSERVANCY	www.hillcrestconservancy.co.za		hillcrestconservancy@gmail.com
12 June 2019 08h30	Springside Nature Reserve, Hillcrest <i>(Tea/Coffee served in Resource Centre after walk)</i>	Guided Birding and General Nature Walk with knowledgeable leaders to enjoy the flora + fauna	R20 per person	Sue Schönefeld Tel. 031 765 6809
<i>Wednesday</i>	BIRDLIFE PORT NATAL			Lesley Frescura
12 June 2019 19h00	Westville Methodist Church, Jan Hofmeyr Road Westville. (Indoor meeting)	Prof Adrian Koopman and Eckhardt Bachmann will talk on Bird Name Changes.	Entrance fee R10 to cover costs.	Cell: 083 231 3408 galefra@mweb.co.za
<i>Wednesday</i>	ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY OF SOUTHERN AFRICA (DURBAN CENTRE)			www.astronomydurban.co.za
13 June 2019 19h00 for 19h30	St Henry Marist College, Berea, Durban (near Entabeni Hospital)	Monthly meeting of the society	N/C	Brian Finch Cell: 082 924 1222
<i>Thursday</i>	PHANSI MUSEUM	www.phansi.com		
13 June 2019 17h30	500 Esther Roberts Road, Glenwood, Durban	"American Graffiti" by George Lucas (screening)	N/C	admin@phansi.com
<i>Thursday</i>	S A MILITARY HISTORY SOCIETY KZN	http://samilitaryhistory.org		
13 June 2019 19h00 for 19h30	Murray Lecture Theatre, Dept of Civil Eng. UKZN Howard College Campus, Durban	Daryll Abboo: "The Bruneval Raid" Nora Simpson: "Rose Millicent Vandecar"	N/C Visitors welcome	Charles Whiteing Cell: 082 555 4689
<i>Saturday</i>	NORTH DURBAN HONORARY OFFICERS			
15 June 2019 08h00 to 13h00	Beachwood Mangroves Nature Reserve (Honorary Officers on hand to answer questions)	Guided bird walk commences 08h00. Braai + picnic spots available.	N/C Donations welcome	Pam van Biljon Cell: 072 720 1959
<i>Saturday</i>	DURBAN SWORD & SHIELD SOCIETY/BATTLE HERITAGE SOCIETY			
15 June 2019 10h00	uShaka Marine World, Durban	Medieval Combat Display	N/C	C. Botes Cell: 076 147 2356
<i>Saturday</i>	THE SOUTH AFRICAN WRITERS' CIRCLE	www.sawriters.org.za		
15 June 2019 11h00	Meetings room below the Westville Library <i>(One hour workshop after lunch)</i>	Fiona Khan: "The 4th Industrial Revolution" Workshop by Charles Poole: "Moral Dilemma"	R20 Non-member R10 Member	Sylvia Garib Cell: 076 154 4621

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<i>Sunday</i> 16 June 2019 08h30 + 12h30	UMGENI STEAM RAILWAY Kloof Station, Old Main Road, Kloof. = departure times (Booking essential)	http://www.umgenisteamrailway.com/ 50km Father's Day train ride through Valley of 1000 Hills to Inchanga Craft Market and return	Adults: R260 Child 2-12: R190 Pension 65+: R190	<i>Book on website</i> Bruce Bennett Cell: 082 353 6003
<i>Tuesday</i> 18 June 2019 17h00 for 18h00	SPEAKEASY TOASTMASTERS Pavilion Hall - Glenwood Boys High School	Various speakers + topics in accordance with the Toastmasters programme	R120 incl. dinner	Frederike Liasides Tel. 031 207 1437 (w) liasides@telkomsa.net
<i>Wednesday</i> 19 June 2019 07h30	BIRDLIFE PORT NATAL Pigeon Valley, Glenwood	Bring picnic tea and chairs for afterwards.		Sandi du Preez Tel. 031 701 4839 Cell: 073 332 4431
<i>Wednesday</i> 19 June 2019 19h00 for 19h30	RAILWAY SOCIETY OF SOUTHERN AFRICA (NATAL BRANCH) Musketees German Club, 7 Barham Rd, Westville	Monthly meeting of the society <i>(Reprint of book on railway history on sale R200)</i>	N/C (R5 Raffle Ticket)	Ashley Peter Cell: 083 777 7728
<i>Thursday</i> 20 June 2019 08h00 to 13h00	HILLCREST CONSERVANCY Springside Nature Reserve, Hillcrest <i>(Training to uplift your gardener's skills base)</i>	www.hillcrestconservancy.co.za Environmental Training Course for Garden Workers. Employers also welcome to attend.	R90	hillcrestconservancy@gmail.com Write to the above email address to confirm
<i>Sat + Sunday</i> 22 + 23 June 10h00 to 16h00	BOTANICAL SOCIETY OF SA - KZN COASTAL Kloof Conservancy Back to Nature Pop-Up Gardens	www.botsoc-kzn.org.za/www.kloofconservancy.org.za Visit BotSoc stand at Garden No. 1 for books, T-shirts, seeds and to become a member	R20 per garden Under 12's Free	botsoc-kzn@mweb.co.za Tel. 031 201 5111 Cell: 071 869 3693
<i>Sunday</i> 23 June 2019 08h00	BIRDLIFE PORT NATAL Amber Lee, Howick	Birding at Amber Lee		Crystelle Cell: 082 723 5158
<i>Monday</i> 24 June 2019 17h30 for 18h00	BOTANICAL SOCIETY OF SA - KZN COASTAL Durban Botanic Gardens Visitors Centre <i>(Includes teas at the start. All welcome)</i>	www.botsoc-kzn.org.za Biologist Prof Ticky Forbes: Trophic Cascade changes in Durban Bay	R55 Non-member R35 Member R25 Students	botsoc-kzn@mweb.co.za Tel. 031 201 5111 Cell: 071 869 3693
<i>Tuesday</i> 25 June 2019 12h00	BRITISH CULTURAL & HERITAGE ASSOCIATION Durban Country Club	Her Majesty the Queen's Birthday celebration. Buffet Lunch - book and pay by 14 June 2019	www.britishpassportrenewal.co.za R190 per person Cash bar available	bcha1820@global.co.za Tel. 031 202 6174

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<i>Thursday</i> 27 June 2019 17h30	PHANSI MUSEUM 500 Esther Roberts Road, Glenwood, Durban	www.phansi.com Paul Mikula: "A Community Resource: New Directions at the Phansi"		admin@phansi.com
<i>Saturday</i> 29 June 2019 07h00	BIRDLIFE PORT NATAL Amanzimtoti Sports Club	Bring picnic tea and chairs for afterwards.		Tyron Cell: 082 657 7400
<i>Sat + Sunday</i> 29 + 30 June Depart 10h00 -	CREIGHTON ALOE STEAM TRAIN Creighton Station Arrive back 13h00 (Booking essential)	Pensioners Weekend - Pensioners rate = R170 (Non-pensioners pay normal rates)		Rayna Fletcher rayna@futurenet.co.za glynnis@toocee.co.za
<i>Mon to Friday</i> 08h00 to 16h00 (Sat 10am-2pm)	PHANSI MUSEUM 500 Esther Roberts Road, Glenwood, Durban (Open daily for guided tours of the Museum)	www.phansi.com 200 years of Southern African culture.	R50 Adults R30 Pensioners R30 Students	Tel. 031 206 2889 admin@phansi.com
<i>Every Tuesday</i> 18h30	DURBAN SWORD & SHIELD SOCIETY/BATTLE HERITAGE SOCIETY Alternating: Mad Monks Coffee Bar, Botha's Hill, Sunnysrae Park, Westville + La Lucia Mall park	Sword practice session - weather permitting (Visitors welcome to watch or take part)	N/C	Brian Topper Cell: 083 493 2680
<i>Tue to Fri + Sun</i> 11h00 to 15h00	MEMORABLE ORDER OF TIN HATS - (MOTH) Warriors Gate Museum of Militaria 1 Masabalala Yengwe Avenue, Durban	www.moth.org.za Military Memorabilia. Group tours by arrangement Also open Sat 10h00 to 12h00. Public Hols Closed.	N/C Donations welcome	Cedric Carr Tel. 031 307 3337
<i>Every Saturday</i> 09h00 to 16h00	FRIENDS OF THE PORT NATAL MARITIME MUSEUM Maritime Boulevard (off Esplanade), Durban. Near the BAT Centre.	Regular meeting of the friends. All welcome.		Terry Hutson Tel. 031 466 1683
<i>Alternate Saturdays</i> 12h30	HISTORIC WAR GAMES CLUB Westville Library, behind civic offices in William Lester Drive, Westville	Table Top Historic War Games ranging from Punic Wars to Modern Times as well as Memoir 44.	N/C	Richard Rowland Cell: 082 920 3377 sir.richard.r@gmail.com
<i>Last Saturday</i> 14h00 to 16h30	THE SOCIETY FOR THE PRESERVATION OF MILITARIA Natal Mounted Rifles Headquarters, Cnr Walter Gilbert + Masabalala Yengwe Ave.	(A Militaria Collectors Society) Various guest speakers. Military related topics.	Annual subs R160 R10 each meeting	lewis-walker2009@live.com Nigel Lewis-Walker Cell: 083 237 2692