



Ganzekraal Coastal Resort

AGM

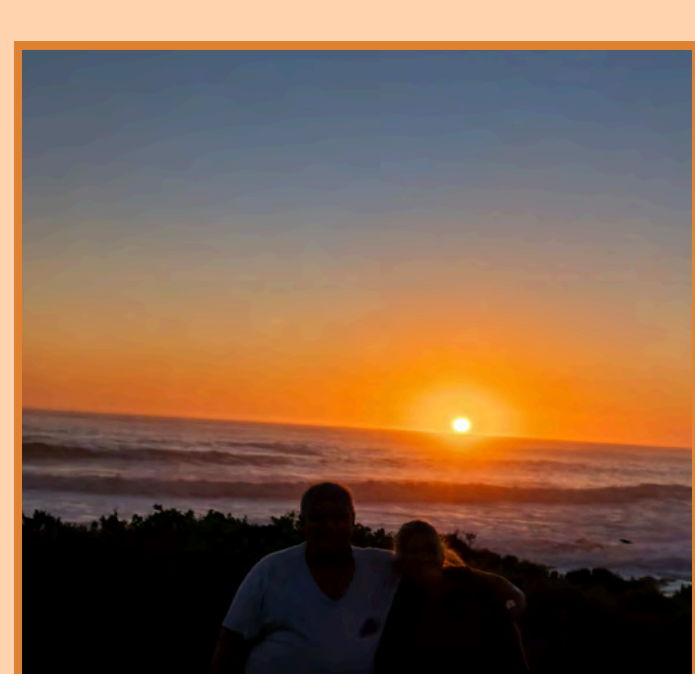
celebrating 5 years together



CELEBRATING FIVE YEARS OF LAAGER 15 GEES

We enjoyed a beautiful weekend camping at the stunning Ganzekraal Coastal Resort. The weather was mild and breezy, creating the perfect atmosphere to relax and unwind. Overlooking the vast Atlantic Ocean, the breathtaking views added to the peaceful experience, making it a truly memorable AGM and fifth-birthday celebration for L15.

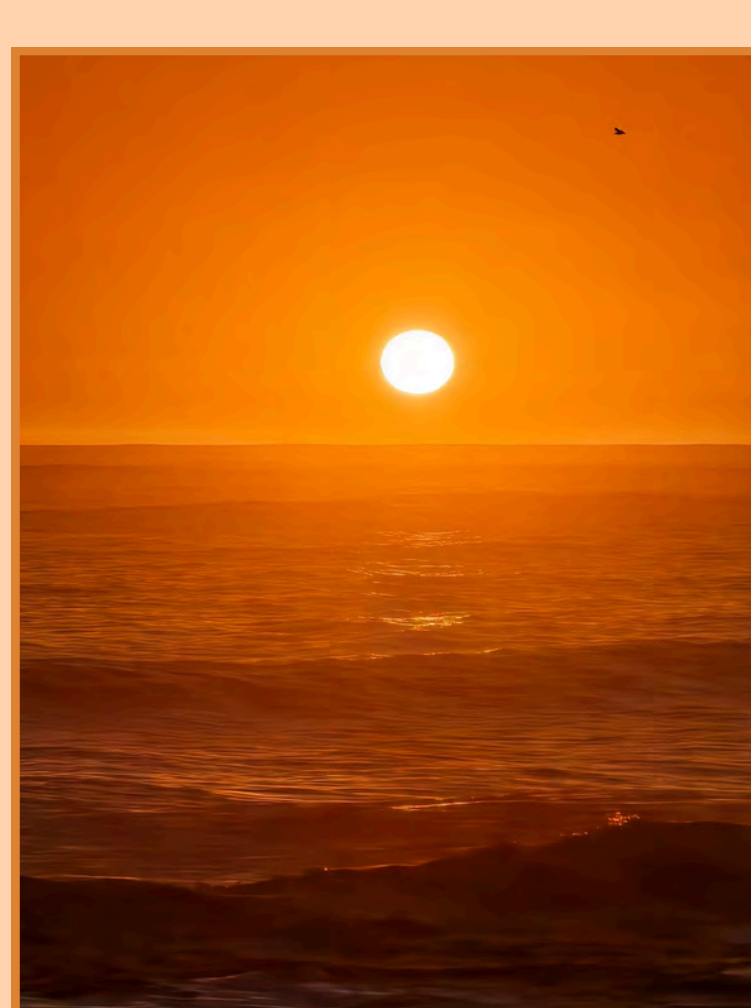
Friday



We booked 13 plots. After setting up the tents and caravans, the campers gathered around the warm crackling fire at 17H30 to enjoy a comforting cup of soup.



The shared pot of green soup, lovingly prepared together, is a cherished TORC tradition that has been followed by campers for decades. It brought everyone closer as laughter, stories, and friendship filled the cool evening air, creating a true sense of community and togetherness.



L15 went into the Friday night sitting around the fire and bringing the "Gees" L15 style with our DJ Pablo ensuring great tunes for the evening.



Saturday

Saturday Morning: Breakfast till 09H30. Campers enjoyed a relaxing breakfast at leisure while overlooking the beautiful and breathtaking Atlantic Ocean. The calm surroundings, fresh sea breeze, and stunning coastal views created the perfect setting for rest and appreciation of nature's beauty.

All members assisted in preparing the stage for our 5th AGM. At 11:30am, the AGM officially commenced with the Chairman opening the proceedings, followed by a prayer led by Jonathan Francencie. The agenda was read and carefully worked through, including the Treasurer's Report and the Chairman's Report, both of which were well received by all present.

Presiding Officer Cherie' Williams then proceeded with the election and confirmation of office bearers, moving through each portfolio smoothly and without interruption. All portfolios were successfully completed and positively received by everyone in attendance.

The Presiding Officer then handed the proceedings back to Chairman Greg Forbes, who retained his position as Chairman. The meeting concluded at 12:30pm after the Chairman warmly welcomed the new 2026/2027 Committee.

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Celebrations



13H30. The celebration began with an array of beautifully presented hot and cold snacks, alongside the most stunning L15 birthday cakes that proudly shared the buffet table with delicious carrot cakes, sweet cakes, and tarts. The Birthday Song was joyfully sung as L15 celebrated well into the afternoon.

A few members then broke away to complete the preparation of their magnificent African cuisine pots, which could rival any buffet in the Western Cape hospitality scene. Guests were treated to an incredible variety of dishes, including African pots, veggie curry, chicken curry, bobotie, samp and beans, tripe and trotters, lamb curry, oxtail and beans, all accompanied by beautifully cooked cumin-infused basmati rice, sweet carrots, and assorted sambals.

The meal was thoroughly enjoyed by all and generously catered for approximately 40 people.

Well done to L15 — you are truly loved, and your wonderful bring-and-share celebration will be remembered for many years to come.

Indaba

Sunday

Sunday's Indaba started with our usual praise and worship music in the background and an opening prayer by Jonathan, setting a warm and uplifting atmosphere for the day. The Berry Award was proudly presented to Tony in recognition of his willingness to go the extra mile in assisting fellow campers.

Our Fines Master, Ursula, certainly did not hold back, bringing plenty of laughter and entertainment to the gathering. Members also donated generously towards our 2027 charity target, once again showing the caring and giving spirit of Laager 15.

The weekend concluded on a high note, with members already looking forward to the next Outspan at Kliprivier, Tulbagh.



Trekkers Outdoor Recreation Club Laager 15

Greg Forbes: Chairman Anthony Macauley: Vice Chairman Noleen Manuel: Secretary Abbey: Treasurer Randall Daniels: Additional Member Craig Rinquest: Additional Member Michael Manuel: Additional Member