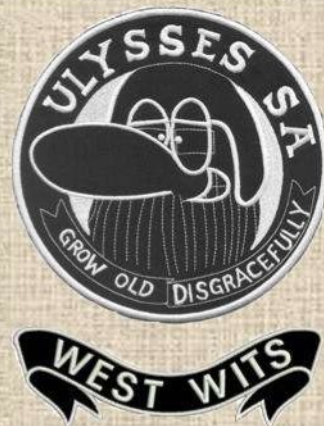




West Wits Ulysses Times



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Affiliated to Ulysses SA & Member of WRBA.
West Wits Chapter furthering the Brotherhood
of biking whilst having fun doing it.

Age Restriction "40 SNL"
Rider Discretion Advised

Sunday 05 July 2020
Level 3 of Lockdown
The Rossi Sport Bar



From Left: Petro, Mark, Specs [Snr Road Capt], Trudie [Treasurer], Johan, Gert [Sgt at Arms],
Allan [Chapter President], Rita [Guest], Marius [Road Capt]

Birthday CALENDAR

[Updated 01 April 2020]

January

16 - Jason Doran

February

13 - Beatrix van Staden
20 - Mark Doran
24 - Hanelie Vermeulen

March

01 - Gert Nagel
04 - Trudie Ferguson
28 - Belinda Van Rhyn

April

07 - Gerald van Staden
22 - Petro Nagel
29 - Marius Prinsloo

May

02 - Chris Jansen van Vuuren
24 - Valerie de Bruyn

June

06 - Nicky Oosthuizen
27 - Harold van Zyl

July

August

03 - Noreen Jansen Van Vuuren
09 - Petro Doran
18 - Sean van der Merwe
22 - Dawie Vorster
23 - Allan Ferguson

September

13 - Mark Westcott

October

08 - Philip Van Rhyn
10 - Daleen Westcott
12 - Johan Basson
18 - Specs Vermeulen

November

28 - Manda Oberholzer

December

11 - Andries Oberholzer
23 - Mart-Mari Doran

Sunday 05 July 2020 Level 3 of Lockdown The Rossi Sport Bar

It had been seen on social media that Rossi was open for food deliveries. This got members thinking about a ride to Rossi to see how their Food Delivery system worked & how the food tasted.

The group meet up at 007 Engen garage from 09h45 to ride off at 10h00. There were 9 x souls on 7 x bikes which set off for Rossi situated in Vanderbijlpark.

The roads were not busy and arrived at Rossi at 11h05. quickly seated under social distancing rules and orders were taken and delivered to be consumed where ever.

Many had chosen the Burger with Chips, Petro decided on a Rossi Pizza & Johan had settled on an Eisbein.



Cold drinks, Heineken 0% & Savanna 0% were the order of the day as lockdown rules applied.

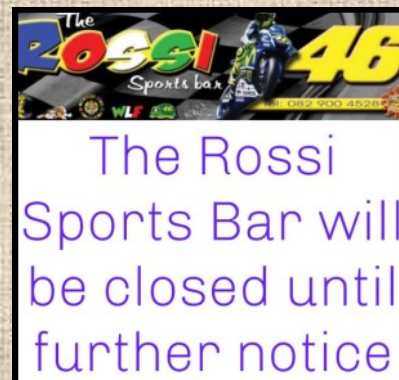
The morning weather was great considering it was the middle of winter. No wind and about 19 degrees.

Only left Rossi around 13h30. Had

a safe & quiet ride back to C/ville as traffic volumes were light. No bikes were damaged on this run even though many pot holes were observed but safely missed.

By 14h30 all had reported home safe.

By Monday morning a post on Facebook stating



30 June 2020

Bikers Support at Ds Henk's Funeral

Nederduitsch Hervormde Kerk Van Africa - Carletonville



A posting on Social Media had asked for bikers who could be available to ride after the Church Service ended and to lead the Hearse with others to follow.

When the signal was given, Peter from Hoodlums MC did a doughnut and then led the funeral procession going west down Kaolin street. Behind Peter wearing Hoodlums Colours were Tamzin & Dafhny.

Directly behind the hearse were Ulysses West Wits Members Mart and Petro followed by Allan seventh bike from them.

Special word of thanks goes out to those Bikers who did ride and thus offered support to the family and friends of Ds Henk, who had past on so suddenly, with his last ride. Covid-19 with all the regulations etc makes funeral arrangements just so difficult.



West Rand Bikers Church

2 July 2020

Mass Ride for Carlisle Rogers

Carlisle, 21 years old, had died in a bike accident near Pinehaven on Saturday 27 June 2020.

A posting on Social Media asking for bikers who were available to join in with Carlisle's Last Ride starting from Sasol Garage opposite Key West Mall to the West Rand Biking Church where the Church Service was held. Only limited family and friends totalling not more than 50 had access to the church & service. Trudie works with Carlisle's father.

Allan represented Ulysses West Wits joined in with the last ride from Sasol Garage to the WRBC.

Carlise's father & sister each rode their bikes directly behind the Hearse.



Pensioner's Breakfast Run

The Elephant Sports Bar

30 June 2020

Magaliesburg

To find venue that are Covid-19 Regulation compliant is difficult even under Level 3 Lockdown. The Elephant Sports Bar just past Magaliesburg was just too happy to accommodate the Pensioner Group. Twenty two riders set off from the Dros parking area opposite Key West Mall at 09h00 and Neels lead and guided the group along the scenic route almost to Harties and then backtracked to Magalies to The Elephant Sport Bar.

The Owner had pre-arranged hot coffee to welcome the group on arrival. Breakfast was fixed with:

- 1 x Cuppa Coffee
- 2 x Slices toast
- 2 x Spoons scrambled egg
- 2 x Rashers bacon
- 1 x Spoon baked beans
- Price R50-00 p/p



Great riding once again with the pensioner group after a lockdown of 14 weeks.

After breakfast the C/ville group decided to avoid the N14 as their were major road block and search-of vehicles taking place at the Brandvlei intersection. Took the R509 then the R500 back to C/Ville time to join in with the Last Ride at the Church Service of Ds Henk.

All reported home safe.



OTHER CHAPTER GOING ONs

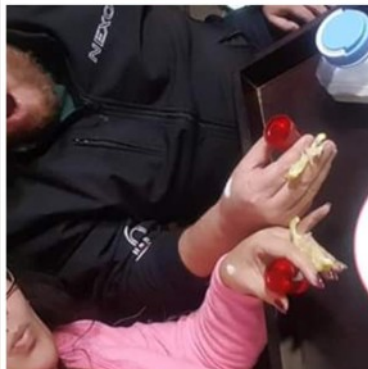
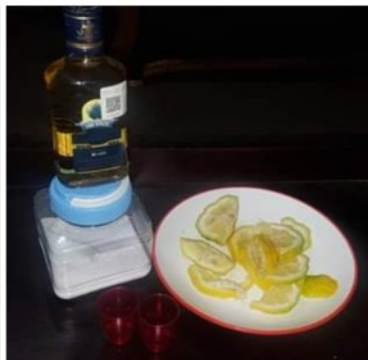
Philip Van Rhyn added 5 new photos.
5 mins • 2



Dawie Vorster is 🍺 drinking everything alcoholic with Rene Vorster.

Yesterday at 21:26 • 🌐

Vanaand praat ons flot Koisan...hieklomklak...



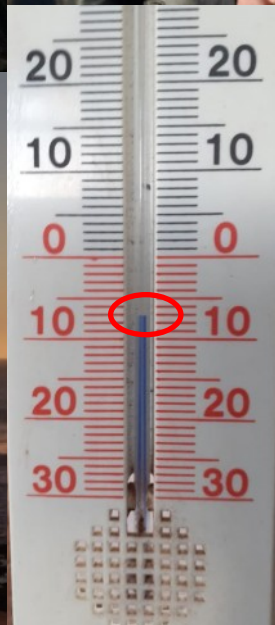
Sunday 28 June Run



Some Social Distancing



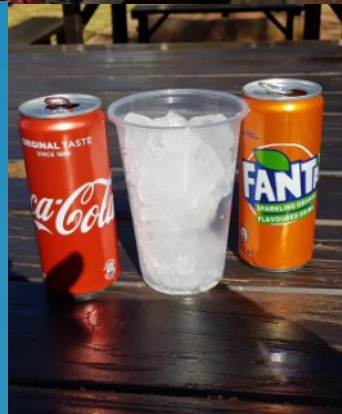
Johan: sunrise on the KZN South Coast whilst on Business



Allan's Kawa with new Double Bubble



OTHER CHAPTER GOING ONs



Die Plaas Se Gat Sat 27 June

The TK Foundation

28 June 2020

WRBA Meeting - My Cholesterol Kastrol

Gert & Allan rode through to Cholesterol Kastrol to hear about the launching of the TK Foundation and what the project was all about.

It was explained to all that as TK [HA President, West Rand] had lost both his legs due to Diabetes Complications he would be needing 2 new modern prosthetics. The previous prosthetic leg was already out dated and couldn't be used with a newer model thus requiring two brand new matching designed limbs.

Because TK has been very active biker and done so much for biking in SA & for Charities that the biking leadership had decided to assist to raise R250,000 rand needed to get TK "To Walk and Ride" again. With the HA Clubhouse starting to undergoing refurbishment it was decided that 1,000 bricks would be offered at R250 per brick and then one also get a name tag. Refer to the Photo top right. The TK Foundation has been created to assist not only TK but other bikers who loose limbs and will be an ongoing Charity. There is also talk of a "TK Foundation" Day Jol & Rally to be held after Covid-19 so as to raise money for other projects.

Ulysses West Wits Members quickly came forward and offered to sponsor bricks and in a matter of days the Chapter had booked and paid for 17 x Bricks. West Wits has the following bricks 343 to 357 and 363 to 364.

A Very Big Thank You goes out to all who dug deep to support this Charity Project.



Repeat due to cool weather
on route this weekend.

Tips & Hints

When standing still on a bike
one warms up and when on the
move gets even colder.

Who remembers the Gemsbok
Ride at end of July 2019? A
temperature of -6 was re-
coded between C/Ville &
Potchefstroom.

Refer to the matrix and when
it is -7 at standstill quickly be-
comes -22 at 120kph.

Makes one think?

MOTORCYCLE WIND CHILL CHART (METRIC VERSION)										
Riding Speed (kph)	Air Temperature (°C)									
	-10°	-7°	-4°	0°	2°	4°	7°	10°	13°	16°
40	-21°	-17°	-13°	-7°	-5°	-2°	2°	6°	10°	14°
50	-22°	-18°	-14°	-8°	-5°	-3°	1°	6°	10°	14°
60	-23°	-18°	-14°	-9°	-6°	-3°	1°	5°	9°	13°
70	-23°	-19°	-15°	-9°	-6°	-4°	1°	5°	9°	13°
80	-24°	-20°	-15°	-10°	-7°	-4°	0°	4°	9°	13°
90	-25°	-20°	-16°	-10°	-7°	-4°	0°	4°	8°	13°
100	-25°	-21°	-16°	-11°	-8°	-5°	0°	4°	8°	13°
110	-26°	-21°	-17°	-11°	-8°	-5°	-1°	4°	8°	12°
120	-26°	-22°	-17°	-11°	-8°	-5°	-1°	3°	8°	12°
130	-26°	-22°	-18°	-12°	-9°	-6°	-1°	3°	8°	12°

CYCLEFISH
BIKER & MOTORCYCLE NETWORK

Diarise Important Dates

A few important Chapter Dates to diarise:-

TBA - Chapter AGM & Social. Regulations ban all types of Socials & Group Get Togethers.

Dates of some other Day Jols & Rallies:-

TBA post Covid-19.

Smile a While

WHEN SHE ASKS

CAN WE STOP FOR A QUICKIE?

Scientific explanation why men like
motorbikes

