



# Professional Hunters' Association of South Africa

## PHASA NEWSLETTER 12 of 2018

### WHAT PHASA IS DOING FOR YOU!

- Attended the SAQA Professional Body Forum on 27 March in Pretoria
- Confirmation received of the \$30,000 grant to be paid for the Conservation Research Fund from DSC Foundation

### CALENDAR FOR THE NEXT 10 DAYS

- Attending the Wildlife Forum meeting on 10 April
- Attending the IPPHC (Inter Provincial Professional Hunters Committee) Meeting on 11 April

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### **CONDOLENCES**

It is with deep sadness that we learned of the passing of Bob Deveny. On behalf of PHASA Management, staff and members we send his family and friends our deepest condolences.

### **CONSERVATION RESEARCH FUND**

# CONSERVATION RESEARCH FUND



**Due to the lack of scientific data on all carnivores, huge limitations are placed on the sustainable legal hunting of these animals.**

PHASA's Conservation and Empowerment Fund needs your financial support and overall commitment to participate in the research and assist in collecting data on all cat species, i.e. Leopard, Civet, African Wildcat, Badgers, Brown and Spotted Hyena, etc. Camera Trap photos (preferably with date stamps, time and coordinates), sightings recorded with cell phones or cameras, photo evidence of kills, tracks etc. can all be added onto [www.catspotter.co.za](http://www.catspotter.co.za) as part of citizen science that will be taken into consideration.

**For the project to be viable, we need funds. Please consider paying over a voluntary contribution to the Conservation Research Fund for every carnivore permit issued to you in any of the nine provinces.**

#### **Bank details:**

PHASA CONSERVATION & EMPOWERMENT FUND

First National Bank

Branch code 261550

Account 62024778211

Swift FIRZAJJ

Reference: CRF / Your business name

- Please e-mail the deposit slip to [finance@phasa.co.za](mailto:finance@phasa.co.za) and request a **tax certificate** in writing from Arno Schutte.



**NEW WRSA PRESIDENT & VICE-PRESIDENT**

The PHASA Executive Committee and Members wish to congratulate MR Tebogo Mogashoa as the new WRSA President and Mr Wiaan van der Linde as the new WRSA Vice-President. They were appointed at the 2018 WRSA Annual General Meeting.

We wish them all the best for their two year term.

**DID YOU  
KNOW?**



**Did you know that PHASA serves on the following Forums?**

- **AWCF** (the African Wildlife Consultative Forum) where government officials and representatives from professional hunting associations from various African countries discuss common wildlife conservation, management and policy issues.
- **The Hunters Forum**, made up of hunting associations accredited in terms of the Firearms Control Act, serves as a caucus to identify and discuss issues. All firearms-related issues are discussed and addressed at this forum. These forums meet four times per year.
- **HAWASA Forum** (Hunting and Wildlife Associations of SA) consists of representatives of various sectors in the wildlife industry, including wildlife ranching, local hunting and professional hunting sectors. It serves as a caucus to prepare for the Wildlife Forum.
- **The Wildlife Forum** is hosted by the Department of Environmental Affairs and is made up of representatives from the wildlife industry, provincial nature conservation authorities and the national Department of Environmental Affairs. It has no decision-making powers, but proposals made at the forum are taken to government's Working Group 1 for implementation. Various draft sets of provincial and national legislation have gone through this forum in recent years.
- **The IPPHC** (Interprovincial Professional Hunters Committee) meets four times a year. Here PHASA, the professional hunting school directors and representatives from provincial nature conservation authorities and the national department meet to discuss issues regarding professional hunter training and the hunting industry in general.
- **National African Lion Task Team** hosted by the Department of Environmental Affairs
- **SAQA Professional Body Forum** (South African Qualifications Authority)
- **NTSF** (National Tourism Stakeholders Forum)

- **Provincial nature conservation forums** in KwaZulu-Natal, Limpopo, Western Cape, Free State and Northern Cape.
- PHASA is a member of the **Western Cape Wildlife Forum** that investigates human/wildlife conflict and predator management on farms.
- PHASA also serves on the **Damage Control Animal Forum**.



**PHASA VEHICLE FOR SALE**

**The PHASA vehicle is for sale and we are giving our members a chance to make an offer.**

**Details:**

Nissan X-Trail

Model 2.0 XE

Year: 2016

Km's: 28692

- **You are welcome to make an offer to purchase before 14 April 2018 to PHASA:**  
[info@phasa.co.za](mailto:info@phasa.co.za)





### **BOOYSENS BEERTJIES PROJECT**

This nursery school is in a very poor part of Pretoria, where 100 toddlers go to school daily, The Conservation and Empowerment Fund's monthly contribution in products is around R 20,000 per month.

We supply them with porridge for breakfast, meat and vegetables for lunch, and used clothing. Since the school is closed during school holidays and many of these children depend on meals from the school, we make up grocery hampers for the kids to take home over the school holidays. These hampers value is around R 1000 per family.

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Tell us about  
Your project

### **WANT TO SHARE YOUR HUNTERS CARE PROJECTS?**

- **Please send us your Hunters Care Project information and photos to [info@phasa.co.za](mailto:info@phasa.co.za)**
- **If you would like to get involved in any Hunters Care projects, please contact [info@phasa.co.za](mailto:info@phasa.co.za)**



### **EASTERN CAPE REQUIREMENTS - PH REGISTER COPIES**

The Eastern Cape Dept. of Economic Development and Environmental Affairs (DEDEAT) requested that PHASA inform all Hunting Outfitters and Professional Hunters who operate within the borders of

the Eastern Cape that **it is mandatory to send copies of PH Registers within 14 days of the completion of the hunt to their Head Office in King Williams Town.**

**This is solely for statistical purposes.** A second copy should still be submitted to your Taxidermist with all other relevant hunting documentation attached.

**Copies of PH Registers can be emailed to:**

[Zoleka.Dubula@dedea.gov.za](mailto:Zoleka.Dubula@dedea.gov.za) ;

[Buntu.Mzamo@dedea.gov.za](mailto:Buntu.Mzamo@dedea.gov.za) ; or

[Noluthando.Bam@dedea.gov.za](mailto:Noluthando.Bam@dedea.gov.za)

**Please mark Email subject lines as “PH Registers for Statistics”.**

**Copies of PH Registers can be Couriered to:**

Dept. of Economic Development and Environmental Affairs

Att: Zoleka Dubula

Beacon Hill, Cnr of Hargreaves St & Hockley Close, King Williams Town, 5600

Tel: 043 605 7069

**Copies of PH Registers can be Posted to:**

Dept. of Economic Development and Environmental Affairs

Att: Zoleka Dubula

P/Bag X0054, Bhisho, South Africa, 5605

**Please mark Envelopes as “PH Registers for Statistics”.**



### **PHASA OFFERS TO ASSIST MEMBERS WITH PROVINCIAL PERMIT/LICENCE PROBLEMS**

The **PROFESSIONAL HUNTERS’ ASSOCIATION OF SOUTH AFRICA** would like to assist members who experience problems with hunting permits and professional hunter/outfitter licenses at their provincial Nature Conservation Departments.

Please make sure that you have submitted your applications to the Nature Conservation office in the prescribed format, paid your fees and provided proof of payment plus all relevant supporting documentation.

If you still do not get a positive and timeous response from the department, please escalate the matter to PHASA by using THIS FORM: <https://phasa.us5.list-manage.com/track/click?u=f7a44b8dae0fac62b4c252a8a&id=088bdd55bd&e=17ba6f6a3c> and send it to [info@phasa.co.za](mailto:info@phasa.co.za).

**PHASA will also keep record of complaints and compliments.**

**PHASA IS THERE TO ASSIST!**



**HUNTEX2018**

HuntEx is an international consumer exhibition catering for hunters, sport shooters, game farm owners and game breeders, people with personal and defensive protection requirements, outdoors men, anglers, security and trade professionals. The expo offers a full immersion experience with demonstrations and informative talks by experts.

**PHASA will be exhibiting at the HuntEx 2018 show!**

**The following will be available from PHASA at HuntEx:**

- New membership applicants can save R200 on their registration fees by joining during HuntEx!
- Purchase your PH, Taxidermy or Remuneration Registers!
- Purchase log books, blazer badges, caps and various publications!

**PHASA Meeting:**

PHASA will hold a meeting for any member of any province who is at or plan to be visiting HuntEx on **27 April** in Midrand. This meeting will start at **11h00** to give you enough time to finish your shopping and more time afterwards to continue.

**Venue:**

Gallagher Convention Centre, 19 Richards Drive, Midrand, Gauteng

<https://www.huntex.net/>

**Show dates and times:**

Thursday, 26 April (VIP Day) 10:00 - 17:00

Friday, 27 April: 09:00 - 17:00 - **(PHASA Members Meeting at 11h00!)**

Saturday, 28 April: 08:00 - 17:00

Sunday, 29 April: 09:00 - 15:00

- **Buy your HuntEx2018 tickets now!**

**Please access the unique link below to book your tickets.**

You are welcome to share this link to all your friends and colleagues interested in attending the show.

**PHASA's unique link:**

<https://goo.gl/MgzoBn>



**SA TAXIDERM & TANNERY ASSOCIATION (SATTA)**

You are invited to join the SA Taxidermy & Tannery Association (SATTA) Facebook

Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/490745037987867/>

This Group was created to afford the opportunity to post Industry updates, Questions and answers, buying and selling of Taxidermy related items.

For membership related queries, please contact:

Susan Swart (Secretariat)

South African Taxidermy & Tannery Association

E-mail: [info@satta.org.za](mailto:info@satta.org.za)

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**- GAME AVAILABLE FOR 2018**

Available to outfitters for 2018:

Buffalo, sable, roan, tsessebe, golden wildebeest and selected plains game.

Marble hall.

Call: Gunther 0834484696

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**- PH REGISTERS & LOGBOOKS FOR SALE!**

Purchase your PH Register, Taxidermy Register, Remuneration Register and Logbooks from PHASA!

**Prices:**

PH Register (PHASA Members) – R250

PH Registers (Non-Members) - R300

Taxidermy Register – R120

Remuneration Register – R120

Courier costs will be for your account.



### Logbook - R40.00

This is a very useful tool, especially for PH's, apprentices and trackers to keep record of hunts they participate in.

- Contact Nonkie Kunene: [reception@phasa.co.za](mailto:reception@phasa.co.za) or 012 – 667 2048
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**- JOBS WANTED:**

**PHASA PH'S AVAILABLE:**

Access this link: <https://www.phasa.co.za/membership/employ-a-phas-a-ph.html> to view PHASA registered PH's available for the 2018 hunting season

### LOOKING FOR A QUALIFIED CHEF?

Any Outfitter looking for a qualified chef is welcome to contact:

#### UJ School of Hospitality and Tourism

Chef Recruitment

Siyabonga Sithole

Recruitments

Tel: 011 482 7250 or [recruitment@saca.co.za](mailto:recruitment@saca.co.za)

### - ADVERTISE:

Advertise your 2018 positions for PH's, farm managers, lodge managers, etc. **FREE of charge** in this PHASA newsletter!

**PHASA urges all outfitters to convince their Professional Hunters to become PHASA members!**

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