Western Province



20 February 2025

Minutes of the Annual General Meeting of Western Province SAGES held at Bellville Golf Club on Thursday 22 February 2025

ATTENDANCE

A total of 86 members present, representing a quorum. Notices and agenda of this meeting were sent to all members in accordance with the constitution.

Dave Isles, Duncan Fairbairn, JC van der Westhuizen, Rob Blake, Ian McClelland, Cecil Jansen, Peter Petersen, Victor Matthews, Eddie Kensley, Chris Isaaks, Walter Diedericks, John Adonis,, Charles Davids, Leon Dingwall, Wensen Fredericks, Julian Fester, Thato Moetsoneng,, Kobus and Sharon Booysen, Steven de Vries, Allan Subban, Rodney Theys, Percy Wilkinson,, Peter la Grange, Nazeer Bahadur, Duncan Darries, Aubrey Erentzen, Malcolm McDonald, Malcolm Sampson, Peter Syster, Vernon Kearsey, Peter February, Terence Vencencie, Rohan Gouws, Neville Hearn, Steven Hendricks, Joseph Rhode, Christo Ferreira, Hilton Williams, Michael Bruyns, Bryan Petersen, Jurie Swart, Kempton Kruser, Joseph Rhode, Anton der Kinderen, Bradley Samuels, Ferron Hartzenberg, Michael van Ross, Trevor Smith, Neville Hearn, Taliep Gallie, Nicolas Liederman, Basil van Merch, Dick Wicomb, Joe Rhode, Kobus Andrews, Peter Dempers, Tony Blackaller, Trevor Choto, Steven de Vries, Derrick Nieuwenhoudt, Malcolm Sampson, Duncan Fairburn, Cheryl Murphy, Brian Murphy, Florence Harding, Cecil Jansen, Adi Arendse, Mark Beppo, Joanne and Ben van Rooyen, Charles Davids, Rosa-Linda Wessels, Julian Ohlson, Enver Mally, Peter Syster, Michael Nene, Edward Dixon, Jeffrey Jaftha, Jane Shearer, Willie Vorster, Howard Mackrill, Cornelis van Horrick, Jackie Scott and Elroy Kleinveldt.

APOLOGIES:

Michael Jason, Vincent Murison and Nolan Ellis

1. WELCOME

The Chairman, Malcolm Mc Donald, opened the meeting at 18h20 and welcomed the members present.

2. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

3. Matters arising from the minutes -none

Accepted by Florence Harding and seconded by Cheryl Murphy.

4. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT:

Chairman's report summarizing the year 2024

At the last AGM Dave Isles was in the chair but due to a series of illnesses Dave decided to stand down as Chairman and asked me to take over which was agreed to by the rest of the Committee. I would like to thank Dave on behalf of all the members and Committee for the sterling work he did whilst in the chair, thank you Dave.

The year has seen WP Sages grow as a society not by numbers, which have been stable, but the camaraderie and fellowship of all the members. Our fields are usually very strong which helps when negotiating for green fees and golf cars which gets harder every year.

At the time of writing our membership is strong and growing and it's nice to see more ladies joining.

The year was a difficult one with another severe winter playing havoc with our playing schedule, no worse than at Fancourt for the regionals where about 30mm of rain fell the night before the competition, so golf cars were not allowed on the course, a damn long 2 day walk.

The Nationals were held at Mossel Bay and Pinnacle Point, although we did not win the trophy, we had some winners so we did not disgrace ourselves.

The quads were held at Kuilrivier where again we had some individual winners but did not win the trophy.

The Inter branch against Boland was held at Milnerton, where we managed to retain the trophy, well done to everyone who participated.

The club Championships were held over 2 months at Durbanville and Rondebosch, it was well supported and congratulations to our winners Trevor Smith "A" division, Mike Bruyns "B" and Donald Hendrickse "C". Well done guys!

The highlight of the year has to be WP winning the regional trophy at Fancourt in very trying conditions. Well done to all those who took part, there were other winners also, which have been noted in previous newsletters. Now to win the Nationals in the Free State in May.

I don't want to go on too long but I must share my disappointment at the lack of names put forward for the committee.

Finally, I would like to thank the Committee for all the hard work they put in to ensure WP Sages is run professionally, they really are good at what they do, thank you to each of you.

Yours in golf

Malcolm McDonald

WP Sages Chairman

5. APPROVAL OF FINANCIALS

SAGES WESTERN PROVINCE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

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Report of the verifier

Statement of financial position

Statement of Comprehensive Income & Expenditure

	The financial statements set out were approved on 24 February 2024 and were signed by:	by the members			
	M.McDon ald	R BLAKE B.Com			
REPORT OF THE VERIFIER TO SAGES WESTERN PROVINCE					
To the me	mbers of SAGES Western Province				
I have performed the duties of verifier to SAGES Western Province.					
No audit was performed. I do not imply or express an opinion or any other form of assurance on the financial statements.					
The financ	ial statements set out are the responsibility of the	Executive Committee.			
I have determined that the financial statements are in agreement with the accounting records, summarised in the manner required and I have done so by adopting such procedures and conducting such enquiries in relation to the books of account and records as I considered necessary in the circumstances.					
I am unable to extend my review over revenue other than receipts and disbursements actually recorded.					
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Parow Date:					

	L A N C E S H E ET	
	R 2024	R 2023
Assets		
Current Assets		
Inventorie	141600	16445
s Cash and Cash equivalents Sundry Debtors	75868 178	71548 606
	90206	88599
Equities and Liabilities		
Members Interest and Reserves	76054	73164
Retained Income Surplus for the year	73164 28 90	75324 -2160
Liabilities	14152	15435
Current liabilities Trade and other payables	141521	15435
Total Equity and Liabilities	90206	88599

SAGES WESTERN PROVINCE

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME and EXPENDITURE for the YEAR

	R	R
	2024	2023
INCOME	95002	81946
Membership fees	50560	47440
Interest Received	4424	4254
Clothing	502	-1758
Fines and raffles	9361	10990
Donations	28386	20000
Nationals surplus	1480	60
Visitors fees	289	960
Expenditure	92112	84107
Bank charges	104	89
Badges	1851	1201
Cansa/Donation paid	30000	30000
Cansa/Donation expenses	1620	900
Catering	6622	7238
Committee expenses	9870	6012
National levies	11850	12285
Printing and stationery	789	420
Prizes	24671	19803
Subsidy for members	1252	3434
Entertainment		0
Tournament Director expenses	3000	2000

Telephone expenses		473
Travelling expenses	483	252

Net surplus/-loss for the year 2890 -2161

Accepted by Tony Blackaller and seconded by Jurie Swart.

6. APPOINTMENT OF ACCOUNTING OFFICER

Ian McClelland was re-appointed for the 2024 / 2025 financial year.

7. ELECTION OF NOMINATED MEMBERS TO SERVE ON THE COMMITTEE.

There were no nominations submitted.

The following members agreed to remain and serve on the committee for 2025:

Chairperson: Malcolm McDonald

Treasurer: Robert Blake

Secretary: Elroy Kleinveldt

Tournament Director: Rohan Gouws

Liaison Officer: Chris Isaaks

Equipment Officer: Terence Vencencie

8. GENERAL

Peter Petersen asked for explanation for the R9860 committee expenses. McDonald explains that the competition fees for committee members playing in Nationals and Regionals had been adopted many years ago and this was the only benefit to committee members.

No further business.

The Chairman thanked the members for attending and closed the meeting at 19h15.

Accepted and approved:	
Chairman:	
Secretary:	
Date:	

CONTACTS: IN THE AGM ABOVE

AGM MINUTES: ABOVE

CH REPORT: ABOVE

DELEGATES: MALCOLM McDONALD & ROHAN GOUWS

OBITUARIES: JOEY HARDER, ERNIE PAYNE, FRANK van der LINDE

CLOTHING REP: TERRENCE VENCENCIE