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PLANNING YOUR EVENTS TO FOLLOW

FOR MORE INFORMATION, DETAIL AND COST - [SEE THE PROGRAM OF EVENTS](#)

Sunday	09 Apr	One Day Fun Trip (JC) - Groenkloof
Sunday	14 May	One Day Fun Trip (JC)
Sat/Sun	27 - 28 May	Off Road Track (JC) - Gauteng Motor Show (Wesbank Raceway)
Sunday	11 June	Wheels at the Waterfront (CCCC) (JC)
Weekend	16-18 Jun	Weekend Away - (Bosrant Game Reserve / Schamach) (JC)

Note: Weekend Away - Only a limited number of families can be accommodated so book well in advance!

PROTEA ECO - 12 MARCH 2006

This time Herman and Casper were responsible for setting out the route and they took us on back roads passing over the Hennops river a few times, from Zwartkops to Hartbeespoortdam, up towards Muldersdrift, through Roodepoort and into the mountains near Krugersdorp to an excellent facility for testing your vehicle, the Protea Eco Safari Trail.

This facility has an off road training course as well as a 20km self-drive trail, marked 2x4 and 4x4 thus catering for all, depending on the vehicle you drive.





LET THE PHOTO'S TELL THE STORY!





Jannie Rykaart of Protea Eco-Adventures can be reached on 083 268 0566 or see www.passport2adventure.co.za

As can be seen from the photo's - this was mostly a "pappie" day although some of the woman actually drove part of the way and the vehicles were tested to ensure that they were still capable of handling the "rough stuff" after the holiday brake - almost forgotten at this stage.



The trail was wet-wet-wet and ranged from easy to moderate in places with a challenging obstacle now and then. The lapa was reserved for the Jeep Club RSA and as always - the braai afterwards was a great success.

Thanks to everyone for their involvement!



MAHALA VIEW - 18 TO 24 MARCH 2006



The trails at Mahala View are challenging and with the extra water in the river the crossing wasn't that easy. Once you have crossed the river, a very rocky section onto the mountain and down again keeps you more than busy - luckily no time for a "quick stop".

The "Jeepklub RSA Sangbundel" compiled by Rob and Hermie Wilson and consisting of 118 Afrikaans and 74 English songs, was used for the first time and believe you me - at the following "sing-along" no one will have an excuse not to participate! Thanks Rob and Hermie - we really appreciate your effort!

Vossie thanks for the use of the trails, camping facilities and the sand pits - always a winner!



This is only a peek at one of the trails - to see the others become a Jeep Club RSA member and join us on a one-day fun event!



GENERAL NEWS

WEEKEND AWAY (16 - 18 JUNE 2006) - BOSRANT GAME FARM AND SCHAMACH OFF-ROAD TRAIL.

Latest news is that the dirt road to Bosrant will be graded to allow us to accommodate caravans. Whilst accommodation in the Chalets cost R350 per person for the weekend, the cost of camping is only R150 per person for the weekend (children under 13 half price) – see the program of events for more details. Electricity and an ablution block are available for the campers. Those not interested in driving the Schamach Off-Road Trail may stay at Bosrant and do the internal game viewing and off-road trail.

Accommodation is limited and bookings are essential – act now – the more the merrier!

SMALL ADDS

Small adds are placed free of charge - e-mail: info@jeepclubrsa.co.za

JEEP WAGONEER 1967 with 3.8 Rambler engine in good running condition, 120 litre petrol tank, front disc brakes, 10,000 km on recon engine, electronic ignition, floating rear axle, rubberised interior, seat re-upholstered. R35,000 neg. Phone Basil Thatcher at 082 891 9285 or e-mail: Edward.VanRensburg@bdsol.co.za.

GAUTENG MOTOR SHOW

We have been invited to utilise the obstacle course at the Gauteng Motor Show 27 -28 May - Wesbank Raceway. Your participation is required - Contact Gawie Deyssel at 082 772 9714. Show vehicles, drivers, marshals and administrative personnel required. More details to follow - see you there!

BADGES AND STICKERS

We are in the process of obtaining embroidered badges as well as bumper and licence stickers with our new logo!

PHOTOS AND DETAILS OF VEHICLES ON WEBSITE

Have you noticed that on the website, members may link a photo and details of their Jeep(s) to their name. Send a photo size 6.40 cm wide x 4.80 cm high (.jpg) and detail of the vehicle to akemp@pixie.co.za.

OFF ROAD RADIOS - 29MHZ

If you are the owner of a 29 MHz off road radio, please install the radio in your Jeep and contact Herman Erasmus at 072 671 3829 to assist you in obtaining your licence.

MEMBERSHIP CARD

Your laminated membership card for 2006 can be collected at our next one-day fun trip or weekend away or obtained from Koos Meyer at 082 920 7415.

If you haven't paid your membership fee yet - act now!



BANKING DETAILS: JEEP CLUB RSA, ABSA, CODE 632005, ACCOUNT NO. 9141197684

MEMBERS PARTICIPATION

Your enthusiasm, participation, support and positive attitude will ensure that the Jeep Club RSA grow as a family orientated pleasure club catering for the "loves" in our lives - our families, friends, outdoor adventure and needless to say - our Jeeps!

The Jeep Club RSA cater for what we believe in - family fun in our Jeeps!



Please contact us if you have brilliant, or even not so brilliant ideas as to how the Club can serve you as Club Members and the general 4x4 enthusiasts out there. Please print this Newsletter and distribute it amongst your friends and family without access to Internet facilities.

Make sure your wife and kids also read the news letter!

HAVE A WONDERFUL DAY - ONLY IN A JEEP

