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INTERESTING NEWS

RUNNING

Fauja Singh 104 Years old (known as "Turbaned Tornado") Is an Indian born Sikh Marathon Runner based in the UK. He first participated in the London Marathon in 2012, where he ran 20kms. He is regarded as the oldest marathon runner in the world, having participated in the Mumbai Marathon on the 17 January 2016. He only started running in his eighties after moving to London. He shot to fame when, at 89, he completed a gruelling 26.2 mile marathon in 6 hours and 54 minutes. This knocked 58 minutes off the previous world best in his age group.

GOLF

Arnold Palmer (nicknamed "The King") Golfing Legend, passed away on Sunday 25 September 2016 in Pittsburgh at the age of 87. He won 62 titles on the PGA Tour, his last coming in the "Bob Hope Desert Classic". Among those victories were 4 in the Masters, 2 at the "British Open" and 1 at the "US Open" He finished second in the "US Open" four times, was runner up 3 times in the "PGA Championship", the only Major that eluded him, and was inducted into the **World Golf Hall of Fame** in 1974.

FUN FACT

CHESS

The folding chess board was originally invented in 1125 by a chess-playing Priest. Since the church forbid priests to play chess, he hid his chess board by making one that looked simply like two books lying together....



SASCOC

Quadrennial General Meeting

Venue: Olympic House

Date: 26 November 2016

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WELCOME BACK

Due to unforeseen circumstances **Lanie Van Wyk** agreed to continue as Treasurer of SAMSA. We welcome her back on the Executive Committee



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PERTH WORLD MASTERS ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Dates: 26 Oct – 6 Nov 2016



9th WORLD MASTER GAMES 2017

VENUE: NEW ZEALAND

DATES: 21-30 APRIL
2017

Closing date for registration for Team sports is 31 January 2017. Individuals can still join teams up till 31 March 2016 To enter go to: www.worldmastergames2017.co.nz

SAMSAS Contribution to Athletes

participation in the
WMG 2017 - Forward proof of entry and confirmation of flight details/sport code/travel info to SAMSA for consideration at committee meeting with regard to a contribution towards each master athlete who have been active masters in their own sport during the past 4 years.

Rio Paralympics 2016

Team SA finished 22nd on the overall medals table with 17 medals:

7 Gold, 6 Silver, 4 Bronze

Congratulations to all
the Athletes !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

RESULTS

SA Masters Basketball Tournament

Venue: Cape Town

Dates: 1-4 Sept 2016

Mens 30+

1st – Amigos de Marioka

2nd – Flamingos

Men 40+

1st – Gremio Malange

2nd – Marlins

Mens 50+

1st – Grey Falcons

2nd – Border

Ladies 30+

1st – Girassois

2nd – Lethal Ladies

Ladies 40+

1st – Welwechias

2nd – Nutcrackers

Congratulations to all

!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

RINGBALL MASTERS

TOURNAMENT, KORFBAL

PARK, 24 SEPTEMBER 2016

Ladies:

34-44 yrs

1st – De Jongh Ladies

2nd – Eagles

45-100 yrs

1st – Golden Oldies

2nd – Vintage

Men:

34-44 yrs

1st – The Musketeers

2nd – EO Vetties

45-100 yrs

1st – MNRD

2nd – Johnny Bravo

Congratulations to all

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9th Triennial South African Master Games

January – December 2016

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Jukskei – 1-7 Oct- Kroonstad

Baseball – 12-15 Oct-CT

Soccer – 1 Oct (Cancelled)

Rowing - November –JHB

REMINDER!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Sport codes to send results for their events during 2016 for inclusion in the Masters Voice

Games Programme - 2016 - AVAILABLE

SPORT CODES TO ORDER YOUR PROGRAMMES AND TO SUPPLY **SAMSA** WITH AN ADDRESS IN ORDER TO SEND PROGRAMMES BY SPECIAL MAIL OR SEND A REPRESENTATIVE FROM JOHANNESBURG TO COLLECT FROM **SAMSA** OFFICE **ASAP**
66 Kilkenny Rd, Parkview
Tel: 011 646 0641

Celebrating 21 years of South African Master Sports - Booklets still available free of charge

South African Master Sport Association celebrating 22 years of Master Sports 2016.

Sport codes are invited to send names of present/active sportsmen and women who participated in the first Master Games in 1997 in Johannesburg

Names to Date:

Rita Oosthuizen, Ria Kaal, Alan Forrest, Quentin Robinson, Lanie Van Wyk, Lynette Talbot and Willem Putter (Springbok Wrestler, SA Champion and World Champion)

ISSUING OF SAMSA'S MEDALS FOR 2016 GAMES

One Day Events – NO Medals
Codes National Events – 4 Gold, 3 Silver, 3 Bronze - Extra Gold Medal to Oldest Master Team Sports-medals to winning team only-COLLECT FROM SAMSA OFFICE.

National Geographic

National Geographic magazine available to members from SAMSA Office.

American Rifleman

World Shooting monthly magazine available from **SAMSA** office to all registered Pistol Shooting members.

