

THE MASTERS VOICE

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NEWS

MASTER SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS FOR 2017

Two names that dominated the world of Sport last year came from Tennis. Roger Federer and Rafale Nadal. While Federer won the Australian Open and Wimbledon, Nadal clinched the titles at the French and US Open.

Both the top-seeded players had to go through phase of injuries but nothing could stop them to make it a great year for them

Among women players, Serena Williams put on quite a show after winning a record 23rd Major at the Australian Open. She later revealed that she was already pregnant.

MASTERS VOLLEYBALL LAUNCHED IN GAUTENG

The launch was held at Eagle Canyon Clubhouse in Honeydew where volleyball stalwarts, teams and administrators shared the vision and mission of this new league



Samva's organising committee: Yashika Naicker, Matthew Govender, Yogas Reddy (President), Kirsten Pocock, Pramod Mohanlal and Dean Odayan. Photo: Siso Naile.

The Thembakele Gauteng Masters Volleyball Series was launched in Johannesburg by the South African Masters Volleyball Association (Samva) on 18 February, with the aim of promoting the sport and getting volleyball fanatics back in good shape.

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This was a boost for Masters Sports in the country. Masters sports is internationally recognised and administered by the International Masters Games Association (IMGA). Every four years, tens of thousands of athletes gather at the World Masters Games to compete in what is widely regarded as the Olympics for the elderly. These games cater for sports people of all abilities and ages from 30 upwards.



MASTERS ROWING

Masters rowing modifies age categories

20 February 2018

Starting this year, the age categories have been adjusted for masters rowers. There have been two age categories added to the World Rowing competition format. This is to encourage more participation, regardless of age or level.



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POWERLIFTING

SA Classic Powerlifting Championships, Potchefstroom

Start: 16 Mar 2018

End: 18 Mar 2018



MASTERS SWIMMING

Annual SA Masters Swimming (SAMS) National Championships

Hillcrest Municipal Pool

14-17 March 2018



ARCHERY

World Field Archery Championships 2018



The World Field Archery Championships 2018 will take place from 5-13 October 2018 at Elgro River Lodge, Potchefstroom, North West, South Africa

Pre-registrations is open, using the online registration form on the WFAC 2018 website. An email address is required for each participant. Registration is open to all archers from IFAA affiliated member associations.

ONLY online registrations will be accepted at WFAC2018. Registration will only be accepted and recorded on the website after payment of the registration fee is received.
Registration closes: 31 August 2018

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SA MASTERS ATHLETICS

South African Masters Championship

- 26, 27 & 28 April 2018
- Mangaung Stadium, Bloemfontein



NETBALL



NETBALL WORLD CUP 2019 OFFICIALLY LAUNCHED AHEAD OF FIRST QUALIFYING EVENT

The Netball World Cup 2019 has today been officially launched in Liverpool, as the city looks ahead to welcoming the world's most prestigious netball competition next summer.

The launch event took place at the city's iconic St George's Hall, ahead of the first Regional Qualifier tournament – in Perth, Scotland this weekend – signalling the start of the race for nations from across the world to book their place at the tournament, which will take place at Echo Arena Liverpool, part of the ACC Liverpool campus, in July 2019.

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OFFICIAL NOTIFICATIONS



SASCOC AGM ANNUAL GENERAL

Date: Saturday 10 February 2018

Time: 11:00-16:00

Venue: Olympic House (SASCOC Offices)

Attended by SAMSA President – Petro Saunders



MASTERS VOLLEYBALL LAUNCH

Date: Sunday 18 February 2018

Time: 14:00-17:00

Venue: Eagle Canyon Clubhouse, Honeydew

Attended by SAMSA Secretary – Trudy Casey



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