

## COMMUNITY NEWS

## WOODRIDGE MATRIC DANCE 2018



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Kate Bendeman and Andrew Christofolou

## St Francis cricker, Ben Steyn, plays cricket for Yorkshire club



St Francis Bay cricketer Benjamin Steyn is now in West Yorkshire, UK, where he is playing summer cricket for Ben Rhydding Cricket Club.

After a most successful first season in the UK, playing for West Sussex based Wisborough Green Cricket Club, Ben returned to the UK earlier this month. At the

conclusion of the season Ben, son of Harm Steyn of Christy's Catch, was the leading run scorer in his division with 50.92 run average over 17 games and a high score of 146 not out.

In his 17 innings he scored 7 fifties and 2 hundreds with 2 not out's. With the ball in hand he also did quite well if you take in to account that he only bowled 61 overs during the 2017 season. He bowled 16 maiden overs out of the 61 overs bowled during the season, and took 11 wickets at an economy rate of 4.44 with best bowling figures of 3/12.

Ben was originally contracted to play in Scotland for Stoneywood- DYCE CC located in Aberdeen. Unfortunately due to some health issues, he had to inform the club in Scotland and they terminated his contract under no protest from him. As good fortune might have it Benjamin was cleared on 27 Marc by his doctors to travel and play overseas for the 2018 season. His cricket agent in the UK was highly pleased and was able to procure him a last minute contract for the 2018 summer seasons in the UK.

Ben will return at the end of September 2018.

"We wish him good health, and may he have an successful summer in Yorkshire," Harm says.

## HUMAN RIGHTS' DAY - SEA VISTA



There was a good turnout for local Human Rights Day celebrations in St Francis Bay suburb of Sea Vista.

The community hall in the St Francis Bay Sea Vista suburb was packed with residents, many in colourful African dress and garments, who came to listen talks on things like Health and Education by knowledgeable speakers in various fields.

After each talk there was a great deal of singing and dancing and music by the local steel band.

## JAMES IS BEST UNDER 6 IN WILIE WALIE RUGBY



James Monhennet of St Francis Bay played in a rugby tournament and was awarded the title of best LB player on the field out of all the schools in the recent Willie Walie Sports Day.

## JENNIFER MANSER NOW HEADS UP KOUGA PRINT



Jennifer Manser is now the proud owner of Kouga Print and to celebrate she held a lovely cocktail function at her business premises in the Village Centre.

A big crowd of friends and St Francis businesses gathered to congratulate Jenny and wish her well. There were divine snacks on offer and refreshments, plus a lucky draw. A nice final touch was a thank you information pack for all guests to take home!

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There was a happy, friendly atmosphere and many thanks were expressed afterwards for the speakers and the sponsors and those who gave of their time and effort to make this occasion enjoyable for the community. Photos: Bev Mortimer