

KANTOORPERSONEEL / OFFICE PERSONNEL

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Bank: Nedbank
Account number: 1662 088 655
Branch code: 166-234
Branch: Free State & Northern Cape
Or
Bank: Standard Bank
Account number: 04 1212 886
Branch code: 05-55-34

Gebruik asseblief u rekeningnommer as verwysing / Please use your account number as reference

KANTOORURE / OFFICE HOURS

Maandag - Donderdag: Open 07:30 en sluit om 16:30 / **Monday - Thursday:** Open 07:30 and close at 16:30

Vrydag: Open 07:30 en sluit om 16:00 / **Friday:** Open 07:30 and close at 16:00
Middagete: 13:00 - 13:45 / **Lunch:** 13:00 - 13:45

Maandae oggende van 08:00 tot 09:00 is daar kantoorvergadering / Monday mornings from 08:00 to 09:00 there are office meetings



NGUNI NUUSBRIEF NEWSLETTER

2015

IMPORTANT COUNCIL DECISIONS

The following decisions were taken by the council during the council meetings held in 2015:

- All bulls that were used on female animals that will be on the sale (under the auspices), must have been tested by a registered veterinarian and must have tested negative for Trichomoniasis and Vibriosis. These certificates may not be older than 12 months prior to the day of the sale screening as well as the sale (in the case of internet sales) and must be submitted at the sale screening. This rule will be effective from 1 January 2016. See attached Schedule G2.
- Breeders must notify the office if they would like to receive Nguni correspondence in English or Afrikaans and if they would like to receive emails or hard copies.
- *At the Annual General Meeting 2014, the following decision was made :* An associate member is a person that has interest in the Nguni breed, who will receive all correspondence from the Society. A membership fee will be determined by council from time to time. An associate member will have no voting rights and may not serve on council.
- The fee for an associate member will be R300 per year
- The fee for SMSs sent by the Society on behalf of the breeders will increase from R350 to R400.
- Only registered members may use the Nguni logo.
- For sales under the auspices, the Society will verify the sale animals' data. If you would like to verify your animal's data according to the minimum standards, you can contact Graham Hallowell. There will be a cost associated with doing the verification of the data. This is particularly relevant for sales not under the auspices of the Society or for the sale of animals to projects like the IDC.
- A new format catalogue has been created for sales under the auspices of the Society. This was done for easier interpretation of breeding and selection values and will be used from 1 July 2015.
- Breeders are requested to send in hair tail of key bulls, elite cows, etc. for future genomic analysis.
- Included in the newsletter are the latest fees of SA Studbook and the Society
- The yearly inspection hourly fee will be increased to R275 from 1 October 2015.

IMPORTANT TO REMEMBER

- All registered bulls used must be DNA tested.
- Animals that do not meet the minimum breed standards will be cancelled automatically.
- Birth notifications must be received by SA Studbook before 90 days. Between 90 and 210 days after birth notifications a fine of R50 per animal will be levied. After 210 days birth notifications cannot be recorded.
- You can check your own pending animals and error reports on Logix or contact Ivonne at SA Studbook to send you a list.
- Application forms for annual inspections for 2016 were sent out during August. The forms must be received by the office before 30 September 2015. Please make sure if the office received your form.

FINANCIAL MATTERS

Members are requested to use their account number as the reference when making direct payments. The deposit can thus be identified easily and credited to the correct account, thereby avoiding possible delays or misunderstandings.

All members whose accounts are 120 days and/or longer overdue will be suspended and your account will be handed over to a debt collector. You will be responsible for all additional costs. Please make arrangements with Louise du Toit if necessary.

At the Council meeting held on 5 May 2014, it was decided to charge interest at 24% per annum on all outstanding accounts 90 days or older.

NUWE INSPEKTEURS

Op 18-20 Maart 2015 te Venterstad is daar 'n Junior Inspekteurskursus gehou. Die volgende persone het as Junior Inspekteurs geslaag:

- F Lubbe
- DP van Zyl
- F van Dyk
- D Goosen
- IJ Klopper
- J Sternberg
- P Sternberg

Geluk aan die volgende persone wat van Junior na Senior Inspekteurs bevorder is:

- Ray Keeny – Februarie 2015
- Brian Magor – Maart 2015
- Neil Dawson – Maart 2015

INSPEKSIES

U inspeksie-aansoek word aan die streek-koördineerders in u area gestuur. Die volgende persone is die koördineerders:

- Oos-Kaap – Pat Hobbs
- Natal – Clive Biggs
- Limpopo – André Botma
- Mpumalanga – Mike Greyling

- Noord-Kaap – Frans Lubbe
- Noordwes – Archie du Plessis
- Vrystaat – Archie du Plessis
- Wes-Kaap – Hannes Visagie

Reël asseblief vroegtydig met die streekkoördineerder indien u diere op 'n veiling wil verkoop sodat die inspeksie betyds gereël kan word.

PER KAPITA

U sal deur SA Stamboek en die Genootskap gefaktureer word vir die getal diere wat op u naam geregistreer is, soos op 1 Julie van elke jaar. SA Stamboek faktureer vir die getal diere aangeteken soos op 1 Julie 2015. Die Genootskap faktureer 'n paar maande later (gewoonlik Desember/Januarie) vir al die geregistreerde diere aangeteken soos op 1 Julie 2015.

ELITE-TOEKENINGS SA STAMBOEK

Baie geluk aan M van Niekerk met hierdie toekenning vir 2015 vir die bes produserende koei. **GANNA NGUNI STOETERY - MVN 040088**



ALGEMENE JAARVERGADERING 2015

Onthou asseblief dat die algemene jaarvergadering op 13 November 2015 by Maselspoort plaasvind.

Kontak die kantoor vir meer besonderhede.



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JOERNAAL / JOURNAL

2016

Hiermee doen ons 'n beroep op al die telers om in die volgende Joernaal te adverteer. Daar word 4 000 Joernale gedruk en dit word oorsee asook in buurlande versprei. Bevestig asseblief voor 10 November 2015 met Sarah Crause in die kantoor om u advertensie te bespreek.

Klaar ontwerpte advertensies moet die kantoor of die ontwerpers van die Joernaal voor 15 Februarie 2016 bereik en advertensies wat deur die ontwerpers ontwerp word, moet hulle voor 30 Januarie 2016 bereik.

PHOTOS

If you supply photos to the office, please inform the office in writing if the photos may not be used for other purposes. Credit is usually given to the owner/photographer by the Society, but remember that so many photos are sent to the office that it is difficult to keep record of all pictures' origin. Photos of your animals can now also be placed on Logix. Please Contact SA Studbook in this regard.



The breed from the past for the future