



# INTERNATIONAL POLICE ASSOCIATION SOUTH AFRICAN SECTION 41<sup>ST</sup> NATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING

HOSTED BY KWAZULU-NATAL REGION  
AT GOODERSON DRAKENSBERG GARDENS GOLF & SPA RESORT

- A. The President IPA South Africa (Hendrik Vos)
- B. The Secretary General IPA South Africa (Tessa Deyzel)
- C. All Regional Chairpersons, Regional Committees, Members, Friends and Visitors

During the 40<sup>th</sup> National Council Meeting (hereafter referred to as NCM) held at Pumbaa Wildlife Park & Accommodation in Mpumalanga Province in October 2025, IPA KwaZulu-Natal Region agreed to investigate the possibility of hosting the 2026 NCM.

After many years, it is a honour and privilege to announce that the 41<sup>st</sup> National Council Meeting will be hosted by IPA KwaZulu-Natal.

The 2026 NCM will be held at **Drakensberg Gardens Golf & Spa Resort in the Southern Drakensberg, KwaZulu-Natal** Province. It will commence on **Thursday, 12 November 2026** and conclude on **Sunday, 15 November 2026**.

Many venues were approached throughout KwaZulu-Natal (from the sea to the mountains, north coast and south coast) and the committee eventually settled on Drakensberg Gardens Golf & Spa Resort.

Drakensberg Gardens Golf & Spa Resort just outside of Underberg is poised on a scenic 860-hectare World Heritage Site, and is a one-of-a-kind retreat for guests to reconnect, relax and unwind. With facilities to keep the whole family entertained one can venture into the great outdoors and the adventurous soul, will be stimulated and depart with a renewed purpose.

Drakensberg Gardens Golf & Spa Resorts offers, many facilities and caters for all ages. Considering conference facilities, beautiful views of the Southern Drakensberg mountains, safe and secure accommodation and parking with spacious rooms sent in a contemporary décor.

Each room has an en-suite bathroom, a TV, hairdryer, bar fridge and tea/coffee facilities. Activities available at no cost is: running / hiking / walking & mountain biking trails, swimming (3 pools), gym, bird viewing, pub(s) (*have to pay for your own drinks*) with karaoke facilities, pool tables, archery (to only name a few), three meals per day with IPA being provided with an affordable cost structure.

## Other activities include

- Golf course
- Trout Fishing
- Bowls
- Tennis
- Horse riding
- Spa treatments; and many more

See [www.goodersondrakensberg.co.za](http://www.goodersondrakensberg.co.za) for more information **regarding available activities and directions to the venue.**

The total cost to attend the **NCM 2026 amounts to R3 850.00 per delegate / observer / visitor** and is a **once off total package.**

Drakensberg Gardens Golf & Spa Resort is approximately 267 km (3 hour and 39 minutes – 4 hours – depending on traffic & road works) drive from King Shaka International Airport. Due to the distance from the airport to Drakensberg Gardens Golf & Spa Resort IPA KwaZulu-Natal **cannot assist with transport** and IPA delegates / observers and visitors are therefore encouraged to make use of their own transport and/or hired transport to and from the airports.

The conference package is **pre-booked and once confirmation is given members will be liable for the cost**, irrespective of the reason they can no longer attend.

**Reminder:** Please bring your own swimming towels and all other paraphernalia, i.e. miscellaneous articles, especially the equipment needed for a particular activity (eg. walking shoes, hiking boots & equipment, bicycle, etc.)

A cash bar is available at the restaurants/pubs. Own drinks can however be consumed at your rooms only because it is a licenced premises.

Attach please find the following documents:

- Draft Programme
- Registration Forms

If you need any assistance, please contact Tessa Deyzel or Johan Deyzel on the following contact details:

**Tessa Deyzel:**

Cell number : +27 (0)828791335

***(If I do not answer, please send a message and I will get back to you***

***asap)***

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Delegates / observers and visitors are requested to please register as soon as possible **but by no later than 31 August 2026. This will also be the cutoff date for payment.**

Regions / Sections are requested to please send an e-mail **by 8 June 2026** indicating how many members will be attending from each Region / Section to **finalise the number of rooms that will be required for the 2026 NCM.**

The entire IPA KwaZulu-Natal committee will be honoured to host every delegate / observer and visitor at this the 41<sup>st</sup> NCM. We are looking forward in anticipation to welcome our NEC members / Regions and Sections to our beautiful Province, the Kingdom of the Zulu. Together we will build friendships that will last a lifetime at the Drakensberg Garden Golf & Spa Resort, the foothills of the majestic Drakensberg mountains.

IPA Greetings

*Johan Hendrik Deyzel*

REGIONAL CHAIRPERSON

IPA KWAZULU-NATAL

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Gooderson Drakensberg Gardens

Golf & Spa Resort





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41<sup>st</sup> NATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING 2026**

**VENUE: GOODERSON DRAKENSBERG GARDENS  
GOLF & SPA RESORT, SOUTHERN DRAKENSBERG**



**KWAZULU-NATAL REGION  
DRAFT PROGRAMME**

<b>12 NOVEMBER 2026 THURSDAY</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>PARTICIPANTS</b>
13:00 – 14:30	Arrival at Drakensberg Gardens Golf & Spa Resort. Registration at the Conference Centre. Tea / Coffee and snacks at the Conference Centre prior to the start of the NCM.	All Delegates / Observers & Visitors.
15:00	2026 National Council Meeting Commences in the Conference Centre just below the Hotel's main entrance.	All Delegates & Observers.
18:00	Welcoming	Chairperson KwaZulu-Natal Region
19:00	Dinner is served.	All Delegates / Observers & Visitors (Informal).

<b>13 NOVEMBER 2026 FRIDAY</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>PARTICIPANTS</b>
07:00 – 08:00	Breakfast in the Restaurant.	All Delegates / Observers & Visitors.
08:00 – 10:30	Opening in Conference Centre	All Delegates / Observers & Visitors.
10:30 – 11:30	Tea / Coffee	All Delegates / Observers & Visitors.
13:00 – 13:45	Lunch in the Restaurant	All Delegates / Observers & Visitors.
14:45 – 18:00	NCM continues in the Conference Centre.	All Delegates / Observers & Visitors.
18:30	Official IPA Photo	All Delegates / Observers & Visitors. <b>Dress Code: Formal</b> IPA Attire / Ladies accordingly
19:00 until late	IPA Gala Dinner	All Delegates / Observers & Visitors.
<b>14 NOVEMBER 2026 SATURDAY</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>PARTICIPANTS</b>
07:00 – 09:00	<b>Breakfast</b> in Restaurant	All Delegates / Observers & Visitors.
09:30 – 12:00	To be announced - <b>(No Lunch)</b>	All Delegates / Observers & Visitors.
13:00 – 20:00	To be announced - <b>Supper</b>	All delegates, observers & guests
<b>15 NOVEMBER 2026 SUNDAY</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>SAFE JOURNEY HOME!</b>
07:00 – 09:00	Breakfast in Restaurant Delegates Depart	

**VISITORS NOT ATTENDING COUNCIL MEETING**

**No official visitors programme has been arranged, but there are a variety of activities available.  
PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL ROOM KEYS ARE HANDED IN PRIOR TO DEPARTURE!!**



**INTERNATIONAL POLICE ASSOCIATION  
SECTION: SOUTH AFRICA**

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HOSTED BY: KWAZULU-NATAL REGION**



**VENUE: DRAKENSBURG GARDEN GOLF & SPA RESORT, SOUTHERN DRAKENSBURG,  
KWAZULU-NATAL PROVINCE  
12<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2026 TO 15<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2026**

- ✓ Please complete the registration form in full
- ✓ **ONE** form per person
- ✓ Submit with proof of payment to TESSA DEYZEL via e-mail: [tessad64@outlook.com](mailto:tessad64@outlook.com)

The cost is **R3 850.00** per person to attend the National Council Meeting 2026

**CUT-OFF DATE FOR REGISTRATION & PAYMENT BY NO LATER THAN 31<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST 2025**

PLEASE NOTE THAT WE ARE **NOT** ABLE TO ACCOMMODATE DAY VISITORS.

**THE FULL AMOUNT IS PAYABLE FOR EACH ATTENDEE (INCLUDING SPOUSES / VISITORS).**

**WE NEED TO MAKE A DEPOSIT TO CONFIRM OUR BOOKINGS, SO IF ANY REGION HAS THE FUNDS BEFORE THE SAID DATE, PLEASE MAKE A DEPOSIT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.**

First name/s		Surname	
Identity number		IPA number (if applicable)	
NEC / Region / Section			
Position in NEC / Region / Section			
Please indicate - Delegate / Observer / Visitor	Delegate	Observer	Visitor
Cell phone no.	Telephone no. (w)		
E-mail address			
Postal Address			

Medical Aid Name		Medical Aid Number	
Doctor's name		Doctor's Telephone no.	
Next of kin		Contact no. for next of kin	
Special dietary requirements	Vegetarian - If other specify	Halaal -	Other -

Telephone number and enquiries:

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Banking details: IPA PORT NATAL <b>Not KWAZULU-NATAL</b>	Bank: <b>ABSA</b> Account Type: <b>Cheque Account</b> Account Number: <b>4052944862</b>	REFERENCE NUMBER FOR THE DEPOSIT: - Name & Region or Section
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Payment received	YES		NO		Booking form received	YES		NO	
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**IF YOU ENCOUNTER ANY PROBLEMS DURING THE EFT PROCESS, PLEASE CONTACT US!**